## **Candidate Questionnaire and Answers**

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| COUNCIL                               | Melbourne City Council 2024 |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| WARD (if applicable)                  | Leadership Team             |
| CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper) | CRAGG, David Keith          |

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? *(maximum 50 words)* Ripping up the bike lanes will get Melbourne moving. The council bureaucracy's War on Cars smashed Retailers, Hospitality, Building owners, Workers and Shoppers. A sensible balance is needed. Concrete barriers on our roads do not keep bicycles safe and have created traffic gridlock. We will rip up the bike lanes.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Deputy Lord Mayor? *Provide details (maximum 50 words)* 

A highly experienced advocate in industrial relations; worked with some of the state's biggest job creators. I know how to cut a deal that is fair to everyone. I have lived in the City of Melbourne for decades and know how important it is to rip up the bike lanes.

| Have you read the current Council Plan for the council named above?  | Yes        |
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| Have you read the current Councillor Code of Conduct for the council named above?  | Yes        |
| Are you endorsed by a registered political party?<br><b>Note:</b> <i>Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the Electoral Act 2002.</i><br>If yes, provide the name of the registered political party.  | No         |
| Are you currently a Councillor?  | No         |
| If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office?<br>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. |            |
| What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i><br>Please contact the Lord Mayoral candidate Anthony van der Craats 04  | 03 378 111 |

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