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**PACKER,
Evan**

My vision for our Bayside community is to ensure the voices of residents and businesses are listened to and acted upon. As a Bayside resident for nearly 50 years, I grew up here, was schooled here, worked here and raised my family here. I am well acquainted with Bayside's many unique qualities, which must be maintained and enhanced to ensure it remains a great place to live and work. Community wellbeing is about realising the aspirations and needs of residents. Development and growth are important for us, but should never compromise the health of our community and environment. The heritage elements of our community need to be supported through considered appropriate development. Our vibrant shopping precincts need improvement including appropriate parking, transport and community amenities. Bayside facilities and services including parks, reserves and sport grounds need to be improved for the benefit of all users. I have a background in corporate management and retailing. I am not affiliated with any political party or single interest group, and believe I can bring an independent, open-minded and impartial approach to matters requiring Council contribution or decisions. Let us make Bayside a better place for residents and businesses.

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**HARDIMAN,
Sue**

I have always taken a keen interest in my community and for the past 25 years have been an active volunteer with Very Special Kids and do biographies for palliative care patients at Cabrini. I have also given my time to a number of charities including serving meals to disadvantaged people on Christmas Day. As a resident of Highett, I take a keen interest in Bayside Council matters and frequently attend Council meetings. I will be your voice for the Bayside community and believe some councillors have failed to be an adequate conduit of information for residents. I will be an active sounding board for you to air your issues and will commit to carrying them back to Council for information and resolution. Contentious matters include: Council transparency in all matters; Lack of adequate and open reporting of revenue and expenditure by Council; Residents not being kept fully informed of new and/or existing projects; Council putting developers first to the detriment of residents; New development projects being given priority over urgent needs; Lack of adequate parking at the stations and traffic management; Supporting local business; Rates is an issue that affects everyone 0413308964 suehardiman@optusnet.com.au Facebook: Sue Hardiman

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**GRINTER,
Rob**

Your common sense, progressive voice on Council. Honoured to stand for Central Ward, I am a resident and local business owner, family focussed and married with two teenage children. A vote for Rob Grinter is a vote for fiscal responsibility, achieving and maintaining zero council debt, improved infrastructure, advocacy for better public transport and parking, protection of Bayside's neighbourhood character, upgrading of sporting facilities to keep Bayside families healthy and engaged in the community, better libraries and improved services for our senior citizens and community volunteer network. I am an active member in the local community and a passionate supporter of local issues. I served as Hampton Street Traders President for 4 years, am a Hampton Rotarian and member of the Bayside 2025 Reference Committee. I believe in local charity, organising the 'How Far Can You Run' event to raise funds for the Will Murray Foundation. Through my various roles I am well versed in Council operations and believe in bringing a common sense voice to council to build a better Bayside for tomorrow. I promise you will not find a more down to earth candidate ready to provide meaningful change for Bayside. Email: Grinter4Bayside@gmail.com Mobile: 0467 889 496

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**PONTIKIS,
Harry**

I would like to be your independent and impartial representative on council without any allegiances to, or influence from political parties. My only focus would be to make decisions that benefit our community through listening and responding to the residents of Central Ward. Our two young children, my wife and I, fully appreciate how lucky we are living in Bayside as we have experienced life in other localities. Preserving the family-friendly amenities of the area, connecting residents to enhance the sense of belonging and building on all which is beautiful in Bayside are my priorities. I am self-employed, have tertiary qualifications across numerous disciplines including management and finance and am well qualified to represent the needs of residents. My only allegiance is to the people of Bayside. Let's talk - 0431 603 450 or email me on hpontikis@hotmail.com

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**CASTELLI,
Sonia**

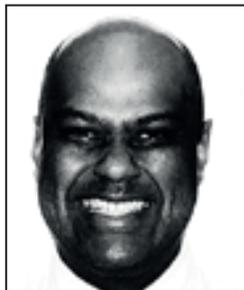
I need your support to do what is needed for Bayside. I am a long term resident living in the ward and a mother of three adult children. I am a qualified registered nurse and past financial advisor. I am independent. If elected I will advocate more Council funds directed towards families. We need more childcare centres and kindergartens. I will fight against the closure of the Hampton Library. I will fight inappropriate development to keep our shopping centres low rise and protect our leafy residential streets from overdevelopment. Safety and welfare of residents is important to all of us. I will stand up to the need of our local businesses. I will argue for the efficient use of rate revenues to allocate funds to the effective maintenance and sharing of public facilities, predominantly our beaches, sporting grounds and parks, to build a cleaner and safer Bayside. Council must actively support our traders and ensure the provision of quality services to the elderly. My recommendation regarding my preferences are: 1. Sonia Castelli: 2. James Long (the incumbent Mayor) 3. Hana Hartney 4. Zac Bassanetti with no particular order 5 to 14 for other candidates

