

Candidate Questionnaire and Answers

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COUNCIL	Melbourne City Council Lord Mayor By-Election 2018
WARD (if applicable)	Melbourne City Council
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	DOWNING, Luke

<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 40 words)</p>	No
<p>Have you read the current Council Plan for the council named above?</p>	Yes
<p>Have you read the current Councillor Code of Conduct for the council named above?</p>	Yes
<p>Are you endorsed by a registered political party?</p> <p>Note: Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the Electoral Act 2002.</p> <p>If yes, provide the name of the registered political party.</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?</p> <p>Note: Council meetings means ordinary meetings and special meetings of the Council referred to in section 83 of the Local Government Act 1989 but do 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)?</p> <p>0416 645 160</p>	