

Survey Report

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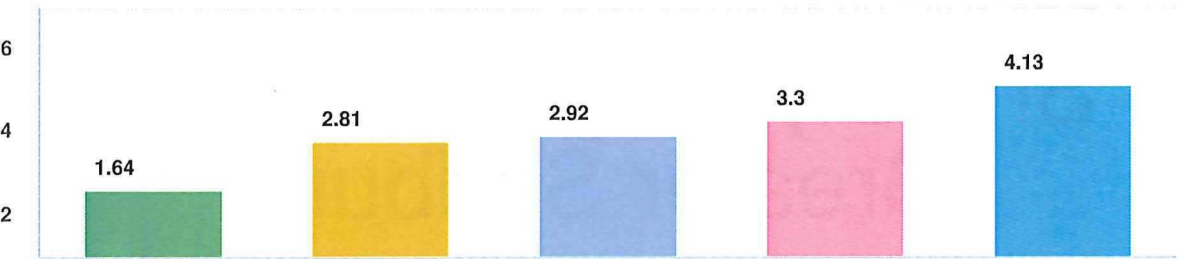
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Q1 Public Infrastructure: Which of the following categories are most important to you for future investments of time and money...



Question options

- Management and renewal of municipal assets (e.g. roads, bridges, water/waste water treatment and delivery, recreational facilities).
- Land use and planning and how these elements influence the economy and lifestyle.
- Sustainable and environmentally responsible plans for waste management and diversion (e.g. landfills, household waste, recycling, composting).
- Growth and improvement of the public transit system (i.e. Greater Sudbury Transit, Handi-Transit).
- Investment in telecommunications technology and structures (i.e. information-transmitting technologies).

Q2 Other (please specify):

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I would love to see more more done in terms of recreation in Sudbury. We have a great base but we can build on it. Example: opening of coffee shops/ bistros on the bell park boardwalk.

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Fix the roads

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Mental health and addictions

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-Safe injection site -Cleaning our streets, parks, and public places of needles and other drug paraphernalia. -More affordable living costs. Rent far exceeds paychecks. -We need BETTER grade asphalt so that the roads aren't Constantly in need of repair. A job done right the first time is a job that saves money down the line.

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The city should concentrate on cutting our taxes! START CUTTING WAGES OF TOP EARNERS!

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Whatever policy and measure that can allow Sudbury to fall in line with the recommendations of the IPCC-United Nations Report for mitigation and adaptation.

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Fix what we now have and concentrate on development, especially housing that is centered around service areas now existing in area downtowns.

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Arenas, arenas, affordable rec centres and arenas. So sad when we visit other communities and see all they have to offer. Sudbury has to don better. It's embarrassing.

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The city needs to better control the use of salt on the roadways, find an alternative! Stop cars and trucks from traveling on our lake ice in the winter. Ramsey Lake is the drinking water for thousands of residents and we continue to pollute the water with road salt, oil and dirt from cars and trucks. Develop a septic system maintenance program for those residents with sewer service.

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My particular concern is drinking water quality. Presently those citizens drinking water from Ramsey Lake are consuming sodium at three times the Provincial level. Development continues in its watershed meaning more roads and more road salt. I pay a lot of money for water in this city and yet get lower quality. The only solution is a new drinking water source that allows us to meet Ontario drinking water standards.

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FIX THE ROADS & SIDEWALKS & PROPER SNOW REMOVAL. TO HELL

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Expand the airport. If the airport could accommodate larger aircraft reliably, more national and international travel could be achieved. This would attract your mobile professionals whether business, scientific, medical or artistic. i want the KED. I've had enough of the drama and want that to start

Cleaning up the used needles. Also the bed bug problem

Build high density development in the city. The city is too widespread to maintain. Have 6-7 story buildings near the silver hills area that have residential units on top and commercial space and stores below like a lot of big cities do. This means less roads to clean and fix as well as less roads for police to patrol allowing for better regulation and overall better upkeep of the city. It also means that bus routes to these areas will be used by everyone. I understand the city can't build this but rezone the area and add it to the master plan to promote developers to take on these initiatives. Build the Kingsway entertainment district!!

Finnish the big projects, stop adding more until we have completed what has been started. ROADS are a mess , no more patching, time to dig them up and do the job right.

Build the ked and stop raising my taxes oh and dealmalgamate

Road maintenance is number one! It's embarassing that our city has such deplorable roads! Not to mention a major safety hazard. Makes living here truly less enjoyable.

Stop awarding contracts to the lowest bidders. The jobs are being done sloppily, and don't last. You end up spending more in fixing it than actually doing the job right the first time.

Land use planning should not need to be a 'category' - it is part of the overall plan, and yet it is plainly obvious that this City has always avoided making any long term plans, instead just reacting to squeaky wheels! Same with sustainability and environmental plans - why does it even need to be mentioned? It is just the way you should be doing everything that is planned and managed. I would actually consider this to be #1, as the way to approach all of the other topics. These 'topics' seem to mirror actual departments within the City's staffing structure - each with their own agendas and budgets, that put blinders on and have no idea what the other limbs are doing. THIS HAS TO CHANGE!! SUDBURY NEEDS TO GET WITH THE NEW WORLD!! or it will just turn into a dusty old ghost town full of old people with old ways of thinking, and a complete turnoff to young people and those who may invest in the city with new development. Even as a person approaching retirement, I am disgusted to see the archaic, biased, corrupt and closed-minded thinking of this city, because I want to live somewhere that is alive and changing. I

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also face seeing my daughters leave this hick town for better opportunity and enlightened lifestyles.
Cancel KED!

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accommodations for disabilities and special needs in public infrastructures

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I cant really rank these 1 fix roads and infrastructure. 2. I think land use and planning are sooo important but our city and council have messed up so badly and not stuck to thier original plans of previous priorites such as thier comittment to the downtown that I hesitate to choose this as number 2 because I dont want to send the message that I want more of the same bad planning I want better planning, more favorable to residents rather than developers.

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Road repair is very important. The state of our roads is shameful. In terms of transit and handi-transit, the handi-transit needs the most attention between the two services. It's really difficult for people who rely on the service to get around.

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My #2 suggestion, after infrastructure, is to focus on cost saving strategies. This is greatly needed at this point in time as the focus has been on spending on large projects.

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We need to build smarter and make better use of existing assets and existing infrastructure. The city should create an absolute zero public facility build outside of existing infrastructure. We can't afford the footprint we have with the low population growth we have.

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Better availability and variety of shopping

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Density of the core.

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* If Handi-transit was listed separately I would have ranked higher. It needs significant changes prior to further large scale money directed to standard transit system.

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Fix our roads! How embarrassing that a city this size has these issues.

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Sidewalks & walkability & Bike Infrastructure. No NEW infrastructure until people can actually get around their community without a vehicle.

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Governance that can return some semblance of accountability away from Tom Davies square.

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This survey is ridiculous. All three things are chose are equally and very important.

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Property taxes. 3.5% is too high Stop the KED. Refurbish the downtown arena

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Innovation infrastructure. Where is the investment in industrial parks? co-location workspaces? incubators and accelerators for our tech sector?

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We need to protect our drinking water from increasing salt concentrations by decreasing salt spread by contractors on large surfaces (malls, box stores)

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I live in Coniston on Vale property. The water/sewer system is barbaric. Even the fire department is worried if there is a fire up on our hill. The pipes are old and much smaller than they should be. I have had water tests done and it usually comes back - no chlorine - or not enough chlorine. We are the [REDACTED] house on this line. Water should be running continuously - but I'm not paying for it. They have not flushed our system out in a very long time and no one has been by to clear out the hydrant this year..it is buried. I guess we will need to try and clear it ourselves. The roads are terrible as well. The way the curbs are done if you are not very careful you bottom out your vehicles front end when backing out or pulling in. We have cut our water use by more than half - and are still paying pretty well the same amount.? Not happy about this.

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Build the KED!

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You have an official plan, follow it!

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The state of Sudbury Transit and Handi-transit is embarrassing.

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The serious need of investing in Social infrastructure. More affordable housing units.

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Number one priority also includes upkeep on heritage designated buildings as well as libraries

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Bike trails and paths. The sidewalk going into eastlink sinks so bad in the winter and when it rains a huge puddle is created. Plz fix this.

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Making our downtown viable

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Ensuring that all citizens are able to access the city and enjoy a quality of life. Speak to community members who have mobility issues or disabilities and find out what their infrastructure needs are.

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Affordable housing!!!! Bike and pedestrian infrastructure stop spending on roads we are fighting a losing battle concentrate on changing people travel behaviour

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Investment in a higher standard of engineering, site preparation and enforcement on road construction. More quality work so that repairs aren't worn out 5 years later.

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Sudbury Citizens require an Open, Transparent discussion re our Water and Wastewater Infrastructure future requirements complete with a Financial Plan

re the following: (1) The \$1.3 Billion Water and Wastewater Master Plan approved by City Council in the Dec./17 Budget. This plan was first made public in April/18. A Financial Plan was a "Key Deliverable" in the 2017 Budget but has not yet been delivered as promised?? (2) The \$3.1 Billion identified but unfunded Infrastructure projects required over the next 10 years as outlined in the 2019 City Budget. What is the impact of this huge amount of cost going to be on future Property Taxes?? This current lack of Transparency on these two major issues is viewed by many as a serious Political flaw in the current Budget Discussions.

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Road maintenance has fallen behind. Take care of existing things we have & are paid for before creating debt on something new .

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3/04/2019 09:46 AM

I think it would Have a public forum/town hall. Explain openly to everyone why our roads do not last. Is it the ground are roads have been built on? Is it cheaper paving materials to save money in the short term? Will this end up being more expensive down the road (ha...)? Perhaps we're hiring one large company to do our paving, and they're not doing a good job (i.e. meeting certain standards) because it's the cheapest option out there? Social Isolation, and Social Inclusion of isolated populations (i.e., older adults)

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Climate change is the greatest challenge of our time, we need to address it

1. Municipal infrastructure needs to accommodate 100 years storms all the time now
2. We need an emergency system to id. people who are not nimble and need help in emergencies, they need links with screened volunteers that can provide emergency support
3. We need clearly understood commands from the city office, that all understand, like the west end needs to be evacuated use streets X and Y. The city is on an emergency lock down, only the following emergency services can be legally on the road, (those emergency folks have identifying id so you can id and get them moving easily)
4. The city or the health unit must identify the food supply available at any given time in the city, who has it where it is stored and how it can be accessed. I think we have less than 2-3 days worth of food in town at any normal time (did you know that WATS supply has a freezer with meat and frozen foods and dry goods they sell)
5. The city must have a plan for managing water delivery in times of power loss, more than a few people need to know and understand how to manage that system and we need backup power sources to pump the water and to clean it.
6. The city needs a clear system to evacuate the city if it needs too, and it must be a nimble plan that accommodates evacuation in the safest direction, including closing opposite lanes so that all roads can be maximize use, in case of forest fire, flooding and weather issues and terror attack.
7. The city needs to have a partnership with other communities, towns, cities and the province and some business that allows them to access help and support in a smooth and expeditious manner in an emergency, get an extra swat team, or fire fighting support, or

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emergency support from and engineering firm and or a mine rescue team in situations with collapsing buildings.

To provide enhanced opportunities that will strengthen healthy lifestyle amongst the indigenous community residing in the Greater City of Sudbury, particularly, in the area of community Business Development through cultural identity and arts therapy. To establish an Arts and Crafts Workshop attached to the business service of a Trading Post within the City that will market and promote the authenticity of Indigenous Arts and Crafts.

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Upgrading appropriate infrastructures in older towns (sewage pipes etc) specifically in Capreol .. pretty sure it hasn't been done in over 50+ years and the life span of cast iron sewer pipes are long expired leaving the poor residents with back ups.. horrible
fix aged infrastructure

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I noticed since the last few winter storms we've had the roads and potholes have been especially, ESPECIALLY bad this time around.

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please fix the roads !

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3/05/2019 11:04 AM

Road repair! You cant even drive in this town

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The protection of the environment needs to be taken into consideration in the land use and planning section. Many of these are top priorities for me.

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3/05/2019 10:10 PM

Beautify our city! Our downtown is not beautiful or clean and shows zero pride. We can do so much better!

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3/05/2019 11:05 PM

Sudbury needs to move forward. I am seriously considering moving away from Sudbury. The roads are bad. People dont want to move forward in this city.

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I feel that the city of Greater Sudbury should focus on spending our tax money responsibly. For example, the dog park in the South End which was recently completed, is now closed. This is a waste of our money and resources. It is important to have a safe, drug injection site that is city-run. We should also invest in better rehabilitation centres. Better public transportation to outlying areas, including Garson, Levack, Coniston, Chelmsford, Lively, Dowling etc...
Strengthening the Downtown core.

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Transportation - improved inter-city links, better facilities at and connectivity to the intercity terminals (train stations, bus station, airport, etc.)

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Renewable energy supports

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- Growth of public transit should include quantitative ridership growth targets

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that help meet carbon reduction targets consistent with what is necessary to maintain global warming below 1.5 degrees. Transportation is one of the largest sources of Greater Sudbury's carbon emissions. - Mitigating and adapting to climate change should also guide land use planning. This will include things like supporting sustainable transportation, avoiding floodplains, and planning for a low carbon, climate change resilient community. - Management of water and wastewater, and stormwater management infrastructure is essential to protect water quality and drinking water. Active transportation infrastructure is very important to the community and should be referenced specifically. Climate change is a large risk and consideration for municipal asset management and renewal. Asset management should include Natural Asset Management. Natural assets such as wetlands, greenspaces, and urban trees and forests provide natural services such as stormwater management, protecting of water quality and air quality, etc, that have a high value to the municipality and that are very expensive to replace with built infrastructure if degraded or lost. - Sustainable waste management should include zero waste goals. - Good management of road infrastructure includes repair and renewal to Complete Streets, versus addition of new roads and lanes.

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Maintenance and renewal of water and stormwater infrastructure is needed and essential. Using green infrastructure and preparing for climate change must be part of infrastructure planning and investments. Social/recreational infrastructure is also very important: community centres, libraries, parks, etc. For asset management, we need to include natural asset management. We had done a petition for lights to be put in at our ball fields in Dowling ... wondering if this has been looked at.

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Given we are living on the traditional lands of the Atikameksheng and Wahnapiatae First Nations we should AT the very least be providing public transportation to and from each of these communities.

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Building 2 or 3 Indoor Soccer Dome Facilities for use during winter months and other sports activities otherwise not easily practiced during snowy and cold months. Soccer participation numbers are as big as hockey. We maintain some skating rinks during summer and we should maintain some indoor facility during winter.

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Transportation infrastructure generally- inclusive of bike trails, sidewalk maintenance, road maintenance and transit systems.

