

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Mildura Rural City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Mildura Wetlands Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	CUPPER, Ali

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (*maximum 50 words*)

My vision is for a thriving, vibrant, cohesive, well-connected community that has access to the same essential services and game-changing infrastructure as any other part of the State. A community where our best and brightest want to stay, and where talented, hard-working people from everywhere else want to live.

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 lawyer, social worker and experienced local leader, having served as a Mildura Rural City Councillor for 4 years, Deputy Mayor for 2 years, and Independent Member for Mildura in the Victorian Parliament for 4 years. I'm also a 4th generation Sunraysia girl and 6th generation Mallee girl.

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? Note: <i>Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the Electoral Act 2002.</i> 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? Note: <i>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.</i>	
What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? <i>Provide details</i> cupper4council@gmail.com	

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