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Dick Gross

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Your ward? \*

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Keep Australia Beautiful (President and Board member), Reader and Lectuer in School of Earth Sciences on Climate Change, Ea
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Do you support production of **quarterly reports** on Council's climate initiatives? \*

Yes

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Other: I was the Mayor that created the EcoCentre. Of course I support it.

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**Action 1? \***

Emphasis drainage repair and maintenance in the budget .....

**Action 2? \***

Sea level rise is a huge threat in flood vulnerable areas like Elwood, Middle Park and Port Melbourne .....

**Action 3? \***

Huge canopy increase to ameliorate urban heat island effect.

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### Your top priorities if elected

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Action 1? \*

Embed climate change action and a shift towards sustainable transport into the Council Plan. ....

Action 2? \*

Introduce quarterly reports on Council's climate initiatives, as well as other Council actions, to be tabled at an Ordinary Meeting of Council. This will serve an important accountability indicator to ensure that community can assess Council's progression on its commitment. ....

**Action 3? \***

Return community deputations to Council meetings providing a formal opportunity for community groups to raise matter before Council. Deputations would Council to formulate an official response to matters brought before it.

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**Anything else you'd like to add?**

I was a former Vice President and Outer East Branch Convenor of the Public Transport Users (PTUA) where I successfully advocated for public transport frequency upgrades and the abolition of zone three fares which created inequities in transport access.

I was a former Mayor and Councillor for Maroondah City Council (2005-2012) where I successfully pushed Council into establishing a Sustainability team, which led to successfully reducing energy, waste and water usage. I strengthened design principles, requiring all new Council facilities to embed environmental sustainability, this led to further reductions in water and energy usage.

During my time on Council, Maroondah went from being an environmental laggard to then taking leadership through the Eastern Alliance for Greenhouse Action (EAGA). At the time (2010) I looked towards Councils like Port Phillip for their environmental leadership, unfortunately just 10 years later Port Phillip Council has absconded its leadership role.

I will restore Port Phillip's commitment to climate leadership and will work with the community to make that happen.

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Tim Baxter, Greens candidate for St Kilda ward

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**Your top priorities if elected**

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**Action 1? \***

Developing and implementing precinct plans for the urban forest strategy .....

**Action 2? \***

Reviewing the sustainability, climate emergency, integrated transport and waste strategies to identify gaps and need for more funding .....

Action 3? \*

Implementing the new acquisitions of green open space in the open space strategy

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**Action 2? \***

Strengthen funding for the Urban Forest Strategy to ensure that tree planting is front-loaded and precinct planning is accelerated.

**Action 3? \***

Increase funding of the EcoCentre to support core operations and allow delivery of weekend community activities and educational programs.

**Anything else you'd like to add?**

So much to do; join City of Melbourne renewable energy power purchase agreement, support apartment owners and renters to switch to renewable energy, fund efficiency retrofits of vulnerable residences, facilitate the installation of public EV charging stations, enhance walkability by giving pedestrians priority and switching traffic signals to activate 'green man' walking symbols every cycle and creating walking corridors, investigate South-Eastern Melbourne waste-to-energy program for possible replication, urgently advocate state government for updated sea-level-rise projections and flood maps, and build out Port Phillip's cycling network.

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Name? \*

Alex Darton

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

- Alma Ward
- Balaclava Ward
- Elwood Ward
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- Montague Ward
- South Melbourne Ward

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- Residents of Port Phillip
- Other: Renters And Housing Union Inner South Branch.....

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- Yes
- No

Party and organisation endorsement

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- Liberal Party
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Do you support establishment of a representative **Community Reference Group** to inform and advise Council on climate issues? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support establishment of **Community Energy Grants Program**, targeting solar panel installation and household electrification? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support production of **quarterly reports** on Council's climate initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **funding the EcoCentre's core operations and supporting community education** and collaboration on Council initiatives? \*

Yes

No

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support use of a data-driven approach to **prioritise areas of greatest need**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support facilitation of **community planting** on private and public land? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support mandatory **deep soil zones and tree planting** on new developments? \*

Deep soil areas allow planting of deep-rooted trees, not just shrubs and ground-covers.

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support implementation of a tree register to **protect significant trees**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

### Eliminate Emissions

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Yes

No

Other: .....



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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Other: .....

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Yes

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Other: .....

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Yes

No

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Other: .....

