**Have Your Say!**

My name is **Joe Sheridan** and I’m a prospective candidate for Galway County Council representing the Tuam Electoral area this coming May 2019.

We all have differing opinions as to the important issues for councillors in our area. I am keeping an “Open Mind” and I would value your opinion. The list below is an idea of some topics, please feel free to add to it. All completed and contactable survey responses will enter a prize draw on 25 January 2019 for a locally supplied health product.

*Please rank* ***your most important******Top 5***

1. **Farming** – Prices too low & paperwork too high
2. **Rural** isolation/*Rural – Uber*, crime, dilution of services e.g. Garda, Post offices
3. **Fake news** and PC gone mad, lack of common sense

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| **Name:** |
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1. Property **tax/rates** & lack of value for money
2. **Broadband** quality & availability
3. **Suicide Prevention**/Mental Health & General Health
4. **Education** costs for primary, secondary & third level
5. **Community** assistance with Grant Sourcing
6. **Greenway**, Maroonways, Cycleways
7. **Galway’s** need to win more All Irelands
8. Need for a significant **Employer** locally
9. **Gender** Balance & Equality
10. **Childcare** is be given more state assistance
11. **Derelicts** in Towns & Villages & conversion
12. **Housing** ladder, barriers and lack of affordable accommodation
13. Regional & national **disconnect** from both Dublin & Europe
14. **Elderly** to be given more state assistance for services
15. **Mortgage**/Loan Assistance finding month to month tough
16. **Connectivity** to Galway, N17/M17, etc
17. **Roads** – Potholes, hedges, floods & trees

In line with “Origin Green” I would like as many responses to be in digital soft copy format and so to reach out to those with greater life experience I have some hardcopies to fill in-store. Your response is important to me and I value your privacy.

Thank you for your time and I welcome your input. You can submit your response via, Facebook **joesheridangcc**, direct message on twitter @**joesheridangcc** or email [**joesheridangcc@icloud.com**](mailto:joesheridangcc@icloud.com)