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Affordable Housing. - Preventing the ongoing gentrification of formerly affordable housing scenarios, such as the Townhouses and once-Pensioner geared apt Towers. These were the only stable places that average people could afford to live, all being taken over by Monopolists that do not have any interest in housing people of lower-economic means, in favour of "flipping" the units, for more money, gearing them to a market that can otherwise afford their own properties, this market is saturated, thus making projects like the former Hospital Condos, redundant. Former taxpayer built buildings, such as schools and hospitals should be converted to affordable housing. In the case of the Hospital, I can see why it was preferred for the Wealthy as Condos, but

that market does not exist in Sudbury, nor will it, that Hospital will never be completed by Butera Group, they tried and failed in St-Catherines with the same concept. STOP ALLOWING MONOPOLISTS TO DESTROY THE AFFORDABILITY OF HOUSING. Thank you. So, that being said.. all revenues generated from these former taxpayer built buildings, must go into building more Townhouse and Pensioner-gearred Housing. 500\$ 1-bedroom apts, \$1000 2 bedroom apts/townhouses. There is a overwhelming need for meaningful, respectful, dignified housing for the thousands of working poor/disabled/elderly in this region city. IF the Monopolist market wont bare it... the City must. Citizens are being pushed out into homelessness and sub-standard housing just so that Millionaire Monopolists from Southern Ontario and Asia can make more money that they dont need. Another option could be that the City reward Monopolists for each unit they retain as an affordable unit. This issue is far more pressing than the wealthy of Greater Sudbury can begin to realize, but would quickly learn if they too were to lose their lifestyles to loss, death, sickness, etc. Thank You. 2. reorganizing the current zoning of the city to properly zone, zones to places that make more sense, overall, for the long term. (i.e. removing the 140 acres of Industrial from The Core.. to the outer areas, of Lasalle-Kingsway East and/or Elm-Azilda Highway areas. Thus opening up central core areas to affordable residential, commercial, cultural, and greenspace opportunities. There are too many Industrial zones inside residential areas, or, areas that would otherwise be prime residential zones abutting commercial zones. This falls into Intensification and Sustainability, more Citizens inside these areas, means less need of buses/sidewalks/parks in areas that are not suitable for higher density housing. Many areas along all core areas, this needs to occur in. The City ought to swap lands, buy out lands, and simply force the hand, for the Greater long term good. It is all easier than fear mongering would have us believe. Thank you.

This survey is awful to respond to and unstable - erasing responses The city is making a mistake moving its arena out of the downtown. This is a misuse of existing assets and of new investment.

Consideration must be made re aging population, with flat, or almost flat incomes, % decreases in people attending various events, libraries, transportation. Seeing some of the population making \$100,000 plus, is a small % of the population who make far less. Rents, cost of living, limits what the current population can afford and do.

Make use of artistic elements for all repairs or building of infrastructure to improve the city's look without undue expense.

Climate change

I question the logic of trying to provide public transit to all outlying areas...Tax payers in places such as Capreol or Whitefish have never had expectation for "one service fits all" and may be quite satisfied to accept no public transit at all providing the property taxes reflect it.

Learn how to remove snow like Capreol in the 60's.

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My #4 choice - promoting/encouraging composting & recycling, incentives & options to reduce household waste, sustainable & responsible waste management solutions city wide.

- Accessible opportunities for all ages to play - Age-friendly strategies for a safe and accessible community - Active and sustainable outdoor urban spaces. Design for holistic health, not previous design principals around economy and convenience.

cycling and pedestrian infrastructure. Floodproofing for a changing climate.

We need to have plans that direct how and where we grow and invest, and we need to follow them. Town Centres ensure liveable communities where people can easily get to centralized amenities via transit, walking or cycling. Stop the sprawl and inform residents of where the true costs of sprawl are. People don't understand that the core of the city greatly subsidizes the outlying areas. We need to get people out of their cars, both for the health of our population and the health of the environment and our city. Transportation is one of the largest sources of Greater Sudbury's carbon emissions. Stop building and widening roads - there are other things that we can do to ensure that people can get where they need to do. We also need to manage municipal assets with an eye on climate change. Other cities are looking at ensuring that all new buildings that are built in their cities are net-zero buildings - within the next 10 years. We need to start looking at how we lower our carbon footprint and plan to build/convert municipal buildings. We need to start aggressively putting in green infrastructure (low impact development eg LID measures). We need to protect wetlands, greenspaces, and urban trees as low-cost, natural responses to climate change. Management of water and wastewater, and stormwater management infrastructure is essential to protecting our drinking water and the quality of our enjoyment of our lakes and rivers. This is going to be costly but is necessary. We need to greatly decrease our garbage intake, and the City needs to take aggressive measures to ensure that this happens, and we need to have a plan to achieve zero waste. A start would be to enforce this at City events and any events that it sponsors and/or allows in our city; and to install recycling and composting facilities at all of our municipal buildings and locations, including our parks. Climate change is here, it needs to be a lens for all decisions. We need to declare a climate change emergency and move on it NOW, and not in a year or so.

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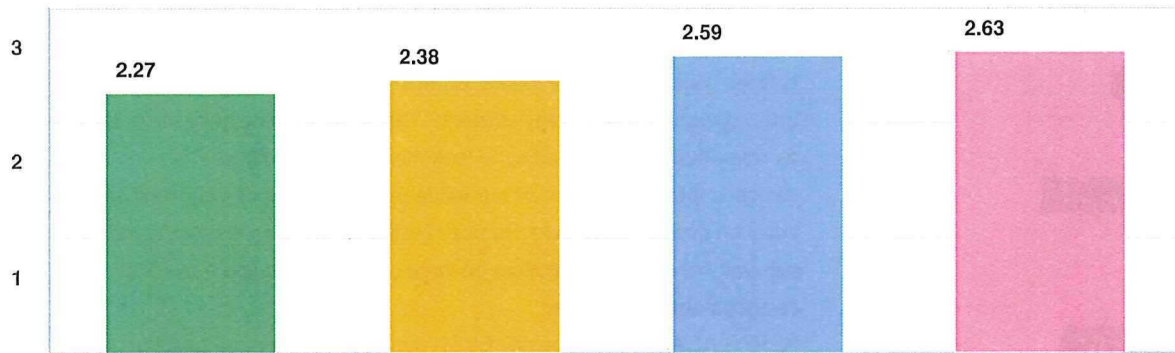
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Ensure cycling infrastructure is treated as equally important as infrastructure for motorized vehicles when looking at asset management and renewal. Transportation is one of the largest sources of Greater Sudbury's carbon emissions, and Active Transportation needs to be an important tool for mitigating and adapting to climate change. Land use planning needs to integrate Complete Streets and urban trees to make cycling comfortable and attractive. Multi-modal transportation options create a resilient, low carbon, and welcoming community. Multi-modal transportation includes integration of

walk/cycling/transit trips.

Optional question (87 responses, 295 skipped)

Q3 Natural Environment: Which of the following are most important to you when decisions are made at the municipal level that ...



Question options

- Protection and enhancement of the natural environment.
- Storm water management (i.e. rain, snow or ice melt that can run into nearby streams, rivers or lakes).
- Water and wastewater treatment and facilities.
- Factors and policies that can influence climate change.

Q4 Other (please specify):

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Is there a way to promote local business/ landowners to update their buildings to be more energy efficient? That could help beautify the entire city as many buildings are starting to look their age around town.

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2019/02/19 04:05 PM

Utmost importance to protect our valuable water resources and limit salt pollution especially for Lake Ramsey (major drinking water source and recreational area) - moratorium on large parking areas and new road development in watershed.

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2019/02/19 01:57 PM

NEVER AGAIN should the city EVER consider brining more pollution carelessly to our doors. Chromite smelting on our waterways? Are you NUTS?!?!

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This is a city that accomplished a great deal with regard to reforesting the landscape. We are presently sliding backwards in an attempt to please business and wealthy individuals. Without a high quality environment we are at a competitive disadvantage when attracting high quality companies. We have to do much better. We need to stop development on lakes shorelines and sensitive habitat.

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2019/02/19 03:54 PM

Climate change management is the most important priority. If we don't take meaningful action NOW, everything else is meaningless!

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2019/02/19 01:16 PM

Snow removal needs to be improved was horrible this year and last year and the year before that do it right it's not hard

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We need ashtrays in this city badly!

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Build the Kingsway entertainment district!!

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All of these are equally important, you do a disservice by making us choose in a numbered order. My #5 is just as important as my #1

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You don't need to worry about climate change if you do everything else right; again, why is it a category by itself?? Is that because you already have a department for that??

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This survey isn't working right some questions are rigged for only 2 or 3 choices

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Downtown development in accordance with Official Plan; encourage good housing in central Sudbury Proposed Kingsway Entertainment District must be cancelled. The whole process was wrong and should be revisited
Decreasing use of road salt

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This is ridiculous. All the choices here are interconnected, very and equally important in addressing climate change, the most important issue facing all humans at this time.

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We need to take better care of our inner city lakes. We have the pleasure of having one of the largest inner city lakes in the world. However due to pollution, residential waste and the use of motorized pleasure crafts our lakes are suffering.

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We need to separate storm and sanitary sewers to prevent the problems of spring runoff overflowing the sanitary system. We also need to look at ways to prevent flooding in various areas of the city.

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I am against expanding more to outlying areas. This is a huge cost for sewer and water service to them. Use up existing space in the city as a whole. There are many already serviced areas that won't end up costing us more. Keep our greenspaces. Stop allowing people to build around our lake (Ramsey) - keep boat traffic to a minimum. Charge a fee to use the lake for boating. If you live on the lake and the boat is registered to you the home owner - ok..but if not - charge a fee. Climate change is a factor in all of these listed above. We need more trees, natural barriers that hold earth in place. Give stability. Less use of salt in winter, more sand. Build the KED!

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This section sort of suggests the City can't walk and chew gum at the same time. Everything we do should have in mind the question of climate change so we should do all these things as they are all needed keeping in mind our overall environment. How can you rank these?

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Overall, the city has done well on all of these from my perspective. Maintaining a healthy, clean, and safe environment is important.

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Stop encouraging urban sprawling.

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Protection of City lakes, rivers that we receive our water from are especially vital

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all equally important need to encourage growth in ways that will reduce our environmental footprint and damage stop building automobile dependent development (I.e. KED)

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See Note (1) in Public Infrastructure above. There has been no public discussion on this project to date. Our Mayor even chose not to mention in his "State of the City" address of June /18. Sudbury should challenge itself to become a World Class Leader in regards to it's Water Policies. Sudbury should/could become a role model for other Canadian municipalities to emulate.

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Stop allowing urban sprawl.

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These are all important. I feel guilty ranking them, haha!

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Water and WW Treatment facilities are regulated, so I believe a minimum standard would be maintained even with a low priority ranking. Climate change is important, however the impact Sudbury will be able to have will be high cost and low impact. Federal leadership is the best value for climate change. Since the city runoff goes into area lakes, and we drink from some of them, this for me is number one.

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Since climate change is our biggest challenge, I think we need to have process and equipment available, (whether in partnership with our construction firms, where an agreement on availability and price and drivers has already been negotiated or with farmers and other firms, or buying/leasing our own) to manage an emergency, but I do believe that making sure that all our facilities are planned and upgraded with the climate crisis in mind we can prevent many issues, and make sure we have adequate water and wastewater treatment facilities that ensure the protection of our natural environment and our lakes and rivers and streams especially. We need safe roads too move people and machinery to deal with emergencies too.

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To increase the awareness that water is sacred and to highly promote the Annual Water Walk around Ramsey to encourage greater participation by all residents within the Greater City of Sudbury.

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Sewage and pipes infrastructure.. they're old in towns like Capreol and need to be looked at

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20/01/2019 07:07:11

Eliminate building and boat traffic on Ramsey Lake. This is your main water source and the home owners on the lake and general public are not taking responsibility for keeping the lake healthy. Eliminate lawns to the edge and fertilizer...also sauna waste water and any soap phosphates both in public and private areas!

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20/01/2019 11:01:46

Our lakes should always come first. Maybe think about how to fix Ramsey lake.

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They are all important to me and all a #1. It is time that we declare climate emergency as a municipality. and to start really making sure we are protecting and enhancing our natural environment.

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Preservation of natural areas within the city and near water bodies -- the places we spend decades re-greening and which add so much to the lifestyle and character of the city, but which are threatened with development. We need to first get off of oil and gas, then the rest will fall into place.

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- All four of these categories are very important and are interconnected. - Stormwater management should include green infrastructure, low impact development, and protection of natural areas that provide stormwater management functions. This meets climate change adaptation needs also. - Our lakes and waterways are especially valued by Sudburians. Protection and enhancement of the natural environment should specifically mention protection and enhancement of the health of our lakes, waterways and watersheds. Addressing the threat of road salt to water quality also deserves

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special mention.

Climate change has to be the top priority: reducing our emissions, and adapting to the changes - which includes protecting water and environment, as well as stormwater management with more extreme weather events. All of these topics are interconnected.

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If climate change factors, storm water management and waste water are dealt with appropriately, one would hope an intended consequence would be to protect and enhance the natural environment. I don't see this last point mutually exclusive, but incorporated in the above. Perhaps there should be an 'natural environmental lens' or scorecard, similar to Equity scorecards; on all civic projects.

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Lets get real about climate change and the impact it has on our environment.

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Preserving Geographic Heritage Land Features when creating new subdivisions. Creating a Heritage Tree Registrar. The current wall-to-wall lot development, wipes the lots clear without any consideration of heritage trees or exceptional landscape features. IF Large Trees or natural heritage features are present, that they be preserved and the lot-development work around it. Too many are lost, to an end result of poorly planned developments that offer no natural interest in the end. These features are not only pleasant, but important.

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recycling and toxic substances pick up

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Declare a climate emergency. Prepare and publish a climate adaptation plan.

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3 Support the growth of people in our city by reduced red tape for businesses and improved of funding for arts & culture to attract professionals to relocate here with their families.

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If we are dealing with climate change, it will include storm water management given that more severe storms are on the horizon and would also consider water and wastewater treatment. P

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protection of natural areas that already provide (free) storm water management functions. low impact development - will enhance and preserve beauty of Sudbury, while positively impacting storm water management. as much green infrastructure as possible.

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Increase exposure and promotion of passive parks to indicate the space is public and available for use. Increase minimal infrastructure such as garbage cans and waste maintenance at all public spaces and greenspaces.

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Factors and policies that can influence climate change really isn't a "natural environment" initiative. It's systemic and encompasses economic, social, governance and environmental issues. By grouping it with "natural environment" priorities, the City is demonstrating that it a) does not understand climate change, and b) isn't prepared to take it seriously. I'm very sorry to see this.