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Yes

No

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support reduction of car dependence by **improving public transport, walking and bike riding routes**? \*

Yes

No

Other:  
See earlier notes on this, as well we need to utilize our amazing lane ways as shaded paths that can be shared by walkers riders wheelers and slow moving vehicles.  
.....

Do you support ethical investment of Council money, **divesting from fossil fuels, gambling, and tobacco?** \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support consideration of **climate impact** in all procurement and purchasing? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

### Your top priorities if elected

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

Action 1? \*

Bring climate action to the forefront of the budgeting process. And removing things like street cleaning and CCTV from the sustainability section of the Council Plan

Action 2? \*

Using the Precinct Plans in the Urban Forest Strategy to develop local urban forest tree stewards. Engaging neighbors who want to get more involved by helping them choose trees and deciding on where to plant the first round. Also teaching them what they can do in the way of maintenance to help support our urban forest reach its potential.

Action 3? \*

Find out how to facilitate a change in the way we maintain our roads and footpaths. Taking guides from other councils that have trialed this already to make our city a sponge city that redirects our storm water run off into our soil and not into our bay.

Anything else you'd like to add?

Where possible putting in place guides and even requirements for buildings to become sponges and passively cooled. The wish that we can keep going as though nothing fundamentally needs to change is fraught with issues and very short sighted. We need to be realistic with how much is at stake and how willing we are to change and then become leaders in this environment as something others cities can aspire to replicate in their own place.

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Name? \*

Richard Whitfield

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

- Alma Ward
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Other: .....

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Yes

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Other: .....

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Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support development of a **community battery program** to harness off-grid solar? \*

Yes

No

Other:

Yes, as long as the community benefits from the community battery through lower electricity prices .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support consideration of **climate impact** in all procurement and purchasing? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

### Your top priorities if elected

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

Action 1? \*

development of a published cycling path network masterplan that can be progressively implemented, including setting up dedicated on-street parking spaces for personal mobility vehicles (bikes, ebikes and scooters)

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Action 2? \*

setting up a nature strip garden assistance service to help community groups improve plantings in public spaces

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**Action 3? \***

review of planning regulations to improve their climate focus

**Anything else you'd like to add?**

review the systems of community advice to Council to make them stronger and more representative - more advisory committees and and community reference groups; setting up on street public EV charging stations at popular local activity centres, and expanding the trial for private on-street EV charging

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Name? \*

Rhonda Small

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

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Yes

No

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No

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Yes

No

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Yes

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Yes

No

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Yes

No

Other: .....



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- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support consideration of **climate impact** in all procurement and purchasing? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

**Your top priorities if elected**

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

**Action 1? \***

An urgent review of the Climate Emergency Action Plan to add, prioritise and strengthen actions, especially so that any additional funding required can be identified and included in 25/26 Council Plan and Budget deliberations.  
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**Action 2? \***

Establish a Community Advisory Group/Reference Panel to guide Council's implementation of the Climate Emergency Action Plan.  
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**Action 3? \***

Initiate an energy efficiency/energy retrofit program for vulnerable households to guard against inequity in the transition to renewable energy, with up to 30 households assisted annually.

**Anything else you'd like to add?**

If elected, I am committed to working collaboratively with other councillors for stronger action on climate, with Council taking a leading role in educating, mobilising and supporting our community and local businesses to take action to electrify and to increase greening in both our public and private realms. We also need more urgent Council advocacy to State and Federal Governments to partner on climate actions such as responding to the threat of sea level rise, neighbourhood battery programs and public EV charging infrastructure.

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Name? \*

Louise Crawford

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

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No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: In principle - need to know more

Do you support production of **quarterly reports** on Council's climate initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: Only if it doesn't get in the way of actual actions

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Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: Already are doing this .....

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Yes

No

Other: Yes but this is already happening and haven't cracked the private land part yet

Do you support mandatory **deep soil zones and tree planting** on new developments? \*

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Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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Other: \_\_\_\_\_



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Yes

No

Other: I think this is already policy .....

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No

Other: This is in train I believe .....

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No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: Already policy

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Yes

No

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### Your top priorities if elected

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

Action 1? \*

Ensure solar panels and batteries policy for all new builds/upgrades

Action 2? \*

Look at our plans with a view on embedding biodiversity eg use raingardens as pollination corridors

Action 3? \*

Need to tap into the energy efficiency and electrification funding available from other levels of government

Anything else you'd like to add?

