Committee: Trees and Forests Advisory Committee

Organization/Sector represented:

Name: Roberto Mannella

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Occupation: Global Telecommunications Manager & Security Officer

Work experience: I have 20 years of IT and Business experience that encompasses aspects such as customer service, budgeting/business cases, RFPs (development and the awarding of contracts), project management, employee management and contract management and negotiation.

Education: I have an Honours Bachelor of Science in Computer Science. I am also ITIL V3 certified as well as I possess my CISSP-ISSMP security certification

Skills: As I have many years of management experience, I understand the process that goes into making business decisions. I also have significant contract negotiation experience nationally and internationally

Interest reason: Having moved to London in the last year with my family, I am interested in contributing to the city as we plan to stay long term and I am encouraged by the City's recently published 20 year plan

Contributions: I believe I can bring a well experienced approach to decision making as well as assisting in any business and financial decisions that may need to be made or presented to council

Past contributions: I currently sit on a Board of Directors of a Not-for-Profit organization, having held two different Board positions over the past 5 years

Interpersonal: I have chaired different committees in both my work and Not-for-Profit experience and as I deal with people from many countries in my daily work role, I have developed the ability to understand people's points of views and opinions and know how to integrate them into the decision making process

Interview interest: Yes