These priorities were hard to rank. They are all important. But the number 1

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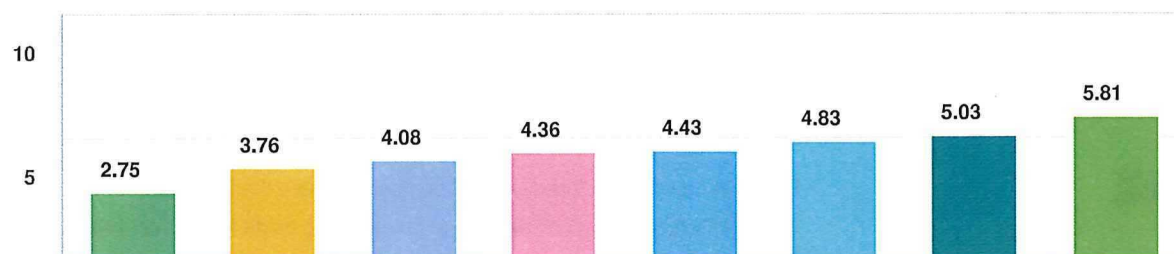
thing that affects all others in this question is factors and policies that can influence climate change. These are NOT just for the natural environment. Climate change is the most challenging and costly thing of our generation, and will affect every single thing that we do as a community. It will affect everyone and has the potential to kill a lot of people, including in our community. We need to progressively and proactively start working on how we will address this. I understand that the CEEP project is being delayed. We can't delay our plans to address climate change. They need to be the top most priority of this year.

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Cyclists appreciate and prefer to bike in comfortable environments. That includes trails that provide options to cycling on-road, and that offer a pleasant ride, shade, and areas away from noise and noxious fumes from motorized vehicles. Ensure that natural areas that contain trails in the City are protected. Flooding on trails and roads affects people who bike, especially people that rely on their bikes for transportation. And climate change is something that will affect us all, and that needs to be a lens for all of the decisions that we make around transportation.

Optional question (50 responses, 332 skipped)

Q5 Community Adaptability: There are many factors that can influence a community's ability to grow, serve its citizens and r...



Question options

- Responsible financial planning and service levels.
- Attraction, development and retention of business and industry.
- Emergency preparedness and response.
- Workforce management and development.
- Options for alternative transportation including infrastructure and services.
- Application of appropriate technology (i.e. machinery, equipment, engineering or applied sciences).
- Collaboration and partnerships to integrate municipal services.

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Q6 Other (please specify):

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ACCESSIBILITY (1) On all new structures and current businesses ie. restaurants, retail outlets. Current Art Museum is not accessible.

2019/2019 01:50 PM

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Rent is far too high in this city. It costs a person more than an entire paycheck which doesn't allow them to put anything aside for a better future.

2019/2019 09:30 AM

[REDACTED]

The format of this makes it really difficult to follow and answer the questions.. if you want a ranks of 1-8, maybe have it to the right with the numbers displayed.. this is confusing..

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[REDACTED]

job creation is the most important aspect

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[REDACTED]

Extreme weather patterns are the new 'abnormal'. As per Dr Dianne Saxe's presentation in Jan/18 in Sudbury, we in Northern Ontario will experience more extreme weather than the rest of Ontario

2019/2019 12:30 PM

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Always consider these factors for attraction besides employment opportunity: Housing availability and cost. Taxation rates, Health Care, Recreation, Transportation, Shopping, Entertainment. Always consider what makes a community more "liveable" For downtown any new facility such as Place des Arts should include parking, ground floor or underground like the YMCA/Centre for life on Durham Street..

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We need a long term plan based on the certainty of a large and rapid climate change. We need to plan every thing based on that reality. New building strategies, reevaluating flood plains, enhancing storm sewer capacity, separating storm and sanitary sewers. We need more durable transportation infrastructure. A new climate will change everything.

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[REDACTED]

Get open for business we lose tons of jobs every year because this city is lagging behind we don't even have a 24-hour grocery store

2019/2019 03:14 PM

[REDACTED]

I was forced to build my house with a builder instead because of all the red tape and problems with city. terrible!!!

2019/2019 06:15 PM

[REDACTED]

Most of the citizens of Sudbury WANT the new KED project up and running ASAP. We need to shake up this city and work on our growth potential. We need to bring back pride on our city to attract new industry to come north. No more money waste for trying to keep downtown a hub. Greater sudbury is vaste. Money needs to be shared or reverse amalgamation.

2019/2019 06:30 PM

[REDACTED]

Again, forcing a numbered pick isn't really fair here either, emergency services need the same amount of attention as growth. Etc.

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[REDACTED]

If the city would follow its strategic planning and reports, the KED would not have wasted close to 2 million dollars so far and the new downtown arena

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would be in construction. Asking tax payers these question is meaningless when the city can't follow proper urban planning basics.

"Responsible financial planning and service levels should already be in place, by the City. All of the above things mentioned are important, but to implement anything new is going to cost us the taxpayer, in the end. Seniors and even the young ones, are no longer able to afford taxes and water bills now. So just leave things as they are, to prevent more raises in taxes. You are having many leave the city because of it. I don't blame them. Sudbury is getting unaffordable.

Not sure how data management even relates to the rest of these options.

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2/26/2019 08:50 PM

All of the above are important; good design and all the arts must be emphasized in planning. More attention to community planning. It has been very wanting recently

I own a business, the ability other cities have shown to create attractive places for people to live and attract young talent has me looking elsewhere for expansion locations.

save money on fire fighting by using volunteer firefighters at all stations.

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These questions need to be more specific.

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We need to promote a continuous bike lane protected system to and through the downtown with concrete curbs separating bike lanes from traffic. We need to fix and maintain what we have prior to increasing taxes to pay for major projects. We need to promote and protect "the city of lakes".

I do believe retention of business and industry is a need - I feel they are given too many breaks though. The large trucking industry is costing us on our roads. We do not have the ministry weighing their loads and if you drive anywhere in town and take a look at the tires on probably 70% of the trucks - they are all overloaded. This is horrible for our roads - something needs to be done about this. The bus times and routes in this city are terrible. We should also be looking at providing a service to various mines from different areas of the city. So many vehicles parked in the lots on Vale property..a couple of buses on certain schedules daily would take so many cars and trucks off the roads. I would also save on accidents. With practical fees - \$40 or \$50/month? - It would save so much in gas, insurance, roads, accidents etc. If worked out carefully with Vale and even SNOLAB - the buses would be full probably almost all the time. It may drop off in summer - but other seasons would be good.

Build the KED!

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Responsible financial planning does not mean cutting taxes it means not getting caught in a boondoggle like KED. Service should be enhanced not cut.

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Many of these are unclear: What is meant by data management, what specifically is this question asking about? What specifically about emergency preparedness and response goes beyond what the city already has? What kind of municipal services are to be integrated? This sounds like services, which could be dangerous, or recreation which could attract more growth. What is clear is that the city has not planned for growth of the city leading to a healthy and sustainable workforce.

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02/7/2019 11:07 PM

Offer property tax credits to companies that serve the community positive things.

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03/12/2019 11:39 AM

Continue to support young people and the arts in Sudbury! They do help this community thrive.

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03/22/2019 01:20 PM

The \$4.4 Billion in Infrastructure requirements which have now been made Public without a Financial Plan is neither acceptable or responsible!! The so called "Large Projects" which have received much attention lately are very small in comparison. Fiscal Responsibility is essential.

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04/24/2019 06:01 PM

Not sure what this means, even: "Data management defined as an administrative process that includes validating, storing, protecting and processing data to ensure accessibility, reliability and timeliness." So it doesn't get a ranking.

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04/13/2019 06:25 PM

Building services that works WITH developers as a team, as opposed to the current mindset

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04/24/2019 11:09 AM

The city has a great system with fibre optics we should be using to attract tech businesses to Sudbury, we have good if expensive transportation links to our capital cities. We need to look like a city that is ready to grow, our downtown and our roads are a disgrace, we look like some backward community that cannot manage its own resources, if the front door and entrance way is a mess your house is not going to sell, the same is true of your main arteries and downtown in any community.

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I would like us to focus on building our workforce management and development through the lens of decent work and growing our workforce through jobs with fair wages and benefits. All of these goals are better achieved if austerity isn't our first response.

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04/17/2019 07:50 PM

Create and promote enhanced equal opportunity for Indigenous people on the Work Force for the Greater City of Sudbury.

[REDACTED]
04/24/2019 08:04 PM

City should operate as-if de-amalgamated - staff and resources can then focus on a specific area, being accountable and responsible for it.

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04/26/2019 11:09 AM

Stop raising taxes we can't afford it.

[REDACTED]
04/26/2019 11:09 AM

This survey is way too wordy.

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05/01/2019 04:21 PM

I would like to see the City of Greater Sudbury create opportunities for citizens to be involved, to contribute to the community--actions that do not

[REDACTED]

3/07/2019 07:05 PM

always involve finances but perhaps policy change. Given our large geography, we need to find ways to improve and to create differently and this will not occur if we continue to be limited to the same options and vision. Everything does not always require staff--volunteers can be trained to not replace, but augment. But voluntarism will be taken up if personally meaningful and of value--e.g., zoomers.

Again, get the renewable energy technology up and running and then finesse the rest.

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- In regards to being an adaptable, prepared and resilient community, the most important consideration is climate change. Adapting to current and predicted changes and risks from climate change should be a compulsory lens for all municipal policies and decisions. - Options for alternative transportation should specifically mention active transportation and sustainable transportation which are priorities for our community. - In regards to attracting and retaining jobs, we would like to draw attention to: (i) the growing opportunity in green jobs and technology; (ii) the importance of quality of life and lifestyle; (iii) the opportunity within Greater Sudbury's existing residents, given proper support; (iv) the importance of good transit service for employees.

Climate change adaptation has to be top of the list for being a resilient community and for emergency preparedness.

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If we don't have good data, we don't know how to plan and optimize the other resources. Although I believe in public transport and emergency preparedness, we need to optimize technology and have a skilled, responsive, engaged, innovative municipal workforce to oversee all the other choices.

Our community must show it adaptability to the growing Indigenous population in this city. Where is the signage in 3 languages? This was raised with City Staff over a year ago.

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Community safety is paramount to any growth policies. If streets or parks do not feel safe, or buses do not feel safe then people and businesses suffer. Deal with the needle problems downtown and the elements of panhandling that make people uncomfortable. It is awful what's happening.

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affordable housing is hindering the ability for Greater Sudbury to grow. the focus for too long has been on 2 car garage facade houses, and overpriced condos. Now to add insult to injury, formerly affordable housing units, such as the townhouses peppered throughout the city, and 1970s built apt towers, are being "flipped" to the Nth.. by Foreign Owners. The Flip Frenzy is creating a saturated market of overpriced "luxury" units that average people cannot afford. People that work service industry, single parents, disabled, pensioners, seniors... and otherwise Poor. What processes at City Hall allowed a Monopolist Corporation to swoop into town and purchase all these formerly affordable units only to make them unaffordable for average people? IF the Monopolists will not bare a market of \$500- 1 Bed units, \$1000- 2 Bed units.. in a dignified community setting, along major bus routes, near stores and services....THEN the City must.... since it is now the City earning record

Property Taxes from the 'flipped' formerly affordable units. Greater Sudbury needs to double population... and that means a lot of working poor. a lot of seniors, disabled, pensioners... people that The Greater City of Sudbury seems to deem invalid to live in Sudbury. Perhaps offering Property Tax breaks to these multi-millionaire Monopolists, for each affordable unit they remain in their property. - Its actually appalling that a small 2 bedroom unit with a balcony in an old building be \$1200 +. Appalling. Where are average people supposed to live? in \$900 basement bachelors in undesirable areas. or..... the Far North? With the extreme rents all around us, either the end goal is to push people out of Sudbury, so that only the "good" people remain.. or what? Greater Sudbury has many potential sites for high density affordable housing, that could position itself as the place to go, instead of Barrie, for overcharged Torontonians that want a big city life at a reasonable sustainable level, steps from the wilderness. After all, who's gonna serve You at the Drive-Thrus.. if they cant afford to live in comfort and dignity and stability in this city.

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How about using the high level of reserves on hand to # 1 make them self sustaining, and # 2 pay off current debt whose interest is probably higher than what % the reserves are making. Now work on the worsening infrastructure issues

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5/1/2019 00:24 PM

New industry and attractive opportunities for investors are key. This community need to look at the long term. Tax concessions and development cost have brought industry to remote locations throughout the USA...its time we take a page from their book.

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My #4 choice - creating, and being open to the opportunities for 'green' jobs - it's the next generation in industry. it also impacts of quality of life and lifestyle - extremely important factor in building Sudbury.

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5/2/2019 08:20 AM

Attention to total active transportation connectivity: Making it possible to cross the city North/South East/West via active transportation with safe, accessible and visible crossings. Create active transportation routes to priority destinations (grocery, pharmacy) in all neighbourhoods with focus on lower income neighbourhoods.

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5/2/2019 10:20 AM

Another flawed survey question - why are you even asking about pursuing growth? It's not my priority - and it ought not to be the City's either. You are building too many assumptions into this survey that is supposed to be about a strategic direction for the City's future. So please add this one as my OTHER: Pursue sustainable city building rather than growth.

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5/2/2019 10:20 AM

I love my city. I like the living style of a small town with little congestion and friendly people, yet all of the amenities that are here, including restaurants, festivals, outside activities, arts and culture, committed community groups, and a caring community. I don't want to live in a larger city that is impersonal and high-paced. We need to manage our "growth" so our city remains sustainable but doesn't grow into a Barrie or other cities that don't have the friendly feel that we currently have. We need to heal the schisms that have been caused by the KED. We need to concentrate on the people who live here, and making their lives better. Growth for the sake of growth is a vicious cycle eg we need to attract more people so we can get them to pay taxes



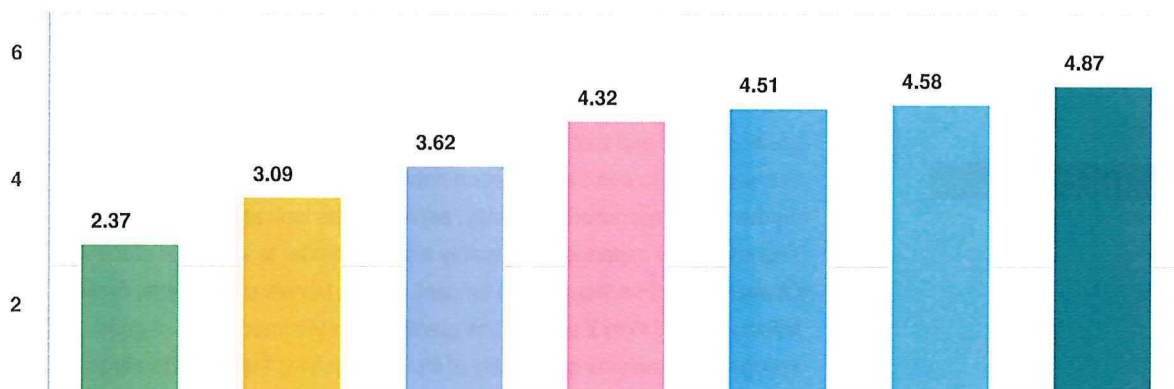
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that will pay for the things we can't afford right now for our residents. This is unsustainable. We need to make smart and fact-based decisions, not based on emotions or beliefs that are not backed by data. Roads are our biggest part of our budget, and it is likely to get worse. We need to look at alternatives and reduce the expectations of residents who expect the moon without raising taxes. You will have hard decisions to take, and you must take them based on some guiding principles: climate change, citizen health and safety, and sustainable growth. We also need to ensure that we attract green industry and that they are carbon-neutral.