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Name? \*

Barney Moore

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

- Alma Ward
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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Other: .....

Do you support production of **quarterly reports** on Council's climate initiatives? \*

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Other: .....

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- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

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- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

**Your top priorities if elected**

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

**Action 1? \***

Expanding car share spaces and EV charging stations .....

**Action 2? \***

Rapidly implementing the Port Phillip Climate Emergency Action Plan .....

Action 3? \*

Fast-tracking the new Port Phillip Urban Forest Strategy

Anything else you'd like to add?

Climate change and environmental issues are top priorities for Lakeside Ward locals, who want their council to take decisive action. I'm proud to commit to PECAN's Climate Pledge and will work with them and residents every step of the way to drive meaningful change.

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Heather Cunsolo

Email address? \*

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No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other:  
I like the idea of household electrification. Grants could be an option but need to understand further.

Do you support production of **quarterly reports** on Council's climate initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: This could be incorporated better into the regular CEO Reports.

Do you support **funding the EcoCentre's core operations and supporting community education** and collaboration on Council initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: Council has registers of all public trees. Is the question about private land? .....

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Yes

No

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: In principle but would need to know more. ....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other:

In principle but would like to discuss further. There is much to be done to increase the thermal performance and systems of Australian buildings.  
.....

Do you support **electrification of the Council fleet** with all new Council vehicles 100% electric? \*

Yes

No

Other: Preference is electric but want to ensure fit for purpose  
.....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

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- No
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**Action 1? \***

Continue the use of communal Glass and FOGO hubs for those without kerbside collection. ....

**Action 2? \***

Continue cleaning our drainage assets and advocating heavily to the State for their assets to be maintained. ....

Action 3? \*

Push for purple pipe recycled water to be integrated into Fishermans Bend as per the Fishermans Bend Framework.

Anything else you'd like to add?

Thank you for running this survey. There are a few questions that 'yes or no' were hard to select without comment.

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Earl James

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### Your top priorities if elected

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

Action 1? \*

Prioritising integrated active transport networks linking activity centres.  
.....

Action 2? \*

Accelerating tree planting and protecting the existing public canopy, especially when at risk over hot summers before trees are established.  
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Action 3? \*

As higher density living has become a greater share of the housing stock in South Melbourne, I would prioritise accessible public open space.

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Connor Slattery

Email address? \*

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**Your top priorities if elected**

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

**Action 1? \***

Apply for Sustainability Victoria circular economy activity grants to support making council facilities available to residents to engage secondary market sales and exchanges to reduce net consumption and reduce hard rubbish volumes

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**Action 2? \***

Make council facilities available to residents to drop off items suitable for material donation (eg furniture, household goods etc) to end user facing charities, and liaise with those charities to streamline collections, increasing their throughput, reducing hard rubbish volumes, and making hard rubbish disposal of any residue more efficient.

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**Action 3? \***

Streamline and broaden approvals for rooftop solar panel installation.

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**Anything else you'd like to add?**

Reducing consumption is the most immediate and impactful action individuals can undertake to reduce adverse climate impacts, as the embedded carbon in household goods, particularly furniture, is immense. By facilitating the exchange of these goods, rather than sending them to landfill and replacing them with new, imported items, council can make significant steps towards reducing the net carbon footprint of the municipality.

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Jill Horman

Email address? \*

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support production of **quarterly reports** on Council's climate initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support facilitation of **community planting** on private and public land? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support mandatory **deep soil zones and tree planting** on new developments? \*

Deep soil areas allow planting of deep-rooted trees, not just shrubs and ground-covers.

Yes

No

Other:

I think it would be subject to the health of the soil and what kind of underground infrastructure is pre-existing/what kind of effects it would have on the amenities of existing above-ground developments. But I'd support mandatory deep soil zones perhaps to be within a certain distance from new developments. Particularly if there is one existing already that could be expanded upon.

Do you support implementation of a tree register to **protect significant trees**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support new public parks to ensure **equitable access to open space**? \*

Yes

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Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other:

I think I would need some more context on where and for what purpose the expansion would serve, but generally I am pro not against.  
.....

## Eliminate Emissions

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Yes

No

Other: .....



Do you support acceleration of the transition to electric vehicles by facilitating **public and private EV charging**? \*

Yes

No

Other:

I think that at this stage, EV's are not financially accessible to most people, and that EV infrastructure should be installed at a similar pace to the rate of EV availability to everyday people.

