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Q1

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Q3 Ward	Ward 6 - Stittsville

Q4

To reach our collective potential, we must work together to build up Ottawa. That requires a council in which each member commits to city wide leadership. What is your intended approach to collaboration with council, city staff and economic partners?

I've served Stittsville as City Councillor for the past four years and I have always strived to build positive and constructive relationships with City staff, council colleagues, and community organizations. In Stittsville, we have developed several volunteer working groups committees who I rely on for advice on City projects. For example, the Stittsville Main Street Steering Committee, focused on revitalization of Stittsville Main Street; or our Diversity Committee, focused on supporting the needs of newcomers and racialized members of the community. We've worked with both of these groups along with the Stittsville Business Association to strengthen the economic health of the Stittsville community and beyond.

Q5

What key characteristics and skills do you possess that make you a great leader and ambassador for the city of Ottawa, and the national capital region?

I've served as councillor over the past four years and have demonstrated that I am a hard-working, responsive and experienced community leader. I am a strong communicator with many contacts built up in my career in high tech marketing, sports marketing, and journalism.

Q6

What are your top three priorities for Ottawa's future?

1. Tackling the housing crisis. Two parts: the current supply crisis (a lack of homes and variety/choice of homes to live in); and the affordable housing crisis with over 10,000 families on a waiting list.

2. Transportation infrastructure, including expansion of Ottawa's transit system such as light rail to Stittsville and Kanata, and improved east-west priority transit lanes on roads like Hazeldean/Baseline/Heron and Carling Avenue.

3. Climate and environment - Ottawa should be a municipal leader in reducing greenhouse gas emissions and in waste reduction/diversion from landfill.

Q7

No, I am unable to attend.

Are you able to attend the All Candidates Meet & Greet at the Shaw Centre on September 23, 2022 - 7:30 to 9:30 am. We are extending a complimentary ticket for you. Additional tickets can be purchased at ottawabot.ca.