We would like to see transportation network service levels measured for all modes of transportation. Currently, service levels look at motorized traffic. This should be expanded to possibly a model similar to what is in place in Ottawa: distinct services levels for cars, trucks, transit, pedestrians, cyclists. Millennials and Gen Z populations greatly value the importance of good transportation options and quality of life and lifestyle; if we want to attract them here, we need to meet their expectations.

Optional question (51 responses, 331 skipped)

Q7 Inclusive Growth: Inclusive growth is defined as economic growth that supports all residents to have access to essential se...



Question options

- Affordable housing. ● Accessible transportation. ● New opportunities for tourism and culture. ● Support for diversity.
● Municipal-Indigenous relations. ● Preservation of heritage properties. ● Support for multiculturalism.

Q8 Other (please specify):

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Affordable Housing includes housing availability for seniors only groups

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Rid our streets of drugs.

2/23/2019 08:50 AM

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None of these are real priorities for me. We should concentrate all tax funds to more important issues such as our roads maintenance, that affect us all, and then we can concentrate on the secondary issues.

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Heritage properties such as the downtown library, arena and Bell Mansion (Art Gallery) need to be preserved with possible addition to Bell Mansion to store art collection and to create museum element to attract tourists. Also possible expansion of Sudbury Theater Centre building as English equivalent of Place des Arts for the Anglophone Arts community.

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We need more quality higher density living at an affordable price. We are encouraging sprawl across this so called Greater City. A denser population will mean lower linear kilometres of infrastructure and thus lower maintenance and construction costs. All future development should take place close to the existing population centres not in the rural area. Higher density also lowers our carbon footprint and overall energy use by making effective public transit more possible.

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None of these issues really concern me just fix the GED roads

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[REDACTED]

Was only given option 6 for heritage, I would have selected 1, sudbury needs to modernize. The past is the past

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don't care for heritage properties. i was forced to put 3

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Build the Kingsway entertainment district!!

2/26/2019 05:40 PM

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There is no need to have staff and resources dedicated to diversity and multiculturalism if there is no where for new people (immigrants) to live and be able to afford to get to work. Indigenous? These people are our neighbours! Does this really need to be a category?

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Your definition of what you are asking here is going way over the heads of most residents.

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Affordable housing soon will be needed by all residence if these taxes/water bills keep going up. You can only drain the people for so long, and then the people leave.

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22/02/2019 11:27 PM

Ranked one on new opportunities for tourism and culture, I highly disagree with the current direction.

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basic income

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22/02/2019 10:20 AM

We have diversity - bridge of Nations but we need to promote this to bring in tourists. Also promote city of lakes and need to protect our drinking water - remove ice fishing and motorized boats from Ramsay.

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22/02/2019 12:15 PM

Though I believe preservation of heritage properties is important - we have to be realistic. The tax base in Sudbury is severely stressed already. Amounts for preservation need to be assessed - and look at the possibility of private funding.

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22/02/2019 10:50 PM

Affordable property taxes

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22/02/2019 01:55 PM

Build the KED!

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22/02/2019 09:47 PM

Another dumb question as they are all equally important. Am I supposed to answer these questions in a ranked way, Really? Actually this section is quite divisive as I am supposed to pick between multiculturalism and indigenous relations. Shame!

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1. Accessible transportation would help manage a lot of issues people have with housing, because it is not possible to live in many areas of town due to the bus schedule. There is no a way people can work, get groceries and go to the gym, all daily tasks, with the bus schedule the way it is. 2. Sudbury PRIDE/FIERTE parade is the worst pride event I have ever attended. I've attended events all over the world and across Canada. The lack of support for the city shows that the LGBTQ2S+ community is not supported in Sudbury. The only people who were there to watch the parade were the regulars at 84 station. The city needs to take a much bigger step in supporting this event. Sudbury is losing lots of potential in tourism and culture by it's lack of support of it's bright and diverse community. 3. Of course. Sudbury is defined by its strong relationship with indigenous peoples. Health Sciences North is a great example of this. Continued land acknowledgements, smudge ceremonies, and drum circles are a staple of life for almost every Sudburian. 4. New opportunities for tourism and culture is linked to point number 1 and 2. 5. For the 1 historical building I am aware of. There should be continued support for this 1 building. If there is anything else...I don't know of it. How about move on St. Josephs Health Centre though? That eye-sore has got to get moving. 6. No thoughts 7. This is covered by 1.

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22/02/2019 11:07 PM

Offer a use it or lose it by law. If a company like the one that owns the old St Joseph hospital hasn't done anything to a property within a year, then they have no choice but to turn their property into a form of affordable housing, The fee for public transit increases but the service still lacks and nothing changes. What about Sunday services being better all year round but

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keeping in mind new Sudbury exist too. The bus' need to link up.

Support for peoples with addictions and mental illness in this community can be streamlined. We need better outreach. The services are there but people have a hard time navigating this huge net of resources that many fall through the cracks.

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cities are about people need to ensure that people have place to stay. that is safe and affordable

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All of the above are important but little can be done in these areas if the City does not have the Financial Resources to even look after it's Infrastructure requirements which Rank #1 in priority. Increasing Financial pressures on all Federal and Provincial governments as well as other Canadian Municipalities will also mean less funding available for Grants, Subsidies etc. so we must remain prudent.

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3/02/2019 10:29 PM

Growing the economy with things like casinos is the opposite of inclusive growth. Ensure investments have benefits beyond increasing GDP.

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3/04/2019 09:48 AM

Investment in public health initiatives to promote health equity.

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3/05/2019 01:50 PM

To establish an Elder Advisory Committee that will coordinate an Annual Elders Gathering of all nationalities living in the Greater City of Sudbury.

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3/05/2019 09:54 PM

Comparable costs in all communities for recreation facilities. Such as Leisure centres.

[REDACTED]
3/05/2019 11:04 AM

This one repeats itself? Can we focus on equality? And i hope by affordable housing you mean property taxes can stop going up.

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once again for me many of these are all #1 priorities.

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I find it very difficult to believe that accessible transportation is on this list (this is why I put it last). This is law and should be fully implemented.

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There needs to be a lot more affordable housing. I think if we all have our basic needs met there won't be so much fear and resentment of others to make us forget we are all humans and we are all in this together.

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- Important topics that were not included in this list include: (i) climate change adaptation (the most vulnerable citizens and neighbourhoods are most impacted); (ii) food security; (iii) community safety. - Support for the population health calls to action is also missing. - Accessible transportation is essential for all citizens to be able to access jobs, school, and other opportunities and needs. - Opportunities for tourism and culture include the arts, public events (both organized and spontaneous), bike tourism, and eco-tourism.

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Again, we need to address climate change and environmental justice for inclusive growth. Food security is also very important.

Tourism and culture can bring in revenue to support equity programs.

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Also...under 'culture'...is there any discount or subsidy programs for people living on ODSP/OW to gain access to municipal venues (e.g. the museum...oh dear...what are our municipal cultural venues??).

This shouldn't even have to be listed as a priority. It should be a given in this time of reconciliation. Larger cities with less demographic of Indigenous peoples are doing more than this City. This needs to be recentered as the right thing to do!

Municipal indigenous relations is critical. There are many transient indigenous people that need support. Figuring out who has responsibility for navigating them towards and providing support is critical.

Affordable housing in high density scenarios and low density scenarios, along main arteries, backing onto nature, not on top of mountains that need a car or taxi. They could be geared to various cultures, or group, which could create "Little [ethnic] Town" scenarios, in big cities, these areas are a benefit to the overall atmosphere of a city. Sudbury has gone thru so many cycles of demolition that such areas could never take root.. aside from in early times, places like the Flour Mill, where predominantly Franco families lived, that sense is next to lost now.. owing to the lack of affordable housing throughout the city, "old" properties in such areas get snatched up by Slumlords then nothing positive can happen. It behooves The City to take the lead in these areas. There are many opportunities, I personally believe to create many positive nooks of culture, allowing "boroughs" to take root..having a overall positive impact on growth. For too long, The City has catered to and focused on the wealthy areas, and they do not put much back into the overall scheme of the city, whereas they only design new developments for people like them in mind. There are so many untapped opportunities. Saying that. The simple lack of dignified affordable housing in general is the main culprit to the positive growth of the city, the levels of crime, and the image. Disparity is the root of all evil. "downtown" or "donovan" people, are not bad... they are merely forced to endure bad living conditions and poverty, which leads to all sorts of crimes, to stay afloat. Poverty, leads to stress, which leads to need to abuse, which leads to need for escape, which leads to addiction, which leads to crime, which leads to jail, which leads to death, which leads to more poverty, stress, abuse, escape, addiction, crime, jail, death, Ad Infinitum. The City could change all that... if it wanted to. "poverty towns" like Louis Street or Rumball Terrace are not the answer though, we know that system is flawed...that only creates division, which creates other kinds of emotional/mental stressors, which lead to other kinds of problems...at school, or social circles of low self-image, all in the end...tied to the problems above. While reaching out to let's say Indigenous groups... is great, isolating them into ghettos is not. I hope this makes sense. Home Ownership Schemes for the poor, low-income, pensioners, folks, that can still take care of themselves and maintain their homes, many old small homes in the city, that could be sold at a small mortgage cost to such a person, much like Rent.. the City could maybe be the "landlord" in that scenario, but the "rent" could pay down the mortgage until such time the house is owned by the person. or such time that the Mortgage is no longer out of reach. 15 Years of Rent to highway

Robber Baron Monopolist from Southern Ontario or Asia, is the same amount of money as a small home. I couldve purchased 3 homes by now, with all the mortgage I paid off for cruel greedy landlords. Why is this system created so rigidly so as to force poor people to stay poor. This could be an incentive to growth, old homes taken over by the poor, allowing incentive for wealthier people to want to build new, or....rent the overcharged flipped units, or purchase the overpriced condos on the market. Force the hand of property owners into at least maintaining a portion of units as affordable. and to maintain the Historical Design elements in situ, of heritage properties. Allow them to dig out the old wiring and plumbing, but not tear out the woodwork or outer decorations that make that building historic. Sudbury went too far during "urban renewal" and left itself all the lesser "old" buildings. which overall made the image suffer, incredibly. Rebuilding lost heritage wonders on their now vacant lots.. can happen.. its not impossible, its worthy and would have positive impacts. Please stop allowing lesser material buildings to replace them. Vynil, currogated metal siding, "architectural coating" are not long term beauty. they are bandaid facades that bring no uprade to the city. support the symphony and the theatre centre

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Affordable housing, also includes Seniors currently living in their own homes, and not being forced out due to expenses continuing to be climbing far beyond rate of inflation!

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Based on current demographics, community offers sufficient exclusivity in my view. New industry should attract new immigrants which will alter growth needs.

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Multi-culturalism and indigenous relations are one and the same. One should not take preference over the other.

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some important elements that have been ignored/forgotten, but are integral to "inclusive growth" : food security, community safety. On the tourism front - eco tourism! On the levels of mitigating future damage to the city, community safety and vulnerable citizens - climate change. Sudbury has to take action on climate change.

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Ensure that transportation investments are equitable. All residents should be able to access healthy streets via public and active transportation to destinations. Holistic health to shift focus from treatment to prevention. Sensitivity and inclusion to promote mental health.

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Again, this question is growth-centred. It should be focused on sustainability. You are tainting your survey by asking leading questions. Also, there is a lack of understanding about how all of these factors are inter-connected, but the survey establishes a competition between them. For the survey, please register this as my OTHER: A systems approach to social services.

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All residents should have the basics for their families. My priorities for everyone are: 1. food security and safe water 2. physical security 3. affordable housing 4. universally accessible transportation 5. a living wage 6. social justice and equity for all, no matter who you are (gender, race, background). The rest brings an enhanced lifestyle that makes living in our

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city a joy.

Accessible transportation needs to address all modes of transportation so residents can get to jobs, school, shopping, and other destinations. One third of our population does not drive a car. We need to ensure that our transportation network is equitable. Cycling tourism is booming in Southern Ontario. Cycling routes are now being implemented in Northern Ontario, and this is an opportunity that we could take to draw additional visitors and potential residents and investments to Greater Sudbury.

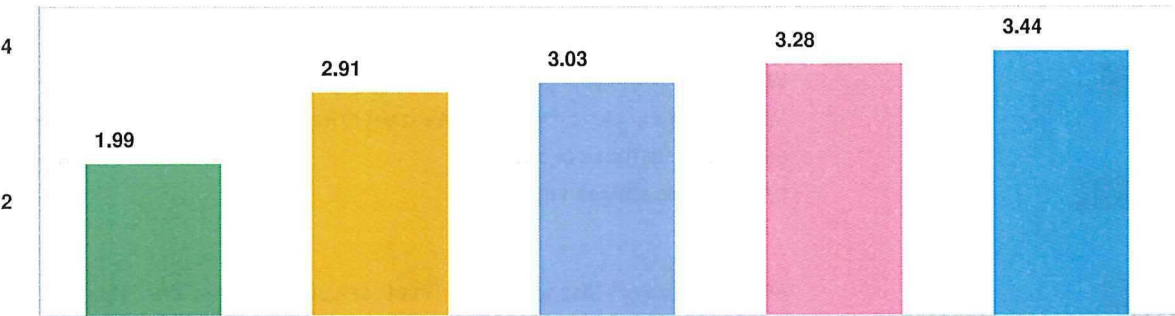
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Despite the smaller populations in the outlying areas, more funds and resources should be allocated to these areas. The center of the city seems to unfairly reap the rewards of all taxpayers.

Optional question (50 responses, 332 skipped)

Q9 Community Trust and Confidence: Which of the following is most important to you in order to build trust in your municipal ...



Question options

- A culture of public transparency and accountability.
- Community engagement (e.g. surveys, open houses, public meetings).
- Local economic growth.
- Diversity of options to communicate with the municipality (e.g. email, social media, mobile devices, 311 Call Centre, in-person, etc.).
- Enhancements to customer service.

