

Part C - Candidate information sheet

Note: The *Local Government Act 1993* requires all candidates to complete a Candidate Information Sheet (CIS) in the form of a statutory declaration as part of their nomination. The NSW Electoral Commission is required to publish the content of the Candidate Information Sheet on the NSW Electoral Commission website and to make the CIS available for inspection at the Returning Officer's office and polling places. Candidate information must be written clearly or typed on this form. The CIS will be displayed as received by the Returning Officer. Attachments to this form will not be accepted.

Section 1: Compulsory (you must complete all fields in Section 1)

TORSTEN BLACKWOOD

CANDIDATE'S FULL NAME

BELLEVUE HILL

SUBURB, TOWN OR OTHER LOCALITY OF THE CANDIDATE'S ENROLLED ADDRESS

Residents First Woollahra Independents

MEMBER OF ANY REGISTERED POLITICAL PARTY AND THE NAME OF THE PARTY (insert "nil" if not applicable)

Residential Roll

ENROLMENT QUALIFICATION (insert "Residential roll" or "Non-Residential roll" or "Roll of occupiers/rate paying lessees")

I am a property developer I am not a property developer (tick one box only)

Note: 'property developer' has the meaning of Division 7 of Part 3 of the *Electoral Funding Act 2018* and includes a person who is a close associate of a property developer.

Section 2: Optional (you may complete none, some or all of Section 2)

B.Sc.Architecture U.N.S.W.

QUALIFICATIONS (ACADEMIC/TRADE/PROFESSIONAL)

Retired

EMPLOYMENT

Cooper Park Community Garden

MEMBERSHIP OF ORGANISATION(S)

I have been nominated as a candidate by the following registered political party (insert "nil" if not applicable)

Residents First Woollahra Independents

19 /03 /1959

DATE OF BIRTH

Other information relating to my experience, ability and aptitude to hold civic office:
(may include statements of beliefs and policies - all information must be restricted to the space provided below).

I am a long-term resident of Woollahra having grown up in Double Bay and lived in Bellevue Hill for the past 15 years. With a background in architecture, I have campaigned strongly against overdevelopment and the need for new buildings to be sympathetic to the local streetscapes. To spearhead the regeneration of Cooper Park North, I co-founded, designed and built the popular Cooper Park Community Garden in 2018 of which I am still the president. As a life long professional photographer, I have always been a keen supporter of local arts and culture. I want to make Woollahra a cleaner, greener and safer environment for future generations to thrive in.