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**CENSOR,
Alex**

Alex Censor is standing for Bayside Council to maintain and improve the amenity of the area, while still keeping the Village feel. I have lived and worked in Bayside for 30 years and I have considerable small business experience. I will consult with you and will listen to your needs and aspirations. I will bring new energy to Bayside Council. My focus areas include seeking to alleviate car parking and traffic congestion, ensuring the effective use of open space of a grassy woodland on the former CSIRO site, the establishment of more women's sporting facilities, improved tree vegetation and coastal nourishment of our magnificent beaches, reviewing and upgrading infrastructure, ensuring that Council remains strident in monitoring all operational costs, turning the Masonic Centre (Abbott St) into a historical precinct, respecting the cenotaph precinct at Green Point, supporting local clubs and community safety programs, investing in community kindergartens and ensuring effective CCTV surveillance to prevent crime, graffiti and anti-social behaviour. I have the time, ability, energy and passion to represent you on Bayside Council, so a vote for Alex Censor will be a vote for a better Bayside Council. Please feel free to contact me on 0418 395 300.



**MAILLARD,
Clifford**

As a community minded resident of Bayside I will be active in setting the strategic direction of council around services and infrastructure. I support the retention of the Sandringham athletics track at its present location and will support the construction of a 1st class netball complex in an alternative appropriate location to service the future growth and demand for netball facilities within the electorate. I support the rail under road option for the level crossing removal projects for Charman rd and Park rd rail level crossing, and will support any proposals to increase the number of rail commuter parking spots near train stations within the Bayside electorate. I will also advocate upgrades to Park rd Cheltenham to better support the movements of B double trucks as it is a major truck route from Nepean hwy to the Sandringham industrial area. My experience in volunteering as a host to provide respite care for families with children with disabilities ensures I will advocate and push for Bayside to be more inclusive for all people. If elected I will respect and actively listen to the views of the community with a careful, well considered consultative approach. Information Facebook Cliff 4 Bayside council 2016



**LONG,
James**

James Long BM JP: "As the current Mayor, I would like to thank the community for their continued support since being elected to council in 2005. I will continue to offer strong leadership, vision, commitment and independence by resisting political interference if re-elected. I will continue to listen to your concerns working to find solutions that deliver the best outcomes for the community. I believe in making decisions fairly with integrity, respect and compassion. In uncertain times, experience and proven results count! I will continue to protect ratepayers from: unsound financial management, waste and inefficiency. I oppose inappropriate development but support planning applications which enhance our residential amenity. Protection of foreshore and environment is paramount. I will advocate for more funding for aged services, arts, mental health, libraries, and child care, recycling and parks maintenance. Better parking, support to traders and the local economy, improved public transport, greater police presence, graffiti removal and replacing deteriorating infrastructure is essential." For a united team of committed, dedicated and vocal representatives my preferences are 1. James Long 2. Hana Hartney 3. Zach Bassanetti 4. Sonia Castelli 5. Pauline Taylor, Thereafter 6 -14 no particular order. Be Strong: Vote Long; Contact James Long on 0468 476 156



**LE PAGE,
Stephen**

For a future Bayside life to be all it should be, I ask respectfully that you vote for me. With a lifetimes global experience and capability, as a CEO for the private sector and government, with management skills and creativity, I can contribute much to this city by the sea. I am well acquainted with community views and aspirations, and Bayside Tourism Network, Bayside Healthy Ageing Reference Group, Indian Myna Action Group, University of the Third Age and Highett Seniors Club are community groups where I've contributed for years. Parking, traffic, and rubbish collection are problems now-- but what will they be like in 2020? We must tackle them head-on, right now. Arts and culture have withered and there's imagining and creative new avenues to encourage, and healthy ageing needs more attention too! Over-development threatens our suburbs, beaches and greenery; changing this, enhancing our resources will be a priority. Developers rule -- changing our lives. Council seems powerless and unwilling to do development better. Much can be done by new councillors with new strategies and new energy. Visit my web-site --you'll see what I bring: [www. BotanicaBayside.com](http://www.BotanicaBayside.com) On email, I will be listening for you: lepageco@ozemail.com.au