Q10 Other (please specify):

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Would love to see younger people working within Tom Davies to bring new forward thinking ideas. How can we expect to keep young people here if they aren't at the forefront of our city

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Infrastructure and road repair

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Affordable Living!! Cleaner streets. Roads and sidewalks that are better cared for in ALL towns under Greater Sudbury (Better Grade Asphalt and Better Plow Services)

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I left "enhancements to customer service" blank because that would require more tax \$ in the eyes of the city, they should be looking for efficiencies at city hall that could lead to more work done with the same resources or less, that would earn my trust.

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We must stop paying just lip service to public consultation forums. If we are going to be inclusive of public participation then let us show true commitment and true accountability towards projects we move forward with. Don't just tell me what the tender price is, tell me what the true cost is upon completion of a project. If you modify a contract to save money tell me where and why it was modified. Errors and omissions happen, let's however own up to them. If we begin with enhancing and improving customer service, we can build on the trust from our citizens.

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A print community guide to be produced twice yearly with information on public services, arts and culture etc (expanded leisure services type publication) would contain links to internet sites for more info .. could contain ads to support publication - would serve to expose more citizens to services, activities etc.

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NEVER EVER AGAIN make a decision like that of the chromite smelter without transparent public consultation. It was sneaky, dangerous and caused me to lose faith and trust in the city. You want me to trust you? Behave in a trustworthy fashion. We live up here. Do not invite harmful industries here AGAIN without consulting the public. Do I seem angry? I am.

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Transparency and accountability are key, and are sorely lacking at this juncture. Community engagement must be real, it must be meaningful, and it must be seen to be effective and influential.

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A formal review of all senior managers and supervisory staff. I have never been impressed by their competence or integrity.

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Not having your 311 operators hanging up on people when giving complaints on services the city isn't providing in a timely manner

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The mining industry is dying, need to focus on more growth opportunities. Ie

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KED, for starters regardless of tax increases. Look at Elliot Lake, a literal retirement community.... dont want the same to happen to Sudbury.

If the city want's the trust of the people you have to stop raising taxes and water fee's. Homeowners can't afford it and therefore lose trust in our local government.

look at the disaster you have done with KED. we want it build. I cannot believe the arts is being built, i don't care for it. plus the city is always bailing out bad buisnesses instead of allowing buisness that we want here and would thrive. listen to the people and not the handful of downtown people. Stop spending my tax \$ downtown

Show me that you actually do the research for costs and new ideas.

Compare the experiences of other cities, stop acting as if Sudbury was in its own galaxy! Get rid of the old buggers with their old ideas and small minds - get some new blood, new ideas that think outside the box and most of all, GET RID OF THE CORRUPTION AND "OTHER AGENDAS"!!

The meeting and open house are ALWAYS AFTER the city has made its decisions. The taxpayers are frustrated.

Acknowledging that our city has an opioid crisis would help me build trust. As of now I feel the general health of our community is being ignored. The gap between our wealthy and most vulnerable is widening and our city is turning a blind eye. Also if you add economic growth to every category, you are likely going to have this become a "priority" it really should not be part of this category and the fact thst it is shows how poorly this survey has been designed.

Should not a culture of public transparency and accountability already by in place? If you are a representative of any government, this should already be in place, and not something we should be voting on, to put in place.

Many of your staff do not listen or try to understand the callers problem before coming to the conclusion that they cannot offer any kind of help. There was a solution available to my problem for several months before anyone was willing to offer it. It took having to threaten to go to the Human Rights Commission in order to receive a proper solution despite having talked to staff multiple times. At no point during any of these encounters did anyone offer any kind of empathy. Perhaps better training about Accessibility would have helped but in order for that to have worked you would have needed to have staff who actually give a shit and it was very clear that that was not the case. Perhaps they were unwilling to help because they were afraid doing so would mean they would get reprimanded but something needs to change. Real engagement that gives you clear direction, not this.

Need to have referendums

We need to back local small business and local farmers. I tried a small business and failed. I still have issues with taxes that have to be addressed.

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It is very complicated system and really ended up costing me in the long run.
There must be an easier way.
Build the KED!

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You want a smooth running municipality just be honest and transparent. Why do you think KED is such a mess? The truth wasn't told from the beginning, things that are going to cost us in terms of infrastructure for the project were never figured in or worse yet hidden. Listen, the community needs a new arena and if the only issue was the location this project would be sailing through and the naysayers would have been silenced but the Council, especially one in particular have made this effort a real mess.

1. The City should speak to the public on why that have done the bare minimum to address public transport concerns and growth of options. Why only buses. Is this the only way for us to get around? 2. Survey's are great 3 and 4 are the same thing 5. The City needs to be a place where a healthy economy can grow, but it isn't the municipal governments place to interfere with the business community, it simply needs to create a place where it can flourish.

All Age friendly public input.

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there is a complete lack of public transparency and accountability in the city and how management and council works again see KED - when the "anti-casino" host a fundraiser to pay off legal fees... [REDACTED] is having dinner with Ford in hopes that Ford can intervene to build a city project on [REDACTED] property Further to my previous notes this question of public transparency and accountability seems to have become more noticeable in Sudbury. Trust is important. Once lost it is difficult to retrieve.

I hope the new Integrity Commissioner takes Mr. Kirwan to task. I feel he is an embarrassment, & his comments are scandalous & shameful. I think his manner creates suspicion & his tendency to bullying is outrageous. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] he needs to be told how to behave, & what he shouldn't do.

Hold more referendums and actually implement the results.

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Town hall on how road contracts are decided. The eyeball test suggests we're getting fleeced by someone...

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Local economic growth is #2 for me, but must be sustainable and environmentally viable. Not jobs at all costs

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I'd like to see Sudbury really capitalize on its "lifestyle" marketing by making it the best city on a lake in northern Ontario. More active living trails, and even snowmobile trails, cross-country trails, biking trails. (Great job on the Paris Street trail!) More public beaches!!! And if the city needs to open up some property to allow for more residences to be built on undeveloped lakes, make it so! There's enough education out there to minimize environmental impacts

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on new lakeside developments. Also, a push from the city to get Sudbury a GO station, so people from southern Ontario can visit, and Sudburians can have an alternate choice than the 400/69.

Quantity of means of communication has nothing to do with trust and confidence

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Responsible financial decisions, long-term planning, sustainable development and decision making at council based on facts not feelings or what's best of a few rich people and not all of Sudbury (ie Kingsway Development) and our future. No more sprawl; we cannot afford to upkeep the infrastructure we have, why add more and more....density and core (downtown) growth needed. Community engagement; My experience has been that when the public are invited to attend in person input/information sessions, it is a one-way street. Decisions have already been made and it is too late for meaningful input or actual change based on citizen feedback. Stop pretending that you have done community consultation so you can simply check-off a box on your do-to list.

When we have all of the above and come up with a carefully constructed city plan, please use it.

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Municipal officials visiting indigenous agencies and events that are made possible in the Greater City of Sudbury to participate in celebration and to become more aware of our shared history and traditional territory of Indigenous People in the Greater City of Sudbury and surrounding communities.

Don't ignore the smaller outlying communities. We deserve equal access to programs, recreation facilities and transportation. We had them before you amalgamated us and we deserve them now.

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Why did I just hear about this survey less than 1 week prior to deadline? To make it worse only because a friend posted it on Facebook!! Shame on you Sudbury, I do not live in a shell I read papers listen to radio and watch local news yet did not hear a thing!

You can talk to people but nothing comes of it. Maybe work on a better follow up system or have better hours. Like be open when people are done work.

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There needs to be a variety of ways in which the City solicits input. This is the community's decision--staff are in place to facilitate. Effort needs to be put into finding ways to get input from disadvantaged and marginalized groups. I think it goes without saying that customer service and public accountability and transparency should be given.

Our core values need to be based around the understanding that nobody should be "left behind". Do our leaders really understand that a sustainable society/community has to provide for our neediest in ways that enrich dignity not erode it. If they did, we could all follow good examples. Until then egos and power struggles will continue to be the focus rather than the issues.

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- Support of community-led projects and initiatives (e.g. through Community Action Networks, Neighbourhood Associations, or grassroots community groups) is an essential aspect of community engagement and community

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trust and confidence that is missing from this list. - We would like to emphasize the importance of 'closing the loop' for community engagement: reporting back on results, as well as sharing community input received with Council (e.g. in timely staff reports).

Supporting community-led projects, initiatives and decisions. Empowering residents.

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Surveys are good...I'm doing one...but not always advertised, available. And need to be analyzed and acted on for benefit.

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There are enough methods to communicate with The City.. the problem lies in the "call back during regular business hours" model. 9:15 am to 4:30pm is not good enough. We are a 24 hour world. The Transit service for instance operates till 1am. There are enough people employed at the Depot, to answer a phone after "regular business hours" until such time that there are no more buses on the road for the day. The Community Engagement is great these past years...how effective are the suggestion box collections though. Are things being heard, read, reviewed, used? or.... just typing into an echo chamber?

Compliance with master plans and decisions made based on evidence from experts and other community experiences

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Although the city does not seem to understand how growth happens - the KED is an example of an anti-growth policy. Focus instead on promoting exports - mining supply and post-secondary education have been the big wins in the last 30 years.

Training skills for staff to be more approachable, respectful and willing to listen to community input with an open mind.

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City has grown quite a toxic reputation for working on political agendas developing projects even when independent studies did not support these projects. Trust and confidence will only be restored when city return to responding and reacting to the wishes of the voting taxpayers.

I ranked customer service as a 5 not to say that it is not an important factor when dealing with the c/s representatives, councillors, or the Mayor's office, but that there is a level of service excellence that is expected when dealing with gov't agencies.

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My #5 choice is - genuine support for projects led by community. This city makes is excruciatingly difficult for people to create and carry out projects that would positively impact our city, individual neighbourhoods, and residents.

-Establish a lobbyist registry. -Require the estimation of greenhouse gas emissions prior to any decision-making related to policies and programs (in the same way that municipal costs are now considered).

I'm not sure why local economic growth is here - what we need is a sustainable community and local economic growth may or may not be part of this. There are a lot of things that bring trust, including making good decisions based on facts and the urgency to address the top most risks we face as a community (aka climate change, infrastructure, costs that may supercede all

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other spending, etc.) Trust comes with good governance, with demonstrated leadership, with good decisions that are fact-based, with a strategic plan that addresses the critical needs we face, and implementation plans that follow that plan. The City also needs to streamline processes and eliminate barriers for citizens and community groups that try to make a difference. Our city runs on volunteers and many of them are losing trust that the City truly values their contributions.

People who bike want to be involved in the decisions that directly affect them, including designing, building, operating, and maintaining roads. They should be consulted when the City addresses cycling infrastructure in their neighbourhoods and on the travel corridors that they use. The roads belong to everyone, so everyone should have the opportunity to speak to changes to city streets and roads. The Active Transportation Coordinator has been implementing a number of very good initiatives for community engagement, including stakeholder discussions and sessions, Over To You projects, and outreach options to residents. We need to standardize opportunities for community engagement across the corporation, and build in enough time so the community and community groups have enough time to review documents, gather together to discuss directions, talk to their councillor, and provide thoughtful input. The results of community consultation should be summarized and published so people can see the results and value the importance of providing input.

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Multiple sources have stated the deplorable state of the workplace culture at the City. If the organization cannot maintain a fair, respectable and professional environment from within, I do not think it is feasible to foster community confidence in their capabilities.

Optional question (58 responses, 324 skipped)

Q11 Are there additional topics, factors or categories that should be a strategic priority for the City of Greater Sudbury over the next several years?

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<div></div> <div>2/22/2019 02:50 AM</div>	-Affordable living. -Needles everywhere (safe injection site) - Better roads.
<div></div> <div>2/22/2019 02:55 PM</div>	<p>Fix our damn roads properly!!!! Key word is properly! Find better alternatives to just giving the contract to the cheapest bidder that uses the cheapest sub par material. Also Find efficiencies at city hall. There are many conflicts within departments, and especially with managers who are simply there to pursue their own political agendas rather than serve the people. City should cut back on pay for the top earners on the sunshine list. The money could be better spent on more front line staff or on infrastructure. If they do not agree to a pay cut, I'm sure there would be many eager and willing people out there that would do the same job for far less.</p> <p>continued work toward understanding community engagement beyond the downtown core</p>
<div></div> <div>2/22/2019 03:52 AM</div>	<p>Get back to sound maintenance of existing infrastructure and use your resources to their full potential. Increase the level of quality control within the areas of infrastructure renewal which you are doing. Be open and upfront as to cost of getting things done. Quit using the argument that service levels will be lowered if we don't increase funding as even with increases the services have been scaled back. Find a balance between internal and contracted services. Speak to front line service provider resources before implementing not after implementing changes. Be inclusive as opposed to exclusive. Quit investing huge sums of money in monitoring and analyzing instead of doing things. Try applying pressure on higher levels of governance to invest in renewal instead of new projects.</p> <p>More financial assistance to help residents who are in their own homes but</p>

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just able to make ends meet. So perhaps more grant opportunities for our citizens.

We must reach for Climate Change targets as per the IPCC - UN report. There can be no further global warming beyond 1.5%. In Sudbury, we must reduce carbon emissions by 45% by 2030. The brunt of the clean up of extreme weather systems will fall on the municipality. This will cost big money.

Supports for adults with disabilities (places for them to go to have support and be productive community members).

Assist local business to develop and expand. Also to help local businesses by rejecting expanded gambling which according to LU economics professor David Robinson "is the economic equivalent of letting the minister of finance put a vacuum cleaner in the pockets of local business"

Diversifying the economy, cut out red tape for enviro friendly industries (eg. Tech companies), think innovatively: sudbury has a lot to offer. We aren't just a mining town anymore. We need a fresh approach to business development and not jusybsame old, same old. We have land, relatively cheap housing, a diverse workforce and are easily accessible by land, air and rail.

Reducing City of Greater Sudbury staff and personnel levels while at the same time maintaining service levels through technology and outsourcing opportunities.

We pay some of the highest taxes in Ontario and our roads are the worst! Road repairs and maintenance must be a high priority with the city! Please concentrate on roads .

Attracting new buisness ans jobs, not scoring buisness growth away

Support for culture

Climate change should be a priority. We've already seen this past winter that our weather is getting more extreme, and we should be encouraging more be done to reduce our GHG output.

Protection of our environment, with the proper management of waste products - i.e. no sewage bypasses, effective action on climate change - these should be top priorities.

Time to build the Kingsway Entertainment District screw those that opposed it and just plow through and develop it need to move the city into the 21st century

Services to outlining areas such as Rayside Balfour, Val Caron, Coniston etc...

The city needs to do more to discourage urban sprawl. This is starting to become a major issue. It is difficult to provide the same level of service to outlying areas that the city core receives. Preventing Sudbury from spreading out even further is important.