Do you support reduction of committed emissions through zero carbon **standards for new building developments**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **electrification of the Council fleet** with all new Council vehicles 100% electric? \*

Yes

No

Other: I would want to get some costings on this before I support it.

Do you support **installation of solar panels on Council buildings** to achieve 100% local electricity generation? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support development of a **community battery program** to harness off-grid solar? \*

Yes

No

Other:

I have heard mixed opinions from the community I am aiming to represent, so I would like to do more consultation before supporting this.  
.....

Do you support **decommissioning gas connections** in Council buildings? \*

Yes

No

Other:

I support the transition to gas-free council buildings but understand this takes time and money, so in effect I do but I understand it is not straightforward.  
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## Reduce Waste

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you commit to **reduce waste to landfill by 75%** via FOGO diversion, container deposit location expansion and education? \*

Yes

No

Other:

I think it will take a lot more than these initiatives to reduce waste to landfill by 75%. But I commit to making every effort, including finding ways to better incentivise the community to be more diligent. ....

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Do you support the integration of **coastal hazard and flood risk assessment** into the planning scheme and infrastructure investment? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support integration of **active transport, local community facilities and tree canopy** into urban renewal projects? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support reduction of car dependence by **improving public transport, walking and bike riding routes**? \*

Yes

No

Other:

Only to the degree that it does not push those who do drive into parking distances away from their home that poses a safety risk AND only, following consultation, if the affected community is supportive of the decision. But generally - very happy to support PT, walking and bike routes to improve connectivity, mobility and health.

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Do you support ethical investment of Council money, **divesting from fossil fuels, gambling, and tobacco?** \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support consideration of **climate impact** in all procurement and purchasing? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

### Your top priorities if elected

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

Action 1? \*

Implementing the Port Phillip Climate Emergency Plan .....

Action 2? \*

Looking at ways to improve/incentivise the energy efficiency of new and existing infrastructure. ....

**Action 3? \***

Researching the best and most suitable flooding and drainage failure mitigation strategies for Port Phillip.

**Anything else you'd like to add?**

As a disaster relief volunteer, I see the impacts of climate change and how broken and helpless it can leave communities when they are not prepared, and homes not built to survive such extreme climate impacts. I am committed to supporting initiatives that are smart and effective when it comes to climate change preparedness.

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Name? \*

Rachel Iampolski

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

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Other: .....

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Yes

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Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

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- No
- Other: .....

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- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

### Your top priorities if elected

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

#### Action 1? \*

Maximise how effectively we are using our critical street spaces to fight climate change (including urban heat island and floods), with a focus on increased tree-canopy and planting for biodiversity corridors (including on reclaimed road space, such as on Marysville Street for example), integrating water sensitive urban design features that can also double as traffic calming measures, and enabling residents to plant verge gardens on their nature strip. Our street spaces can be working much harder to mitigate the climate emergency, and it is the role of Council to enable this through a policy re-think.

Action 2? \*

Support a community battery program, and a solar-bulk buying program for residents, with priority given to renters and people living in apartments that are unable to install these themselves

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Action 3? \*

Advocate for zero carbon standards for new building developments, and an increase in the minimum Environmentally Sustainable Design (ESD) standards for new builds.

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Anything else you'd like to add?

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Name? \*

Josie Foster

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

- Alma Ward
- Balaclava Ward
- Elwood Ward
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- Other: Tomorrow Movement.....

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Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....



Do you support **funding the EcoCentre's core operations and supporting community education** and collaboration on Council initiatives? \*

Yes

No

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No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

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Yes

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Other: .....

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No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....



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- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support consideration of **climate impact** in all procurement and purchasing? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

**Your top priorities if elected**

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

**Action 1? \***

Look for all the opportunities to plant endemic plants and trees and increase biodiversity in the area, for both private and public land.  
.....

**Action 2? \***

Work to improve active transport through improvements to road safety with more pedestrian crossings and safer bike lanes.  
.....

Action 3? \*

Find ways to help support renters as well as home owners transition their homes to solar and away from gas through bulk buying and community grants or other initiatives.

Anything else you'd like to add?

Climate change is a huge threat but also an opportunity to change and improve our city and improve our health and well-being and increase biodiversity.