**HARTNEY,
Hana**

My family and I have lived in Bayside for over 28 years. It is such a terrific place to live. For the last 20 years I have volunteered for our local charities. The following are some of the reasons I want to represent you: We need to ensure that every new development has sufficient off-street parking. We need to support our local businesses that bring not only jobs and wealth but vibrancy to our community. More infrastructure is required to support people wanting to drive and leave their cars near railway stations. Neighbourhood watch in our area needs to be resuscitated. I will lobby hard with the Victorian government and others to bring this marvellous volunteer organisation back to its former glory. I want to see more police visible in and around our municipality. I firmly believe we need to go back to the way hard rubbish used to be collected and not on demand leaving our streets looking shabby. To keep diversity in Bayside we need to support not only the sports but the arts, hobby groups and neighbourhood houses. For a strong local team: Vote 1 - Hana Hartney. Vote 2 - James Long. Vote 3 - Zach Bassanetti.



**BASSANETTI,
Zach**

My name is Zach Bassanetti, I am a long-term resident and small business owner who is passionate about the local community and the future of Bayside. I am standing as a candidate because I believe Council has an obligation to look out for the best interests of all residents, and to respect the unique needs of this community. The family-friendly atmosphere is the driving reason people want to live in Bayside, however this is increasingly threatened by inappropriate development. If elected, it would be my number one priority to safeguard the enviable lifestyle we enjoy in Bayside. Whilst rate capping in 2016/ 17 will provide welcome relief for residents, it is imperative that Council works hard to deliver a high standard of services for our community. In order to achieve this, responsible financial management of every rate-payers dollar is essential. If inappropriate development, quality local services and responsible spending matter to you, let your voice be heard and make a real difference. Vote 1. Bassanetti 2. Long 3. Hartney 4. Castelli 5. Taylor.



**TAYLOR,
Pauline**

I am living in central ward; I run my interior design business from home. I am an independent with no association to lobby groups or parties. Council must place residents first by consulting us. I want to protect our unique Bayside character with protection of our foreshore, residential streets and neighbourhoods. Bayside must not be overbuilt by high rise development. I have just moved close to the athletics track and we are very concerned about the proposed Thomas Street netball hub. Our amenity will be destroyed if this goes ahead. The noise, traffic and bright lights will make resident's life a misery. I support sport but it should be in the right location. I would also like Council to provide more social workers for people with mental health issues who need all the support they can get. If elected I will consult residents on all issues. Parking problems need to fixed! It is vital that our Council is run efficiently with finances under control. I thank you for your support. My preferences are: 1. Pauline Taylor: 2. James Long 3. Hana Hartney 4. Zach Bassanetti 5. Sonia Castelli.

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**NOVACCO,
Peter**

As a Hampton local, I'm running for council because I'm passionate about working with the community to ensure Bayside reaches its full potential. Living in Bayside is a privilege - from the open spaces of Dendy Park and Brighton Beach to the activity of Bay Street - there's plenty to enjoy and preserve here. I'm standing as a Greens endorsed candidate because I believe in community development that's prosperous and sustainable. My experiences as an urban planner and police officer means I understand the community from multiple perspectives, and I'll use my skills in planning to make decisions that put community interests first. If elected, I'll support appropriate, sustainable development in Bayside, push to improve road safety for everyone and act to protect our natural spaces from climate change and population growth. Get in touch on Peter.Novacco@vic.greens.org.au or 0438 177 164 and vote [1] Peter Novacco for a strong voice in the community.

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**LOWE,
Bruce**

I consider it a privilege to live in Bayside and am grateful to live in such a wonderful part of the world, by the beach, with excellent facilities and a supportive community. I don't take the lifestyle we enjoy for granted and am passionate and committed to giving back, by ensuring Bayside remains a vibrant, livable and family oriented municipality. Having worked for 17 years as a member of the Victorian Police and acting as a consultant to numerous municipal councils over the past 15 years, I have extensive experience in town planning, local law, planning enforcement and investigation. This experience has provided me with a wealth of knowledge that supports a common sense, unbiased and practical approach to decision making. I will work tirelessly to ensure that council funds and energy are spent wisely on the things that are important to Bayside residents. This includes upgrading sporting facilities for junior clubs, parklands and early learning centres. I will provide you with a voice to enable you to be heard regarding any matter. I have been married for 30 years, have two adult children and am expecting my first Grandchild in March next year.