

Manningham City Council

Summary of Personal Interests Returns March 2025

The Local Government Act 2020 (Act) and the Local Government (Governance and Integrity) Regulations 2020 (the regulations) require that a summary of information submitted in Personal Interests Returns be made available to the public.

The Chief Executive Officer must prepare a summary of the personal interests disclosed in the last personal interests return lodged. This summary must be made available on Council's website and available for inspection at Council's office.

The following provides the categories under which all details must be disclosed on a Personal Interests Return form as required under section 8 of the Regulations. This also provides a key to the following summary table.

1. Any corporation of which the person is a director or member of the governing body.
2. Any unincorporated association in which the person is a member and performs a leadership role.
3. Any business partnership or joint venture of which the person is a member.
4. Any trust that the Councillor person is a trustee or a beneficiary of.
5. Any paid employment of the person – limits apply.
6. Any person or body for whom the person is currently or has acted as, a consultant, contractor or agent.
7. Any land the person owns or has a beneficial interest in within the municipality or an adjoining municipality.
8. Any shares the person owns or has have a beneficial interest in - limits apply.
9. Any company which the person solely, or jointly with any family members and holds a controlling interest.
10. Any personal debt of the person exceeding \$10,000 other than with a banking or financial institution.
11. Gifts received
12. Any other interests the person has decided to disclose which may give rise to a general or material conflict of interest.

Name	Position	Date Lodged	Type of Return	Summary of Disclosures
Peter BAIN	Councillor	28/03/2025	Biannual	Category 1 - Plenty Valley Christian Education Ltd, Company Secretary, K-12 Education Category 2 to 3 - Nil Category 4 - The Trustee for Bain Family Superannuation Fund, Various assets held, Family Superannuation Fund Category 5 - Plenty Valley Christian Education Category 6 - Nil Category 7 - Donvale, Principle Place of Residence, Owner Category 8 to 12 - Nil
Anna CHEN	Councillor	4/03/2025	Biannual	Category 1 - Nil Category 2 - Metropolitan Transport Forum; Executive General Member; Monthly meetings to discuss transport related issues Category 3 to 6 - Nil Category 7 - Doncaster East; Principle Place of Residence; Joint Tenant Category 8 to 11 - Nil Category 12 - Auki Legal - Sole Proprietor
Andrew CONLON	Deputy Mayor, Councillor	29/03/2025	Biannual	Category 1 - Vikand Consulting Pty Ltd; Director; Operates online book retailer Trustee for Vikand Trust and Vikand Consulting Superannuation Fund Option Opportunity Fund Pty Ltd; Director; Trades in shares Conlon Securities Pty Ltd; Director; Holds Investments Nolnoc Investments Pty Ltd; Director; Trustee for A & V Conlon Family Trust Whitehorse Manningham Regional Library Corporation; Board member; Manages Council owned libraries of Manningham and Whitehorse Cities Category 2 to 3 - Nil Category 4 - Vikand Trust; Cash, shares; Operating business - book retailer A & V Conlon Family Trust - Shares - Investment Vikand Consulting Superannuation Fund; Cash, shares - Superannuation Fund Category 5 - Adventist Schools Victoria (Nunawading Christian College) Category 6 to 8 - Nil Category 9 - Vikand Consulting Pty Ltd - Operates book retailer; Trustee for both Vikand Trust and Vikand Consulting; Superannuation fund Option Opportunity Fund Pty Ltd ; Trades in shares Conlon Securities Pty Ltd; Holds investments Nolnoc Investments Pty Ltd; Trustee for A & V Conlon Family Trust Category 10 to 12 - Nil
Deirdre DIAMANTE	Mayor, Councillor	28/03/2025	Biannual	Category 1 - Assure Consulting Pty Ltd; Director and Secretary; Operating Business providing Procurement Consulting, Project Management and Tender Support Services. Beneficial ownership of entity is the Diamante Family Trust AVZATH Pty Ltd; Director and Secretary; Corporate Trustee for SMSF and Family Trust Manningham Community Enterprises Limited; Director; Owner and Operator of the Doncaster East and Templestowe Village Bendigo Bank Community Branches