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Sally Gibson

Email address? \*

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- Yes
- No
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**Your top priorities if elected**

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

**Action 1? \***

Commencement of a Climate Emergency Plan to support council's Climate Emergency Declaration. ....

**Action 2? \***

Establishment of a Community Reference Group which should be in receipt of quarterly council reports on progress against a Climate Emergency Plan .....

**Action 3? \***

Establishment of an Energy Grants Program to accelerate community take up of renewable sources

**Anything else you'd like to add?**

Priorities for action should be those most likely to reduce greenhouse gases the most and the quickest. Ensure alignment with relevant State plan. Coastal risks and flooding need to be embedded in the planning scheme and infrastructure. There is no time to waste and the sense of urgency which is palpable in all UNFCCC communications needs to be apparent in council communications and work plans and not be downplayed.

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Libby Buckingham

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

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Do you support establishment of a representative **Community Reference Group** to inform and advise Council on climate issues? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support establishment of **Community Energy Grants Program**, targeting solar panel installation and household electrification? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support production of **quarterly reports** on Council's climate initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **funding the EcoCentre's core operations and supporting community education** and collaboration on Council initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support use of a data-driven approach to **prioritise areas of greatest need**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support facilitation of **community planting** on private and public land? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support mandatory **deep soil zones and tree planting** on new developments? \*

Deep soil areas allow planting of deep-rooted trees, not just shrubs and ground-covers.

Yes

No

Other: I support deep soil zones but recognise that it may not always be possible. ....

Do you support implementation of a tree register to **protect significant trees**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support new public parks to ensure **equitable access to open space**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

### Water-Sensitive City

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support expansion of **permeable surfaces** to reduce water run-off? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

### Eliminate Emissions

Decarbonisation requires action from each sector of Port Phillip.

Do you support council brokering **power purchase agreements** for residential, commercial and industry sectors? \*

Yes

No

Other: I would need more information to form my position .....



Do you support acceleration of the transition to electric vehicles by facilitating **public and private EV charging**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support reduction of committed emissions through zero carbon **standards for new building developments**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **electrification of the Council fleet** with all new Council vehicles 100% electric? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **installation of solar panels on Council buildings** to achieve 100% local electricity generation? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support development of a **community battery program** to harness off-grid solar? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support **decommissioning gas connections** in Council buildings? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

### Reduce Waste

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you commit to **reduce waste to landfill by 75%** via FOGO diversion, container deposit location expansion and education? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

### Adaptive and Resilient City

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Do you support the integration of **coastal hazard and flood risk assessment** into the planning scheme and infrastructure investment? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support integration of **active transport, local community facilities and tree canopy** into urban renewal projects? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support reduction of car dependence by **improving public transport, walking and bike riding routes**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support ethical investment of Council money, **divesting from fossil fuels, gambling, and tobacco?** \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support consideration of **climate impact** in all procurement and purchasing? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

**Your top priorities if elected**

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

**Action 1? \***

Establish a Community Representative Group to inform and advise Council on climate and social issues .....

**Action 2? \***

Support businesses, residents and community groups to adopt circular economy practices .....

Action 3? \*

Explore and adopt flood mitigation strategies and address drainage issues

Anything else you'd like to add?

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## Candidate details

Who are you, where are you standing, and what are your political and community organisation affiliations?

Name? \*

Peter Martin

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

- Alma Ward
- Balaclava Ward
- Elwood Ward
- Lakeside Ward
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Do you support establishment of a representative **Community Reference Group** to inform and advise Council on climate issues? \*

Yes

No

Other:

CoPP currently receives regular advice and information from groups such as PPP and PECAN and I welcome this support as these groups continue to provide valuable advice and support to Councillors and Council officers. The governance issues involved in selecting and supporting a "representative Community Reference Group" would involve considerable time and attention. If such a group was established, there would be a very strong case to establish similar groups in areas such as Housing and Disability Support. My view is that maintaining and improving Council's current relationship with PECAN would be a more effective strategy in informing and advising Council on climate issues.

Do you support establishment of **Community Energy Grants Program**, targeting solar panel installation and household electrification? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support production of **quarterly reports** on Council's climate initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **funding the EcoCentre's core operations and supporting community education** and collaboration on Council initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

### Cool, Green and Livable

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support use of a data-driven approach to **prioritise areas of greatest need**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support facilitation of **community planting** on private and public land? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support mandatory **deep soil zones and tree planting** on new developments? \*

Deep soil areas allow planting of deep-rooted trees, not just shrubs and ground-covers.