Infill existing infrastructure and increase urban density. Maintain rehabilitate existing roads and not create any new ones besides arterial roads, like Maley

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Drive. Focus large project development in the downtown core and build strong suburban communities with convenient transportation options. Roads need to be repaired. We are past just potholes, many are just disintegrating & need repaving, the whole road not just little sections. Also better snowplowing of both roads & sidewalks needs addressing. Just throwing salt down & waiting for it to melt is not good enough. Not enough thought is given into a whole winter plan of how & where to plow at the beginning of the season. No reason to have road lanes reduced in size or these massive snow banks.

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Preserving what little green space we have left, rather than spending money that we can't afford to spend on frivolous expenditures.

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Roads and lowering taxes

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Take back the downtown from the drug dealers and transients. Move the methadone clinics out of the downtown core. Police foot patrols would foster a higher level of communication and trust within the downtown businesses. Get RID of the parking meters and get into the 20th century. Allow the use of ride-share services to compete with local taxi companies.

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Elimination of deficit budgets and tax increases, wasteful spending has to be controlled.

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Become more efficient in delivering services..

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The aging population is a problematic issue that must be addressed. All indicators do not show a projected zero population growth in the near and far future, so additional services for this segment of the population will be required. This will include more beds in long term care facilities.

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Road improvement. Look at renewable road technologies ie, plastic bottle roads that they are doing in Europe. Might be a game changer

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- City controlled work force to manage public works (snow removal, drainage, on-going pot hole repair) and other uncontrollable events. - contracting out should be for basic needs, not what the citizens expect

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Just as I said above. Stop with the tax hikes and water fee hikes. It's gotten to be too much.

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yes, stop having to over tax and actually budget like we all have to to pay our bills. why are we giving away 4million to develop condos to a private company? why!!!!

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Cleaning up the needles and garbage, solutions to the bed bug problem so many people are incurring here. Homelessness prevention. More shelters.

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Roads

 2/26/2019 05:25 PM	New arena, more job growth and attraction. Need for conference centres,
 2/26/2019 05:30 PM	Working on the budget and top heavy management
 2/26/2019 05:34 PM	Clean water. Clean lakes. Preservation of our city lakes. Focus on the aging population and services that are required (i.e. affordable housing, long term care, etc.). Focus on meeting the needs of those who are poor and those who suffer from addictions.
 2/26/2019 05:40 PM	Build the Kingsway entertainment district!!
 2/26/2019 05:48 PM	clean up the city streets, we need manditory rehabs not injection sites.
 2/26/2019 05:51 PM	Health care strategies
 2/26/2019 07:09 PM	Build KED. Promote growth in the city. Provide support and incentives for small business.
 2/26/2019 07:12 PM	Monetize the city. Can't tax us to death
 2/26/2019 07:24 PM	Infrastructure is number one. Without it, this isn't a city.
 2/26/2019 07:54 PM	Stop listening to those who want hold back progress. Always progress with evidence based legislation
 2/26/2019 07:57 PM	Sudbury has the capability, and a responsibility to its citizens, to show the world that we are the mining capital. Come here for mining expertise and new technology!! Show the rest of Canada how we get along with our indigenous neighbours in business partnerships and education for young people. If you do this, then new immigrants will take a second look, decide maybe this IS a good place to live?
 2/26/2019 07:59 PM	Cancel the KED
 2/26/2019 08:04 PM	Rethink the KED stop this bleeding of money when the people are so against it, don't fight your constituents
 2/26/2019 08:05 PM	Roads are a massive priority.
 2/26/2019 08:10 PM	Accountability and openness
 2/26/2019 08:10 PM	Continue to prioritize the need for affordable and quality early learning and child care in our community; LEAN methodology across the municipal offices

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to address administrative duplications and direct funds to services for the community and people; indigenous awareness and cultural sensitivity
Community health, opioid crisis, growing income disparity, holding contractors financially responsible for poorly done work / road work, and stiff penalties/ blocking them from bidding on new tenders. Support for eco-tourism and growth not closure of local campgrounds. Decrease barriers to zoning, to allow more residents (not developers) to modify dwellings to accomodate aging family members by allowing for retrofit of R1 zoning to R2 and rebates for those who make those investments.

Creating and supporting Sudbury as the cultural and tourism hub of Northern Ontario

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YES> The Casino/hotel/etc. can be done away with. These will only be part time/casual hired staff anyway, and I believe the young students do not need to work in such places as Casinos. I don't believe Sudbury needs more people spending money they don't have and add another addiction to society. ditch it!

Downtown parking, especially the limited accessible parking spaces. 4 hours of parking is often not enough for people with disabilities who work and monthly passes are not available anywhere but one central location. What is someone expected to do when they have trouble walking or breathing and work closer to the center of downtown and are outside of the distance they can safely walk to and from those monthly pass lots.

Yes. The CGS should focus on expenditure management and opportunities to repair existing infrastructure. It should also focus on the behaviour of Councillors (inappropriate behaviour of award 5 Coy full of as an example) and how to work better together instead of constant bickering. It leaves an appearance of a city that is poorly run and it lacks professionalism.

Make KED happen because downtown is hard to park for Wolves Hockey

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Retaining youth through a variety of initiatives but not limited to diversification of the economy (growth is good, but I think diversification is even better). Improving services to citizens. Reviewing bylaws are accomplishing what they set out to do. Improving the real-estate market (many homes could be made more desirable by making small changes to bylaws).

Declare Environmental emergency Continue to build cycling infrastructure and pedestrian-friendly streets, complete streets Continue to make transit as affordable as possible Reduce plastic - ban bottled water Adherence to Official Plan

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current infrastructure maintenance. Put "first things first" instead of chasing very high risk pie-in-the-sky ideas like KED for example. You should not be gambling with taxpayer money - this is not the lowest risk option for the community with respect to that project.

A hard focus on improving all existing business districts across the city. We need our neighbourhoods back and not endless sprawl.

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Gradually moving the cente of SUDBURY away from downtown which is increasingly old and no longer feasible to keep pouring money into this area to attract business Time to grow in another area more presentable to shoppers business and tourism No one wants to shop downtown!!
Stop raising my taxes for your casino

Density of the core.

Change our focus to a healthy community. Encourage active lifestyle - walking, biking, events, etc.

GET THE KINGSWAY CENTRE BUILT!!

Management of the knowledge / brain drain resulting from the retirement of baby boomers within the corporate structure of the City.

social services and housing. put those who are able, to work, generational free loading has to stop.

GET OVER THE DOWNTOWN ...THAT IS OVER AND DONE ...WE NEED TO MOVE ALL OVER THE CITY AND SUPPORT EVERYWHERE TO BUILD A BIGGER AND BETTER WELCOME CITY
More community based events festivals,fairs

Reduce taxes. Taxes keep increasing along with regular cost of living being high and only going up. I don't get a raise at work when taxes go up. This city is becoming much too expensive to live in for the lack of entertainment and things to do that matter to the younger population that keeps moving away to larger cities with more to do and better cost of living. The amount of spending, from what I see, is due to contracting services out and paying a premium and markup on these services, when they could be done in house where cost can be controlled and services can be better managed.

Continue the greening of Greater Sudbury with emphasis on the entrances to the City. (tree planting etc.)

concentrate on core services and improving communication

Fix the roads. Stop spending public money on pet projects.

Roads,,, take care of your seniors! Hospital...all as important

In order to better serve those that are vulnerable in our community, there

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should be better access to the necessities within the different communities. This would mean building up downtowns, eliminating sprawl and adding pedestrian-friendly infrastructure. There should be a freeze on any projects that are not walkable from existing hubs within our city.

overdose prevention sites & supervised consumption facilities

It has been several years and councils but it is TIME to initiate some of the core values and concepts of the Constellation City Report. The outlying communities will not be treated with less respect forever and there will be bite back coming.

Our population is not growing and we should accept that and plan accordingly by encouraging development in areas that already have infrastructure rather than in areas that do not. New roads like the Maley extension are totally unnecessary, as is building a new arena (period, ie. in any location) and focus should be on maintaining our existing infrastructure. Please stop KED, the tax burden on Sudbury home owners is too high. Pressure the owner of the former General Hospital to clean-up the area.

Focus on protecting our environment and natural resources. Fix roads, side walks and focus less about urban sprawl. We are currently so ass backwards it's embarrassing.

Would like to see topics and strategy on how to attract and retain youth and young adults in our community.

Active lifestyle infrastructure. Sudbury falls well short in the quality and quantity of our facilities. Arenas, ball fields, soccer pitches, walking trails, programs to engage youth and young adults.

-support downtown living;students and families -limit tax increases to inflation;don't tax residents from city -obtain provincial support for the Regional hospital -support LTC beds in unused schools

GROWING THE ECONOMY! What's the plan for attracting new businesses? How are we developing the workforce to meet the needs of our growing tech sector? How are we marketing our community as a viable alternative to the southern Ontario lifestyle? ("crafted" won't work...) Where is the support for more affordable housing for young professionals looking to move up here as a result of increased opportunities? Where's the investment in infrastructure that has tangible economic benefits like an industrial park? (\$100s of Millions on entertainment infrastructure and not a thought to what our growing mining service supply sector needs)

De-amalgamation

Having qualified professionals in the appropriate work positions. Attract talent from outside the city and be receptive to outside ideas

Sudbury's demographics continue to change to an older population. Develop a plan that provides opportunity/encouragement for youth to work and live in Sudbury rather than relocating.

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The 17 bypass was not very well planned. This should have been 4 laned. At least have a couple of passing lanes between lively and coniston. It is ridiculous to be stuck behind people doing 80km or less for that whole section of road. I have seen people with road rage so many times. Passing on corners, passing on double lines, passing in snow storms! Tailgating snowplows. I travel this everyday and I have had some scary rides home. White out conditions, trucks making it worse and tailgating when the weather is bad.

Accountability of poor road conditions.

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Building casino and bringing more stores

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Can't say it enough..... Build the KED!

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I believe libraries and sports facilities are important. I value the many different walking trails we have, including high quality trails suitable for those in wheelchairs.

Listen to all your citizens but remember you must decide based on what is best for the city not someone's pet peeve. For example people wanting every snowbank on their street gone in a year of record breaking snowfall.

You ask about inclusiveness—ethnic, economic, etc.—but forget geography! CoGS is a community of communities. The so-called 'outlying region' feels ignored. Money has flowed into the downtown core for decades, hundreds of millions of dollars, and the rest of us get a pittance.

Downtown parking.

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Transport options beyond buses. Why aren't we talking about a train line from Paris up Notre Dame? St. Josephs Health Centre needs to be addressed.

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Supportive housing Community housing Transitional housing

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I feel that more attention needs to be given to current artistic/cultural institutions.

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More emphasis on protecting the environment with a "Green" strategic plan to reduce the city's carbon footprint. (i.e.: gradually replace city vehicles (including busses) with electric vehicles, use solar or wind energy, when possible, offer incentives to citizens to do the same, etc...)

Action on climate change.

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Reduction of the red tape and the favoritism regarding contracts, construction, etc. so things would finally be done right and collusion would decrease.

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Adding playgrounds for kids around town that are safe.

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Following the master plan that has been slowly formed over the course of the last 20 years or so..



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I would like to stress that fiscal responsibility is crucial. Our taxes increase at an alarming rate, however, we see very little increase in services, etc. In fact, many services have declined --- this is not acceptable.



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Clean up vermin - how embarrassing for our city and horrifying for tenants that landlords are not keeping properties pest-free. Need to empower bylaw to get after these slumlords!



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Mentioned above, but please pay attention to those suffering from mental health issues and addictions in our community. When we lift these people from poverty and addiction, everyone benefits and there will be new members of the community that are able to contribute and bring hope into the community and they weren't before. We need a team specifically dedicated to this day and night, in my opinion. They need individuals who are able to work one on one with people and offer support not just for an hour or two before seeing another client but really be able to impact. What we have right now does not seem to be working.



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Health and Wellness - removing geographical and financial barriers to healthy food, healthy activity, healthy home, healthy environment.



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Roads MUST be a focus of the city over the next couple of years. Our roads are dangerous and unacceptable for a city of our size.



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focus on development that will reduce energy consumption and is the most environmentally friendly. The city need increase density by infilling the objective should be get ahead of curve By continuing to build on the periphery (ie KED) the city will fall behind the city needs make sure everybody has a place to live - affordable housing increase the population living in the downtown - more residential unit in downtown. will make the downtown more vibrant and encourage more people to live here Active transportation - need to get people out of their car. Delaying Lasalle bike path is a mistake the city should be a leader in these type of project (ex Hamilton increase there snow removal to include bike lanes and paths) Investing in and building a strong and empowered community - investment of opportunities for citizens to be a part of developing programs and services for their community - support volunteer groups to extend service capacity - investment in employees to empower them to get the best out of their day to deliver services and programs to the community - invest in their skill development to deliver services differently, invest in the right buildings to house the right resources and equipment - enable them to participate in reviewing and improving work processes so they can contribute to efficient work processes so they can feel pride in their work



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Investing and promoting new business to the city, using incentives and tax breaks to lure new business to Greater Sudbury.



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- Fiscal responsibility - Growing our downtown and fixing our parking issues -



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Focused priorities - let's get one big project done at a time.

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Major road repairs. Dr-amalgamation of outlying communities.

3/02/2019 12:27 AM

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In Sudbury we continue to basically rely on the production of Nickle and other minerals for our well being. With the amazing input of many individuals and institutions over the last number of generations we have matured in many well documented ways. However we should continue to work with our major mining companies and educational facilities to develop World class expertise for export to the World. This should included encouraging related secondary industries to locate in Sudbury. Growth of this type should be our overriding objective but we must maintain Fiscally Responsible community if we are to achieve this objective.

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The opioid crisis needs to be addressed but not with free needles and safe injection sites but with more funding for treatment centres

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Divert storm water inflows to waste water treat plants Tertiary water treatment for wastewater

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Fix our roads, using good asphalt and no substandard products even if it's cheaper. It will last longer.

3/02/2019 09:03 PM

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City should re-assess the downtown location for arena, so to save money much \$\$ on the LPAT process. The \$10 for land seems to be bribery. No hotel is interested in building beside the dump. Casino will NOT attract tourists & create expensive social problems. Not too late to make a new decision because new facts are known. No guarantee Wolves team won't get sold. Too risky.

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This city must become a green city. bike lanes must be installed across the city, asap. When redoing the roads, because this winter has demolished almost all our roads, proper bike lanes should finally be installed.

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Harm reduction ie: Drug Strategies Affordable housing/transit and programs for seniors

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Roads

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Bylaw limiting the number of predatory loan offices (i.e. payday loans) permitted in our city.

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Sustainability = sustainable growth, sustainable development, sound research.

