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Q1

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Q2 Respondent skipped this question

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Q3 Ward 24 - Barrhaven East

Ward

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?

In order to be the leaders that our residents deserve, city council needs to work together and without the divisiveness that we have seen in the past. We may not always agree (and that's ok!) but we need to come together for our community and those we represent. We need to be more transparent and engaged with residents and encourage open collaboration with city staff and partners. We need to communicate with one another respectfully and when we disagree, strive to always find common ground.

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 am compassionate, respectful, engaged and have a great vision of how I see our ward and our city moving forward. I want to make sure that we have a city we can be proud of, that continues to grow while keeping our sense of community and one that keeps its residents, businesses and visitors top of mind when making decisions at the council table. In my career as a teacher I have always led by example and I will be a leader that will be welcoming, thoughtful and always fight for the best interests of our residents.

Q6

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

We need to make sure that we have a city that is accessible and is welcoming to its residents and tourists. My priorities would include restoring faith in our transit system with reliable service, affordable housing and ensuring we have a city that is fiscally responsible for its residents.

Q7

Respondent skipped this question

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.
