

Brighton

Brighton Council Candidate



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How would you characterize the amount of growth in Brighton and what specifics steps should be taken to manage the future?

Brighton has been growing rapidly. It continues to grow as more subdivisions are completed and more are planned for the future. We need to ensure that as we are adding homes to our community we are taking into account that we need to preserve green space, create parks, parkettes and community spaces. We also need to ensure that we match our infrastructure to the growth of our community. Ensuring there services can match the demands of a growing community.

What role do you see Brighton council playing social issues such as poverty, homelessness and mental health/addiction within the community? Explain with specifics.

As council members we need to keep in mind that homelessness and addiction are growing issues in every community. We need to have programs in place to assist our communities more vulnerable. We also need to work together with surrounding communities who are struggling. We need to ensure that while we are developing more housing we ensure some of that housing is affordable housing, that there are community programs that are accessible to those in need.

Name one or more specific actions you would take to address voter's concerns related to community safety?

How would you address the creation of affordable housing, giving three specific items you would introduce during your term on council? How many units would you want to see created by the end of your term?

How would you implement the More Homes Built Faster Act locally. giving two examples?

What are your views on Strong Mayor powers and their use?

What specific steps would you take to support local business?

I would love to see a campaign via social media promoting the collection of amazing small business in Brighton. Featuring the members of council showcasing their favourite local businesses. Brighton has such an amazing and thriving small business community. Showing them off and everything they have to offer would not only promote them to the community but also show that they have the support of their local government.

What are your plans to support recreational facilities and parks?

I would like to see more parks built in the community. Parks are a great space for families to meet, enjoy the outdoors, and play. With growing subdivisions there needs to be more spaces for community members to enjoy. Recreational facilities and parks encourage community engagement, friendliness, and growth.

What is a reasonable municipal tax rate or increase? How would you achieve this, giving specific budget areas or line items?

What is a reasonable increase to the OPP budget? Give specific services or line items you would adjust to reach this goal?

Name four new initiatives you plan to implement over your term to improve the quality of life for everyone in the municipality?

How are you uniquely qualified to be elected to council that no one else can provide, but also giving at least one guilty pleasure?

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