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Social Isolation, and Social Inclusion

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Sidewalks. this winter had demonstrated the importance of having sidewalks.

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Children and older adults were walking on roads.

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Stop catering exclusively to the aging population. Balance the needs of younger families - ones that you can attract to begin their lives in the Sudbury areas. Roads, etc. are important; so are recreational facilities (bigger arena complexes that can attract larger events, etc.) . Build these facilities in ways that they can serve varied audiences from young to old.

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I'd like to see recognition that culture/entertainment can be a significant economic contributor and treating it as such, instead of splitting it from economic development.

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Vulnerable populations/ homeless

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Inclusivity and attentiveness for the needs of all areas of Greater Sudbury, meaning those outside of the former city of Sudbury when decisions are being made as to where infrastructure dollars will be spent. Citizens living in Valley East, Rayside-Balfour, Dowling etc are often an after-thought as plans move forward.

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Health - the city currently subsidizes some health care (e.g. FHT, physician recruitment) but not others. I would rather see these investments go into health promotion and wellness activities (e.g. seniors and youth programs, support to volunteer sports organizations) and marginalized populations (e.g. homeless) instead of direct health care by organizations/physicians who are 100% funded by the MOHLTC.

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Topics should be a little more defined in terms of exactly what is important for citizens and what they would like to see. Recreation facilities in the same category as the roads doesn't work as they are both major issues in need of attention.

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ROADS

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I would like to see the City look at limiting tax increases to the inflation rate - or at least starting with this as a target. The budgeting process seems to always look at maintaining past service levels. However annual 3.5% tax increases and 7.5% water and sewer increases are not sustainable (my wage increases have averaged 1% during this period). I would like to see Council consider reducing service levels to limit tax increases to the level of inflation.

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- Executing the large projects - Increase dwellings downtown

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An arena should be built before a new police station. An arena and event Centre brings tourists and money. A new police station should not be a priority. In fact an old building should be repurposed.

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Develop out lying areas

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Invest in infrastructure; follow the European example that sound infrastructure (like roadways, transit, water/waste water) are key to economic stability and

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growth. Think of the long term...
Hospitals, Water , emergency services

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the out lining communities

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Topic - Tourism and increasing Sudbury's reputation as a vibrant, dynamic, cosmopolitan city year-round.

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Reducing police force, and more strategic priorities for GSPS. Hire social workers instead of police officers. Crime is low, GSPS needs to change their focus.

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the single most important issue facing us right now is climate change. Without a climate that can support life, the infrastructure and economical concerns addressed in this planning will be meaningless over the long term. With the opportunity to have employees work away from the business centers and have great electronic communications we need to move forward to advertise the opportunities for a broader geographical solution to the crowded large cities. We know that the optimum size for cities to prosper is 250-300 thousand, we should be trying to get Ontario full of cities that size and one of them should be Sudbury.

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Road maintenance , Snow removal , Better city bus service for Levack and Onaping

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No sidewalk cleaners in Levack

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Roads, Roads, Roads.

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funnel more resources into crumbling infrastructure (roads, water mains, etc) instead of pipe dream arenas, theaters, as well as bailing out a select few private businesses

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Enhance and further develop opportunity for Municipal Officials to gain cultural awareness to foster cultural safety throughout the City.

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Help for our seniors to have a productive life

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Yes looking at updating the infrastructure in towns that not have been looked at since 1950 or before like Capreol. It's an old train town and moving into 2020 I feel the old cast iron pipes we have our Sewars going through need to be replaced with newer pvc piping when residents have a back up/complaint.. needs to be looked at more then just telling residents to get a contractor and deal with it. We pay taxes and property taxes for a reason..

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net zero carbon community by 2050, 100% renewable energy by 2030, green building and sustainable/multi-purpose building for any new development radon gas - teaching the community, free testing and grants for mitigation in affected dwellings

<div></div> <div>3/20/2019 07:38 PM</div>	Fix the roads!!!
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<div></div> <div>3/20/2019 09:50 PM</div>	<p>Enough with the wasted resources - gains in efficiency can perhaps avoid the yearly tax increases. We already pay more than comparable cities. For example, don't spend who knows how much for a few years on a police station reno only to just flip-flop and decide to derail and build an entirely new one that will almost certainly come in well over budget.</p> <p>To improve the affordable housing issues show more support for landlords ,less laws that show favor to bad tenants at the expense of good landlords. Allow home owners more freedom to create apartments in their homes. The extra income could help young people buy a home and also create a home for someone that needs one until able to purchase their own.</p> <p>Roadways . Smaller community be built up instead of gorn down and lefr to deteriorate</p>
<div></div> <div>3/25/2019 10:11 PM</div>	
<div></div> <div>4/06/2019 07:45 AM</div>	
<div></div> <div>3/26/2019 11:04 AM</div>	<p>Roads. No one will come to this town if you blow a tire every 5ft. Stop building new ones and fix the ones we have. Taxes keep going up my wage is the same. Minimum wage is catching up to what was once considered a good job maybe everyone should get a cost of living adjustment. And the #1 thing you missed was health care. Let's get people out of hallways and staff rested with a normal work load. Health is #1 we awful mental health services in this town and you shut down the breast health. People are dieing on the new purp going around maybe have more police who actually bust these people? Hahaba can't keep waiting on Chelmsford Ford to do that job.</p> <p>Take climate change seriously. The human impact is large. Stop allowing cars on the lakes during the winter months, fix the roads, make sure that lake ramsay and other lakes are not polluted. Focus on Mental Health/Addictions. Stop the KED.</p>
<div></div> <div>3/26/2019 11:29 AM</div>	<p>BALANCE THE BUDGET, It is stupid and unsustainable to spend more than the revenue you generate, do not mortgage the future of the city, spend responsibly</p>
<div></div> <div>3/26/2019 11:39 PM</div>	<p>More access to free mental health services for everyone in need (a lot of people can't afford basic counseling).</p>
<div></div> <div>3/27/2019 07:39 AM</div>	<p>Invest in the downtown. Make what we have better instead of building more we can't afford</p>
<div></div> <div>3/27/2019 11:11 AM</div>	<p>I am a strong supporter of our local businesses and the downtown core, which I believe is the heart of any city. I truly feel that the downtown core is being neglected by the City. The downtown business owners rely on street parking and for this reason the streets of the downtown should be a priority with regards to snow removal. Please allocate a reasonable amount to snow removal and road maintenance and make downtown a priority, as well as city transit stops to encourage the use of public transportation. Also please consider refurbishing the existing infrastructure rather than build new.</p>

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3/07/2019 11:06 AM

Listening to experts, stop being swindled by businessmen.

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Climate change is top of mind--to this end, an efficient and affordable public transit system that is not more of the same, and which can be accessed by most citizens. Secondly, bike and walking paths. I have previously suggested completing the Lily Creek boardwalk to the Regent Street side to create a loop with York and Paris. If people have safe spaces to walk, and to cycle they will do so more frequently. Policy to make vehicles heavier than x Tonnes to not use central, frequently used roads, but the perimeter instead. Diversification of business and economic growth. Less reliance on the mining industry as a source of "good" jobs

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Public transit to the airport Preserving green spaces within the core city - including undeveloped recovering forest areas near the city centre

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-more emphasis on local foods -a family changeroom in city pool buildings, to provide privacy for showering and changing when parents bring a child of the opposite gender (Showering in front of a 6-year-old boy is uncomfortable for me, and for many other women and teens. He is too young to go into a changeroom without a grownup, but what about a scaled-down version of what the Y has?)

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Getting rid of drug and human trafficking in Sudbury

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#1 We need to pledge 100% sustainability in all quarters, climate matters need to be be addressed. #2 Poverty issues need to be addressed.

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Administration. Lack of confidence in City Hall.

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- Action on climate change (mitigation and adaptation) should be a top priority for Greater Sudbury (and all municipalities). The action taken over the next few years will determine the liveability of our future and the future of our kids and grandkids. Climate change affects all areas/topics/factors/categories. As such, it should be its own pillar and be a consideration for every pillar in the strategic plan. - Building community is another topic that should be included. A community's well-being is dependent on the quality of relationships among its citizens. Building community fosters and strengthens those relationships. It creates a sense of belonging and enhances the overall health of a community: residents are socially connected, neighbourhoods are safe, resilient and vibrant, community led projects and events flourish. - Local food and agriculture, and food security is another topic that should be included.

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Action on climate change: the window for action is now for a liveable future for ourselves, our children and grandchildren. Building community Local food and agriculture and food security

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I received this survey link through an email indirectly from the Coalition for a Livable Sudbury...so yes...I am supporting the petition to have the CGS

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declare Climate Change an Emergency. It really aligns with so many of the other priorities listed early in the survey. And it continues the remarkable transition from Sudbury as a wasteland, to a re-greening star to a thoughtful innovative community. If Kingston can sign on...so should Sudbury. And the decommissioned Super Stack could be the logo... policy, regulation, technology and industry partners at work...

vision looking forward for this community - like new arenas, art centres, libraries, etc

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The surrounding areas Capreol, Hanmer, ValCaron, Blezard Valley, Chelmsford and other areas need priority they are lost in the shuffle .. Sudbury gets everything the outlying areas get NOTHING

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Please don't spend any more money on the casino/arena outside of town. We need a vibrant downtown. I know that I don't have much of a say but I would love to see the library, convention centre, arena and theater all downtown.

The casino can be out of town.

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Investment priorities of citizens

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Indigenous peoples should matter to this City in far bigger ways than it is at the moment.

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Building 2 or 3 Indoor Soccer Dome Facilities for use during winter months and other sports activities otherwise not easily practiced during snowy and cold months. Soccer participation numbers are as big as hockey. We maintain some skating rinks during summer and we should maintain some indoor facility during winter.

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Find a way to acquire the Sudbury based Vale property/business. The amount of money that could be made by the mines would make our city very wealthy.

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Terminate public/private partnerships— they do not work. Responsible government spending and oversight works better as long as transparent

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Climate change

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More bussing to outlying areas.

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Community health and safety- investing in public spaces where neighbours can meet that are age-appropriate. Build upon the infrastructure of the playgrounds and libraries and make them more multi-use. Add playgrounds/ multi-use facilities to areas where local schools have closed. There is no "place" in some neighbourhoods to meet other families.

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The environment. This trumps all. We know and are increasingly aware of the issues surrounding our environment. We also know that we *need* our environment (clean air, water, etc.) - humankind is dependent on it, to simply survive. We need to look at the bigger picture. Our priority must be the environment before it's much too late (which I hate to say, appears to be

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soon). Without an environment in which we can survive and continue to exist in, nothing else can continue to exist, either. No economy, other services or causes. This is why we must focus on this aspect above all, if we want anything else to continue or grow. It's a fact we must face, despite how much it inconveniences us... Because the result of not acting collectively and SIGNIFICANTLY, now, will not only inconvenience us...

Infill, Intensification, reorganizing zoning areas. public transport over more roads, humanizing/urbanizing the core areas, stop the suburbification of the city. Its okay for Suburban and Rural folks to be afraid of Urban settings... they will adjust, they need to grow up anyway and will always have their summer camps they insist on living in year round to go back to.. what is more important long term, is being able to attract and retain people that live in major urban areas, that want to live in a city that has a perfect mix of both, at an affordable level. Think of Vancouver, you could be in a Metro city, but also, immersed in nature. Sudbury is lacking the urban portion to make Sudbury much more desirable to the International Market.

Fix the damn roads

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MIGRATION NEEDS - It is surprising that the attracting of new residents into the area is not featured in any of the Strat Plan questions. This is a huge issue, which if not addressed, will seriously impact all aspects of our community within a few short years.

Planning to make the city much more comfortable and safer for the elderly in the winter. Sudbury is the gerontological center for the Northeast, Make the downtown electric car friendly. Re-design parking so that so that there are more sites for small cars rather than having all parking stalls fit large pickups - very wasteful

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need more diverse business's in the area. without jobs and continuing growth city will not prosper and people will leave.

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Action on climate change.

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Best NOT to start any new infrastructures, until current needs are taken care of first! Lets not get ahead of ourselves. Roads with PROPER paving, not this used motor oil pavement.

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Making culture and the arts a priority for the economic benefit to the communiitiy as well as being a better city to live in.

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Educating, mitigating and preparing for climate change.

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City continue to believe that "one recipe fits all" when the reality is that the communities which have been amalgamation into Greater Sudbury have different requirements and ultimately very different expectations. Drafting a realistic balance between services to be provided to outlying areas with a realistic tax burden would be a far more sensible approach.

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Identify areas that maintain populations in the smaller Sudbury communities.

Share your priorities for Greater Sudbury : Survey Report for 16 January 2018 to 12 March 2019

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Especially Levack/Onaping areas.



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Work with school boards to find ways to limit lost days due to road conditions. Three weeks lost so far this year. Too many!



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Local food, agriculture and food security Substantial action on climate change (beginning with the declaration of a climate change emergency)



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Onaping community center



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More sidewalks and enhanced road safety measures, particularly in school districts. Increasing safety on walking routes with lights and emergency stations to improve walkability at all hours and safety. Shift culture to active transportation, away from single mode transportation.



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Environmental impact assessments on our industries and future proofing the city for the next generations. We need to push for a more Green Sudbury while ensuring we stay at the top of emerging technologies that allow this.



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-Pursuit of sustainability rather than growth -Pro-immigration initiatives, including partnerships with business, health care sector and education sector
-A serious anti-sprawl agenda



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Consider food as an economic driver. See the Greater Sudbury Food Strategy.



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Landscaping, sculpture, beautify city!



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Addressing climate change should be the number one priority. Building community and mending the rifts between the inner and outer communities
Rebuilding trust in our government



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While this is not specifically related to cycling, many of our members are expressing concerns around the need to make climate change a priority lens for all decisions.



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reduce number of sewage releases by diverting excess storm water from the sewage system reduce NaCl contamination into the environment and especially Lake Ramsey introduce proactive environmental programs with a significant penalty assessed to anyone who does not comply enforce existing development bylaws



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Develop a 25 yr plan for the city. A five year vision is too short and does not engage young people

Optional question (215 responses, 167 skipped)

Q12 Are there major opportunities that the City of Greater Sudbury should pursue to create a stronger community? If so, what are these opportunities and what should the city do to benefit from these opportunities?

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I think we have a great opportunity in the worlds to build the super city of the north. The the major projects on the go right now (KED & Junction) are setting us up to be a really cool destination. Our transit is in need of an overhaul and I think Lightrail could be the long term goal. We're already a rail town. We see people commuting from all over. Imagine a Sudbury with light rail service from Downtown to the Valley, with connections to the airport and KED. A line that runs from conistob to Lively to bring people east to west as well. I think this could be a solution to our poor roads and transit issues. Cities in southern Ontario are working on rail projects - we could be the first city in the north too.

