

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Golden Plains Shire Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Golden Plains Shire Council
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	KIRBY, Helena Angela

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)
 Ratepayers and residents first is my main priority, ensuring that all of our 56 communities are part of the planning process as we already have the assets and infrastructure to service our growing population. For example schools, kindergartens, recreation reserves, playgrounds and halls. Maintaining our assets to reduce your rates.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?
Provide details (maximum 50 words)
 I am a very approachable person and a good listener. Having been an experienced councillor I am always thinking outside of the box for new initiatives and forward planning. A passionate supporter of community planning, history and tourism. A business owner for 23 years and still passionate for the shire.

Have you read the current Council Plan for the council named above?	Yes
Have you read the current Councillor Code of Conduct for the council named above?	Yes
Are you endorsed by a registered political party? <small>Note: Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the Electoral Act 2002. If yes, provide the name of the registered political party.</small>	No
Are you currently a Councillor?	Yes
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office? <small>Note: Council meetings means Council meetings referred to in section 61 of the Local Government Act 2020 but does not include meetings held for which a Councillor has been granted leave from attending by the Council.</small>	>90%
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> 0434 244 626	

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