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Candidate for Calgary City Council Ward 2

Privatization, including P3s:

I support unionized staff and public sector employees, should those be cut, it creates a mafia amongst the private sector and there is no sense of responsibility or long-term loyalty to work. People just work to check the boxes and move on.

Municipalities as employers:

Yes to both

Funding:

We need to find means to increase revenue in Calgary. Get more international business to move here and invest. That will offset the expenditure and taxes.

COVID-19 Safety:

I support the mask mandate, however it cant be permanent as this pandemic is here to stay for quite some time. We cant run away and shut down our economies, however we can run it safely. If most of the population is vaccinated, masks should be a choice. Remember educating people is much better than forcing it on them. Our Province has lacked in this area and more needs to be done to highlight the issue.

Affordability:

Yes I do, in-fact, we should encourage people to use public transport or car pooling.