				Foundation for Volunteer First Responders Pty Ltd; Director and Company Secretary; Fundraising for the Manningham State Emergency Service Category 2 to 3 - Nil Category 4 - Diamante Family Trust; Physical Property, cash and share investments in ASX and owner of Pty Ltd Companies; Wealth Creation Vehicle M & D Diamante Super Fund; Cash and shares listed on ASX; Superannuation Accumulation vehicle Category 5 - Assure Consulting Pty Ltd Category 6 - Warrnambool City Council; Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action; Safe Transport Victoria; KP Pharma Limited Category 7 - Templestowe, Primary residence, Joint Owner with Spouse; Category 8 - M.I.A. Consulting Services Pty Ltd; MD Pharma Group Pty Ltd; KP Pharma Pty Ltd. Category 9 - Assure Consulting Pty Ltd ; Operating business that provides procurement consulting, project management and government engagement services MD Pharma Group Pty Ltd; It is an operating business looking to market and distribute pharmaceutical products and services which my spouse is involved in KP Pharma Pty Ltd; It is a wholesale and online retail operating business looking to which my spouse is involved in Category 10 - Nil Category 11 - Nil Category 12 - Member of the Advisory Board of the TechDiversity Foundation; Member of the Board for the Foundation for Volunteer First Responders Pty Ltd
Geoffrey GOUGH	Councillor	25/03/2025	Biannual	Category 1 - MRM Group Australia Pty Ltd; Director; Engineering Civil / Structural Category 2 to 4 - Nil Category 5 - Various Schools Category 6 - Nil Category 7 - Templestower Lower, principle place of residence, Owner Category 8 - National Australia Bank Category 9 to 12 - Nil
Jim GRIVAS	Councillor	26/03/2025	Biannual	Category 1 - Nil Category 2 - Pantrifilian Association of Melb and Vic, Treasurer, Community group; Federation of Messinian Organisations of Melb and Vic, President, Community group; Melbourne Phone Cabs Association Inc, Treasurer, Business Membership group; Organisation Committee for Commemoration of the Greek National Day, Executive Committee Member, Promote the Greek National Day Commemoration Events; Liberal Party Bulleen SEC Category 3 - Nil Category 4 - The Trustee of the Filiatra Trust, Discretionary Share Trust, Family Business; The Trustee of the Just 2 Guys Unit Trust, Unit Share Trust, Family Business Category 5 - Australian Taxation Office Category 6 - Nil Category 7 - Bulleen, Investment, Own; Donvale, Principal Place of Residence Category 8 - Telstra Corporation; Ethereum, Fantor, Stellar Lumens, Dogecoin, XRP, Ethereum Classic, SHIBA INU, Dent, DigiByte, Verge, BitTorrent Category 9 - Nil Category 10 - Nil Category 11 to 12 - Nil
Isabella ELTAHA	Councillor	19/03/2025	Biannual	Category 1 to 4 - Nil Category 5 - Rainspark Capital Pty Ltd Category 6 - Nil Category 7 - Donvale, Place of Residence, Owner Category 8 to 9 - Nil Category 10 - Nil Category 11 - Nil Category 12 - I wanted to note that my husband is employed by McCorkell Construction which has tendered / may in the future tender for council projects.
Carli LANGE	Councillor	18/03/2025	Biannual	Category 1 to 4 - Nil Category 5 – Department of Education - Kalinda Primary School Category 6 - Nil Category 7 - Warrandyte, Place of residence, Owner. Category 8 to 12 - Nil
Laura MAYNE	Councillor	4/03/2025	Biannual	Category 1 - Manningham Community Enterprise Ltd (Bendigo Bank), Associate Director, Support Directors - position held before formally a Director Category 2 to 4 - Nil Category 5 - Maurice Blackburn Lawyers Category 6 to 12 - Nil