

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Greater Geelong City Council 2017
WARD (if applicable)	Brownbill Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	SANDNER, Alec

<p>Why would you like to be elected as a Councillor for the above Council? (maximum 50 words)</p> <p>I was Mayor of the City of Greater Bendigo during 2011/12.</p> <p>I am an Accountant, a Qualified Property Investment Advisor and a retired Justice of the Peace.</p> <p>I am qualified and experienced in Local Government to be a Councillor of the City of Greater Geelong.</p>	
<p>What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (maximum 50 words)</p> <p>Australia, South East Asia and China will become the greatest concentration of middle class people in the World.</p> <p>The demand for goods and services will be astronomical.</p> <p>Geelong could supply World class Education and Health services to this market.</p>	
<p>Have you undertaken training to help prepare you to take on the responsibility of being a Councillor?</p> <p>Note: Examples of training include training provided by the Council, the Victorian Local Governance Association, the Municipal Association of Victoria or the Australian Institute of Company Directors.</p> <p>If yes, provide the name of the course and the course provider. (maximum 30 words)</p> <p>Media Training from Katrina Byers Consulting.</p>	Yes
<p>What other expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor? Provide details. (maximum 50 words)</p> <p>My personal and professional attributes are: Sense of humour, Strategic thinker, Logical, Objective, Skilled negotiator, Enjoy a challenge, Problem solver, Natural leader, Entrepreneurial and analytical.</p>	
<p>Have you undertaken any community service or charitable work which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor?</p> <p>If yes, provide details. (maximum 30 words)</p> <p>Ministerial appointment to the Bendigo Aerodrome Committee, Committee member -Bendigo flying Club, Director Bendigo Trust, Treasurer Bendigo Strathdale Rotary Club, President Flora Hill High School Committee.</p>	Yes

Have you read the above Council's current Council Plan?	No
Have you read the above Council's current Councillor Code of Conduct?	No
<p>Are you endorsed by a registered political party? Note: Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the <i>Electoral Act 2002</i>.</p> <p>If yes, provide the name of the registered political party.</p>	No
<p>Are you affiliated with any group or organisation that you believe may be relevant to your role as Councillor, if elected?</p> <p>If yes, provide the name of each group or organisation and your relationship with that body. (maximum 30 words)</p>	No
<p>Are you currently a Councillor?</p> <p>If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office? Indicate one.</p> <p>Note: Council meetings means ordinary meetings and special meetings of the Council referred to in section 83 of the <i>Local Government Act 1989</i> but does not include meetings held for which a Councillor has been granted leave from attending by the Council.</p>	No
<p>What are your contact details (so that voters can contact you)? Provide details. Email address. alecs@impulse.net.au</p>	