Yes

No

Other:

While this would be a great initiative in most developments, there may be difficulties in implementing this in some small footprint social and community housing initiatives

Do you support implementation of a tree register to **protect significant trees**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support new public parks to ensure **equitable access to open space**? \*

Yes

No

Other:

This is a loaded question. Taken literally, it would commit Council to establishing Murphy Reserve and Elwood Reserve sized green spaces in all other wards. There certainly needs to be additional open space in those wards that are currently under-resourced but how "equitable" is defined would impact on how this would be implemented

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Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support expansion of **permeable surfaces** to reduce water run-off? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

### Eliminate Emissions

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support acceleration of the transition to electric vehicles by facilitating **public and private EV charging**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support reduction of committed emissions through zero carbon **standards for new building developments**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **electrification of the Council fleet** with all new Council vehicles 100% electric? \*

Yes

No

Other:

Certainly all new cars and small trucks should be electric vehicles but there may be exceptions with some of the large industrial style vehicles (Graders etc) that Council uses .....

Do you support **installation of solar panels on Council buildings** to achieve 100% local electricity generation? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support development of a **community battery program** to harness off-grid solar? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **decommissioning gas connections** in Council buildings? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

### Reduce Waste

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Circular economy practices include reduction, reuse and recycling of materials.

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you commit to **reduce waste to landfill by 75%** via FOGO diversion, container deposit location expansion and education? \*

Yes

No

Other: If there is no timeline attached, then the answer is obviously YES.

### Adaptive and Resilient City

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Yes

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support ethical investment of Council money, **divesting from fossil fuels, gambling, and tobacco?** \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support consideration of **climate impact** in all procurement and purchasing? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

**Your top priorities if elected**

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

**Action 1? \***

Ask Officers to develop specific attainable targets for all initiatives in the Climate Emergency Action Plan and then put these tragets out to a public consultation .....

**Action 2? \***

Ask Officers to develpp a fully costed, more ambitious version of the Urban Forest Strategy and put this out to public consultation .....

**Action 3? \***

Seek to commit Council to a minimum five year full membership of SECCCA so that CoPP can work with its neighbouring Councils to access economies of scale in implementing Climate Action initiatives.

**Anything else you'd like to add?**

Unless the electors in Port Phillip select a majority of Councillors that are committed to implementing climate action initiatives, Port Phillip will continue to lag behind several of its more progressive neighbours in addressing global warming.

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## Candidate details

Who are you, where are you standing, and what are your political and community organisation affiliations?

Name? \*

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Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

- Alma Ward
- Balaclava Ward
- Elwood Ward
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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support production of **quarterly reports** on Council's climate initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....



Do you support **funding the EcoCentre's core operations and supporting community education** and collaboration on Council initiatives? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

### Cool, Green and Livable

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support use of a data-driven approach to **prioritise areas of greatest need**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support facilitation of **community planting** on private and public land? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: Yes - although I think there must be consultation and agreement

Do you support mandatory **deep soil zones and tree planting** on new developments? \*

Deep soil areas allow planting of deep-rooted trees, not just shrubs and ground-covers.

- Yes
- No
- Other:  
Yes - of the right type of trees with consideration of existing buildings and infrastructure to prevent tree roots causing damage in longer term

Do you support implementation of a tree register to **protect significant trees**? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you support new public parks to ensure **equitable access to open space**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

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No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

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Yes

No

Other: .....

### Eliminate Emissions

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **electrification of the Council fleet** with all new Council vehicles 100% electric? \*

Yes

No

Other: Yes - as long as the investment case and ROI makes sense too .....

Do you support **installation of solar panels on Council buildings** to achieve 100% local electricity generation? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support development of a **community battery program** to harness off-grid solar? \*

Yes

No

Other: Yes - after taking into account budget considerations

Do you support **decommissioning gas connections** in Council buildings? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

## Reduce Waste

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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No

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support integration of **active transport, local community facilities and tree canopy** \* into urban renewal projects?

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support reduction of car dependence by **improving public transport, walking and bike riding routes** \*?

Yes

No

Other: .....



Do you support ethical investment of Council money, **divesting from fossil fuels, gambling, and tobacco?** \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support consideration of **climate impact** in all procurement and purchasing? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

### Your top priorities if elected

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

Action 1? \*

Support local climate action - expand car share spaces and EV charging stations .....

