

To be completed by a Person who is an Elector in their own Right

OFFICE USE ONLY

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Entitlement

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Enrolment Date

Date Accepted

Accepting Officer's Initials

Please PRINT details on this form

Council Information - Please complete details of Council and vacancy the Candidate is nominating for

Name of Council

Mayor

Area Councillor

Ward Councillor

Ward Name (if applicable)

Candidate Information

Miss

Ms

Mrs

Mr

Dr

Surname

Given Names

Enrolled Address (This is the address of your principal place of residence)

Street

Suburb

Postcode

Address of Rateable Property (if different to enrolled address)

Street

Suburb

Postcode

Candidate Declaration

I declare that I am:

- an Australian citizen, *or*
 a person who has held office as a member of a Council at any time between 5 May 1997 and 1 January 2000;
- an elector for the area; *and*
- not ineligible to be a Candidate for election by reason of any matter referred to in Section 17(3) or (4) of the *Local Government (Elections) Act 1999*; *and*
- taking responsibility for the content of the profile lodged with this nomination; *and*
- I have read the attached notes relating to the lodgement of this nomination.

Signature of Candidate

Date

Nominations Close at 12 Noon on Thursday 11 November 2021

You cannot lodge this form before Thursday 28 October 2021 (14 days before nominations close)
A copy of the first page of this nomination form will be displayed at the Council office.

Name to Appear on the Ballot Paper

I request the name by which I am generally known to appear on the ballot paper as shown below

Please note:

- The request may not be accepted. The Returning Officer may reject a name that is obscene, frivolous or has been assumed for an ulterior purpose.
- The SURNAME will be printed in CAPITALS and will appear before any other name on the ballot paper.

Surname

Given or Other Names

Further Information to be completed by the Candidate

Date of Birth

Gender

Female

Male

Other

Are you currently a member of this Council?

Yes

No

Postal Address - If you have a postal address (different to the enrolled address) where you would like correspondence sent, please provide this address:

Contact Details for Electoral use Only

Business Phone

Home Phone

Mobile Phone

Facsimile

Email Address

Contact Number for Media/Public

Indicate in the box **ONE** contact telephone number for release to the media and public. If you **DO NOT** wish to release a telephone number, please leave the box blank

I give permission for further publication of my profile by the Council and the media

Yes

No

Information to be completed by Electoral Official

Profile signed, dated and contact details included

Yes

No

Photograph received

Yes

No

Profile contains statement of responsibility for content of profile

Yes

No

Photograph endorsed and signed

Yes

No

Profile word count displayed

Yes

No

Place of Receipt

Signature of Receiving Officer

Date

Time

am
pm

1. You must deliver your nomination form so as to reach the Returning Officer before the close of nominations.
2. This nomination **must** be accompanied by a profile of the Candidate that complies with the following requirements:
 - (a) the profile must be in typed or printed form;
 - (b) the profile must not exceed 150 words;
 - (c) the profile must be accurate and must not –
 - (i) be misleading; or
 - (ii) contain offensive or obscene material; or
 - (iii) refer to another person who has nominated as a Candidate for election to the Council without the written consent of that person (that consent must be lodged with the profile); or
 - (iv) comment on decisions or actions that have been made or taken by the Council or on the decisions or actions of past or present members of the Council;
 - (d) the profile must contain contact details of the Candidate being –
 - (i) an address (not being a post office box); or
 - (ii) an email address; or
 - (iii) a telephone number

Note: the contact details do not form part of the 150 words.
 - (e) the profile must be accompanied by a statement declaring that the Candidate is responsible for the content of the profile as follows:

‘I take responsibility for the content of the profile’

.....
(Signature of Candidate)

(Date)

- (i) the profile must be signed and dated by the Candidate

Note: the signature, date and contact details explained in Notes 2(d) and (e) do not form part of the 150 words.

3. A photograph of the Candidate may accompany the profile. If you choose to include a photograph –
 - (a) the photograph should be the same size as an Australian passport photograph;
 - (b) the photograph must only (or predominantly) show the head and shoulders of the Candidate;
 - (c) the photograph must have been taken within the last 12 months;
 - (d) the photograph must have on its back an endorsement signed by the Candidate as follows:

‘This is a photograph of *[insert name]* taken within the last 12 months’

.....
(Signature of Candidate)

4. It is an offence under Section 64(1) of the *Local Government (Elections) Act 1999* to make a statement in a declaration under the Act that is, to the person’s knowledge, false or misleading in a material respect.

Maximum penalty: \$5000 or imprisonment for one year.
5. Section 17 of the *Local Government (Elections) Act 1999* provides as follows:
 - (1) Subject to this Act and the *Local Government Act 1999*, a person is eligible to be a Candidate for election as a member of a Council if –
 - (a) the person is –
 - (i) an Australian citizen, or
 - (ii) a prescribed person, and
 - (b)
 - (i) the person is an elector for the area; or
 - (ii) the person is the designated person for a Body Corporate which has its name on the voters roll for the area; or
 - (iii) the person is the designated person for a Group which has its name on the voters roll for the area; or
 - (iv) the person’s name has been omitted in error from the voters roll for the area, or the person is the designated person for a Body Corporate or Group which has had its name omitted in error from the voters roll for the area (and would be eligible for nomination under subparagraph (ii) or (iii) (as the case may be) were the name on the roll).
 - (3) A person is not eligible to be a Candidate for election as a member of a Council if the person –
 - (a) is a member of an Australian Parliament; or
 - (b) is an undischarged bankrupt or is receiving the benefit of a law for the relief of insolvent debtors; or
 - (c) has been sentenced to imprisonment and is, or could on the happening of some contingency become, liable to serve the sentence or the remainder of the sentence; or
 - (d) is an employee of the Council; or
 - (e) is disqualified from election by court order under the *Local Government Act 1999*.
 - (4) A person is not eligible to be a Candidate for election as a member of a Council if the person –
 - (a) in the case of a supplementary election – is a member of another Council; or
 - (b) in the case of any election – is a Candidate for election as a member of another Council.
 - (5) In this section a ‘prescribed person’ means a person who has held office as a member of a Council at any time between 5 May 1997 and 1 January 2000.
6. A person claiming an entitlement to be a Candidate on the basis that a relevant name has been omitted in error from the voters roll must also complete an ‘Omission in error from the roll’ form.