



## **Position Available: City Builder Extraordinaire** *Hear from the Candidates Running for Mayor of Mississauga*

Wednesday, March 13, 2024 (Mississauga, Ontario): On **Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup>** the doors of Port Credit's historic Clarke Memorial Hall will open at 6:30 pm to welcome residents from across the city in order to "interview" the growing list of candidates vying for Mississauga's top job.

The gathering, organized by Town of Port Credit Association (TOPCA), Credit Reserve Association (CRA), Orchard Heights Homeowners' Association (OHHA), and Cranberry Cove Ratepayers Association (CCRA), provides an opportunity for all mayoral candidates to discuss their visions for the future of Mississauga and take questions from the associations' panel as well as residents of Mississauga at the open mic.

Following the brief presentations of candidate platforms, a Q&A "interview" portion will take place targeting Mississauga's key city-building challenges: housing, transportation, infrastructure and environment as well as municipal funding. What next steps do candidates see as being critical to meeting the city's growth targets?

Stepping away from the standard debate format used in past elections, organizers are aiming for an efficient, informative format, allowing candidates to tackle the tough issues and answer multiple questions while maintaining civility and staying on topic. Further, "It recognizes that some candidates may continue to work with one another post-election. Therefore, the need to remain collegial during the campaign process, is important," states TOPCA director, Richard Collins.

Final details of the meeting format and list of participating candidates will be provided following the April 26 deadline for nominations.

### **Monday, May 6, 2024**

Doors Open: 6:30 pm / Meeting Begins: 7:00 pm sharp  
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