Action 2? \*

Focus on cleaner, greener streets and the sustainable groups who are working hard to make it happen .....

**Action 3? \***

Innovate to reduce, reuse and recycle waste

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**Anything else you'd like to add?**

Thank you for providing this survey - I appreciate the opportunity to participate as a candidate and recognise that the context around these situations may be different with the information available to me once on Council.

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Name? \*

Ivy Pierlot

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

- Alma Ward
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- Elwood Ward
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Other: .....

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No

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No

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Other: .....

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- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

Do you support consideration of **climate impact** in all procurement and purchasing? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

**Your top priorities if elected**

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

**Action 1? \***

Eliminate all dependence of council buildings on fossil fuels .....

**Action 2? \***

Negotiate a scheme for sustainable and environmentally friendly power .....

Action 3? \*

Build more EV chargers

Anything else you'd like to add?

advocating to the state government for more accessible public transport should be implied but is less of an action

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## Candidate details

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Name? \*

Liliana Carranza

Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

- Alma Ward
- Balaclava Ward
- Elwood Ward
- Lakeside Ward
- St Kilda Ward
- Albert Park Ward
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- Other: Yalukit Willam nature reserve tree planting

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- No

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Yes

No

Other: Yes! With a strong focus on endemic species .....

Do you support use of a data-driven approach to **prioritise areas of greatest need**? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

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No

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support expansion of **permeable surfaces** to reduce water run-off? \*

Yes

No

Other:

Yes!! So much exciting stuff we could do in this space to move away from concrete while maintaining accessibility of our streets  
.....

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Yes

No

Other: .....



Do you support acceleration of the transition to electric vehicles by facilitating **public and private EV charging**? \*

Yes

No

Other:

Yes, this is something residents have directly told me they want to see with a focus on fast charging & not brand specific stations

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Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **electrification of the Council fleet** with all new Council vehicles 100% electric? \*

Yes

No

Other: .....

Do you support **installation of solar panels on Council buildings** to achieve 100% local electricity generation? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: YES so much roof space that could be utilised!!

Do you support development of a **community battery program** to harness off-grid solar? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you support **decommissioning gas connections** in Council buildings? \*

- Yes
- No
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### Reduce Waste

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Yes

No

Other:

Yes, this is what I work in and especially in Elwood where lots of people have a regular coffee shop they get takeaway from we could easily move away from single use items.

Do you commit to **reduce waste to landfill by 75%** via FOGO diversion, container deposit location expansion and education? \*

Yes

No

Other:

Yes!! I love CDS return scheme. We need better education for residents on bin systems, our community is a clever bunch who want to do the right thing but there is a lot of confusing information in the waste sphere and council has a roll to play in making this easier for residents to do the right thing.

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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Yes

No

Other: .....

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- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

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- Yes
- No
- Other: .....

### Your top priorities if elected

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

Action 1? \*

Planting of greater tree canopy across port Phillip prioritising endemic species .....

Action 2? \*

More efficient waste management systems and information for residents including more CDS return spots, FOGO rollout for businesses, better education on recycling and fogo .....

**Action 3? \***

Advocate for better canal management: more litter traps w more frequent emptying, more info for residents about canal management, better upstream management & education

**Anything else you'd like to add?**

So sorry this is late, I filled it out but must not have submitted it. Thank you so much for this work I love every idea in this form.

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Name? \*

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Email address? \*

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Your ward? \*

- Alma Ward
- Balaclava Ward
- Elwood Ward
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- Yes
- No

Party and organisation endorsement

Which political party or organisation are you endorsed by? \*

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- Liberal Party
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Only if it is practical and beneficial. Council can use its balance sheet and investments to push for other entities to do more and I think this approach can be more effective than financial boycotts. Council needs a more comprehensive ethical investment framework.

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### Your top priorities if elected

If you are elected, what will be your first three climate actions on Council.

Action 1? \*

Greater tree and understory planting

Action 2? \*

Setting targets for Council emissions to go beyond net zero into carbon negative territory. We are net zero now and can go further!

Action 3? \*

Better transparency, accountability and governance of climate and sustainability programs

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**Your top priorities if elected**

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Greening streets .....

Action 2? \*

Charging stations .....

Action 3? \*

Reducing waist

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