



# KUMAR SHARMA

## WARD 3 CANDIDATE FOR COUNCILLOR

Kumar Sharma has called Calgary home for well over 25 years and has been a resident of Ward 3 living in Panorama Hill Estate since 2009. He is recognized as a pioneer in establishing social and cultural events within the City, leading the way for diversity, inclusion and representation of all cultures. In addition to being a husband and father, he is also a small Business owner in Ward 3 which allows him to understand the unique difficulties faced by local businesses, especially during the COVID-19 Pandemic. Kumar's leadership and invested interest in the representation of Ward 3 is well-supported by his political experience and involvement at the grass roots level. His pledge of commitment to Ward 3 is to serve the residents through positive and impactful change that will directly contribute to a greater quality of life for all. Vote Kumar Sharma for better representation of Ward 3 at City Council.

Let's make these changes together!

### ACHIEVEMENTS

- Queen's Golden Jubilee Medal, 2002
- Alberta Centennial Medal 2005
- Holder of Two Bachelor Degrees (B.Sc. B.Ed.)
- Participation as a "Broadcaster" across Alberta, Access T.V. & Social Community Events
- Professional Insurance & Mortgage Broker, Small Family run business in Ward 3

### MY PLEDGE

As your elected representative in Ward 3, I will take on several roles to the best of my abilities. I will be your liaison to Council. I will provide a fair and balanced representation for individuals, the community, and the City of Calgary. My personal experience, direct involvement and decision making, will provide the opportunity "to serve" and "to service" the needs of Ward 3 voters.

### GOOD GOVERNMENT

THE NOTION OF GOOD GOVERNMENT IS BASED ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE, ACCOUNTABILITY, TRANSPARENCY, FINANCIAL STABILITY AND THE EXERCISE OF LEADERSHIP "TO SERVE" I CHOOSE TO RUN FOR CITY COUNCIL FOR WARD 3 ON FIVE POLICY PRINCIPLES:

1. JOBS AND THE ECONOMY
2. BUILDING STRONG COMMUNITIES
3. CREATING CRITICAL COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE
4. AN EQUITABLE CITY OF CALGARY TAX POLICY
5. FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY & MAXIMIZING EXPENDITURES

THE NEEDS OF WARD 3 AS IDENTIFIED BY YOU THE VOTERS FROM MY DOORKNOCKING CAMPAIGN FOR THIS ELECTION PERIOD.

### WARD 3 NEEDS

1. Support a tax freeze for upcoming budget period to control spending leading to an equitable tax policy for residents and business
2. Public transportation including the construction of the LRT Green Line
3. A focus on affordable access community gathering spaces, including expansion
  - Emergency medical and diagnostic services
  - Affordable recreational, leisure and personal wellness programs
  - Services and support for vulnerable populations
  - Public High School and remote post-secondary learning Institutions
4. Country Hills Blvd and N.E. Functional Planning Study
5. Cancellation of the Neighbours "Guidebook" for densification of single-family communities
6. Seek an effective snow clearing ACTION PLAN
7. Transparent consultation
  - Airport Expansion and Airport Noise
  - Publicly engages development including the Aurora Business Park Development
  - Creation of additional green (park) space and pathways
8. Crime and Community Safety awareness
9. Review of 14th Street and Centre Street Interchanges Proposals
10. Diversification of our economy to a Green Economy and Environmental supported Industries
11. Reduce in-camera and closed-door meetings
12. Financial Accountability Maximizing Expenditures

**"A PASSION TO SERVE; LETS CREATE CHANGE AT CITY HALL"**