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P3s never deliver on the promises they make. It is a ruse and tax payers end up paying more for P3s in the long run. I do not support P3s. I will oppose the privatization of municipal services and infrastructure. Calgary City Council has to audit previously privatized services with an eye to cost savings and quality of life for workers and Calgarians.

Our measures of success have to pivot to quality of life. We can not be a world class city without our municipal employees having living wages, full-time hours where desired, job security, and collective bargaining rights.

Calgary needs to ensure that our essential services are taken care of first. I am in favor of stopping the sprawl that is spreading our tax dollars so thin. We need to get our house in order. I will oppose attempts from the provincial government to restrict the right to strike. Working in the public sector is a choice to serve, public sector employees deserve to be able to retire with dignity. The public sector should not allow the private sector to dictate pensions.

Calgary has to become more progressive and innovative with our tax strategy. We must combine finding new sources of revenue including advocating for more tax dollars to stay within our communities.

I support mask mandates and vaccine passports in our municipality.

I support making Calgary Transit more accessible for all Calgarians.