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The city is divided with the small towns that surround. Maybe have a Greater Sudbury day to have people celebrate the unity of the city.

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I feel like TDS should be more embracing of our local film industry, even celebrating it and the city's exposure from it.

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Infrastructure and road repair

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-Safe injection site -Plastic Free Sudbury/ Environmental initiatives

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There must be a way to leverage the experiential learning component that has been developed as part of the secondary and post secondary curriculum that would help boost the opportunities for youth in the knowledge economy, makers space and heritage craft revival, and entrepreneurship - that would build the economy and create new jobs leading the CGS toward being a hub of innovation. I don't feel that the innovation at NORCAT is really the focus of this group and suspect given the size of the City there must be other ways economic development could take leadership in this role.

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If you really want to create a stronger community remember that familiarity to services rendered is enhanced when using the same human resources to deliver those services. Ex: Dedicated snow clearing runs to recognized staff means that the individual learns where the problem areas are and what needs to be done to keep ratepayers content. Another great example would be to prioritize salt sand removal along our drinking water sources in the spring of the year. This is but a scheduling exercise and cost nothing. (please don't use the lame excuse of contracting out as we do have some resources)

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Incentives for employers. We have to create good jobs to keep the youth in

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As inferred in the CEEP report, green industries and jobs. Leadership by Sudbury's council! Sudbury has been a world leader in the Regreening Project and with the mining technologies that have incredibly reduced sulphur dioxide and other gases from the super stack.

Approach all four school boards and see about having high school students get bus passes to increase ridership. Perhaps high school students in all boards could have bus routes setup to facilitate travel to and from their schools and yellow school buses wouldn't be required for older students. Require Councillors to hold at least one public meeting in their ward each year to determine what is important to determine what these "opportunities" might be. Many citizens feel that staff has more influence than the general public.

See above.

City of Greater Sudbury has the opportunity to reverse the decision to support the KED and build the arena on city property. We should not be supporting the construction of a casino or hotel and should be managing only the construction of our new arena.

Unsure.

CGS could play a more active leading role in Northern Ontario in developing policies, strategies, etc., that deal with climate change responsibly.

Build the Kings by Entertainment District along with the casino hotel fix the roads attract more businesses

Sudbury should be trying to focus on science, technology, the arts, and other fields that employ creative, educated people. Manual labour and service jobs will ultimately be replaced by automation, and Sudbury should take this into consideration when trying to attract new employers to the community.

Focus large project development in the downtown core and rehabilitate infrastructure in surrounding communities. Find ways to implement convenient and timely transportation to and from the city core. Build a strong greater Sudbury y closing the urban rural divide.

Kingsway Entertainment District needs to move forward. Also needs to update by-laws re: need to eliminate that by-law that allows council to fund the BIA that in turn allows them to use that funding for the LPAT against projects outside their jurisdiction.

Keeping our heritage buildings like the downtown arena intact. More attention needed to make downtown more accessible, like plowing the sidewalks for example & parking.

motorsport park

Create a committee who's sole job would be to explore businesses and

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trends from around the world to see which companies we could entice to chose Sudbury as a point of manufacturing. Lengthen the runway at the airport, and attempt to attract companies like FedEx, Purolator, etc.... to make Sudbury a hub.

Set up a training system or a college to produce road repair professionals.

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Promote the city as a medical hub for the North. This should include geriatric and pediatric groups. Attract medical researchers and specialists. To attract these professionals we must give them reasons to come, or, leave and return. To achieve this ,expand the airport to accommodate larger jet aircraft to allow for national and international travel.

Focus on growth, health care, no patients should be passing away in hallways. Snow removal options, should consult with Montreal on their process

- we should have a major event venue to attract performers to make Sudbury a destination - we should have a major sports venue to attract activities such as major sporting events throughout the year in a way that is useful to citizens, easy to get to, reasonable to park, close to amenities

I've commented on this subject in local papers in the past. I think the Sudbury arena should have been turned into co-ed dorm housing for our local post secondary schools. It would revitalize the downtown core and create ample business for all businesses. The city center would be bustling from corner stores and laundry mats to the nightlife and the rent for rooms, after paying down the construction fees would be an asset to the city after all monthly maintenance costs. Taxes may actually be able to be lowered with a tax revenue coming into the city like this.

KED

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As I mentioned with the higher density development. Slow down the urban sprawl, it will help the city maintain infrastructure. You can also add street side parking in some areas and have festive areas for people to gather, listen to music, live shows... these of course have to be promoted by the city. showcase the art and unique culture of the city. Develop a new midtown region between downtown and the new KED location. Make that corridor a bustling place. It will help with tourism too. People should be able to walk down the street from their hotel to the movies, stores, festive areas. This promotes a healthy and vibrant city.

Partner with mine and other northern communities to create an advantage for businesses to want to come to the north.

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Attract major corporations for employment.

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Allowing for economic growth - removing the barriers surrounding the proposed construction of the Kingsway Entertainment Centre. Do not allow developers to purchase properties and then let them sit there for years (they are not just an eyesore but they become a haven for rats, etc. for example,

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the old hospital on Paris).

Build the Kingsway entertainment district!! Stop spending my tax \$\$ downtown

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Sudbury needs to hang out a sign saying OPEN FOR BUSINESS , encourage growth cut the red tape.

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Keep the Kingsway entertainment going. We need to invest in our community.

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Stop pursuing the KED and invest in green spaces and green economy utilizing the infrastructure we already have

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Culinary festival showcase local restaurant talent. Such as Savour Superior in Thunder Bay.

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Push for the KED project. Lots of job growth and tourism.

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Create road development between other community

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Spend less on "diversity" and more on infrastructure. Virtue signalling is a waste of tax dollars and is not responsible use of tax dollars.

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Open to other industry and bring in jobs

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The ked. It's embarassing that we cannot even agree on a flipping entertainment center. Downtown is so broken, I hate going down there, I have booked tickets to an event in Barrie that was also playing at the Sudbury area, because get this. It's easier for me to go to Barrie, than it is for me to go downtown Sudbury. The seats are better in Barrie, it smells better, they have better food options, and thier parking is better. It's sad that I haven't been to an event in my hometowns area because I'm not paying hundreds of dollars to sit in a freezing plastic chair eating stale popcorn and breathing in dirty sock smell.

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Industrial parks and PROPER services (WATER, SEWER, HIGH SPEED INTERNET) to these parks.

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Cancel the KED

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Keep supporting the arts, and education, we don't need to be the entertainment capitol too, keep us natural

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Taxing major corporations like Vale, Glencore, Day... If this city keeps gouging it's citizens and not the companies that profit from the resources we're going to become a ghost town

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Local greening projects Community gardens Working within neighbourhoods to see what we really need

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New projects that bring talent to this northern community...a youth advisory council that cultivates innovation and assists our councillors to look at trends and keep up with what the future holds and not remaining connected to what we used to do to remain vibrant. Diversity in our advisory groups would be great...women, youth, non profit, etc

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Yes rather than deregulate and contract out we need to invest local business opportunities that will create profits such as mining owning it ourselves would have the municipality benefit from the profits not another nation.

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2/26/2019 08:42 PM

The City should support small businesses and cultural atmospheres unique to Sudbury.

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2/26/2019 09:01 PM

Sudbury has a lot of wonderful restaurants but they're spread so far apart, I feel an area of shops, pubs, coffee houses and locally owned restaurants with cheaper housing available (upstairs apartments) similar to the byward and Kensington markets would be beneficial to the city and attract a younger crowd of tourism, as the young seem disenfranchised with chain restaurants and stores that look identical in every city. It would be great for locals looking to open a business as well, and while probably not cost effective they would make for great filming locations for the vast amount of hallmark movies filmed here.

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Yes. There are opportunities however, Council needs to make decisions in a timely manner. Asking for staff report after staff report is a waste of taxpayer dollars if the report isn't used. The City also has an opportunity to use data to their advantage. The existing practices leave a lot to be desired (e.g., using infographics that have data that is not statistically sound and representing it as an exciting finding. This is misleading. The City also has an opportunity to challenge departments that misrepresent data findings (e.g., animal control being cheaper in-house - the report was full of incorrect, misrepresented information that should not have been published).

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Make KED happen because downtown is hard to park for Wolves Hockey. Make casino happen to create jobs. Fix the potholes with better paving materials cause nobody wants to come to Sudbury as a tourist and leave with a messed up vehicle.

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Public consultations BEFORE making major city-altering plans Revisit the KED decision

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tax incentive for new business to develop in Sudbury. we are GLOBAL mining hub and REGIONAL healthcare hub, we should play more to our strengths in that regard

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We should capitalize on our Mining Supply advantage, become known as a world mining tech hub. We have mining supply tech companies moving into our Downtown because the employees of those companies demand urban amenities. We need to attract more of these companies and make our downtown an exciting place for them to locate, with things like art galleries, arenas and event centres.

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Roads=tourism, less money spent on vehicular repairs due to deteriorated roads

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Senior housing and services The population is growing older we need affordable housing and services

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Ensure the big projects are completed. Enhance the visual identity of Sudbury through regulation of visual standards, particularly downtown. Increase visible public art.

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Attract new businesses in Research and Development to create good paying jobs.

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Better management of 'appearance of a threat' from panhandlers and homelessness in the downtown core. Many Sudburians feel the downtown is dangerous, when it is not. More visible policing efforts and removal of panhandlers from the downtown should increase use and economic viability of the downtown core.

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have those who are physically and mentally able work for their welfare checks. clean man hole covers, shovel seniors drive ways, plant flowers, do something to contribute to the community. Instead of paying high wages to unionized city employee, let those on welfare do some of the lesser skilled work.

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Build the KED

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Listen to the young adults that are set to inherit a run down and uninteresting city. It appears that the older population (ages 60 and up) seem to have all the pull when it comes to expanding and making this city better, or the lack thereof. They may not be around much longer but, the 30+ age group have to live, or not if you move, in a boring, dilapidated city.

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Allow private industry to build/open up shop to foster economic growth. We need to change with the times and not just have the same old ways of doing things.

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partnership with local not-for-profit and assess duplication of service and eliminate, also look to grants to the community - are they required and are they fair?

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You missed a big one when you decided to put the arena on the Kingsway instead of downtown

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Please separate all communities. The amalgamation was the worst idea. We had way better services when we had our own mayor and such.

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Completing projects listed in the Master Plan - Elgin Greenway, for example, has been on the books since 2012.

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Complete the three phases of Maley Drive for a true all around city by-pass (as it will connect to the South By-Pass); Complete the damn Arena-Casino project so we can move on with life and what's most important; Invest in emergency services by eliminating the 24 hour Full Time firefighter shift and begin paying EMS staffers appropriately.

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Sudbury needs a strong core to attract young people. High taxes and a weak downtown is pushing the youth away.

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This gorgeous area has so much potential. I'd like to see accessible recreational exercises equipment for adults and seniors, designated BBQ areas, removal of any gas powered motorized pleasure crafts on Ramsey Lake. Area to support local food vendors/ food trucks.

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To look towards the innovation and technology sector. To consider our natural environments and surroundings one of our biggest assets.

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Invest in innovation density. Additional industrial parks and spaces that provide opportunities for the sharing of ideas, and that provide resources to those looking to start and grow new businesses here. We also need to attract more talent to our community. That means doing a better job marketing ourselves as a viable alternative to the Southern Ontario lifestyle, and demonstrating that there are lots of career opportunities here in Sudbury. promote the city of lakes and protect our drinking water - prevent motorized boating on Ramsay Lake

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De-amalgamation

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Attract people and business to Sudbury, Increase marketing of the city. For example, Market to Toronto area people, nearing retirement about the lower cost of real estate the amenities available and convenience to get to Southern Ontario. Have a dedicated team that is available to wrap their arms around an interested person or business and give them the VIP tour/treatment.

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I am surprised that sudbury is pushing for an Arts/art gallery/theatre center. have we not bailed out the existing ones and had one shut down? If they are not being attended enough to keep them going - why are we spending a whole bunch of money on it? Just a thought..Contributing to community gardens, community get togethers, have city wide dress down days, or wear red fridays to remember armed forces, 60's or 70's dress up in the summer? Halloween? etc..Maybe twice a month? ..Make competitions for the best attended or highest percentage contributed- donate a lunch or fruit basket for the best - everyone puts in \$2.00 - and that goes as a donation to the mission/food bank/salvation army/sacy/better beginnings/spca/petsave/ etc...many groups can benefit. Name one a month or 2 a month? All proceeds from that day go to it. Get people interested in their city again. Show off the wild life -encourage the picture taking, the trails, the camping. All we are hearing is bad news, sad news and tax increases..

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Kingsway entertainment district

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Put money into stopping hard drugs coming into this city

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Again, build the KED.

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- Stop building massive projects in undeveloped areas (AKA KED) - Support

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the soccer community. It's the fastest growing recreational sport in Canada.

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cut all the red tape for new businesses/developers

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To reiterate; FOLLOW THE CITY PLAN, don't be chasing the nearest shiny thing. If you going to hire consultants at big dollars it would probably be a good idea to actually follow their advice. This hold true for your staff as well. The city really has to go after the big companies to pay their fair share and failing that apply pressure to senior levels of government to better share the financial benefits derived from our resource base.

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Focus out more. Move some of the city's events out to the smaller communities. Quit shoehorning everything downtown.

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Cut the red tape, build the new arena or fix the old one. Bringing in new concerts and people from out of town to visit Sudbury.

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The municipality should be focused on supporting its diverse community, as in Sudbury Pride/Fierte will help foster trust and support citizens have with local government and its businesses. The city has missed out on this often. Of course, for Transit, why is there no late bus on Friday and Saturday nights to get people out of downtown. A premium fair is often charged for this service in cities that provide it. "Big huge plans that can change Sudbury landscape for the better" - These plans are the ones that should be avoided at all cost.

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Offer incentives of no property taxes on a non profit grocery store & non profit restaurant. We need that in between service of what the food bank / mission / soup kitchen and a for profit grocery store / restaurant has to offer. Being a leader on action on climate change in Northern Ontario.

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Increase immigration & renewable/environmental initiatives.

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Aging population and shortages of buildings/staff should be looked at in conjunction with merging facilities, existing School properties. We should not be isolating the retiring baby boomers but include ethics group in planning opportunities

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Put all the resources into new Sudbury or 4 corners instead of downtown.

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The downtown is a dump and so many homeless people live there. If you got them jobs and places to live mayyybe thw downtown would be a place to go. Nobody goes there anymore. Take examples from other major cities.

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Keep supporting the arts and culture in Sudbury. This does bring people to our city and lets the citizens enjoy the community time. I believe that having cultural diversity included in these events will help to bring everyone in the community together. That being said, at community events I think it would be wise to again consider those with mobility issues or different abilities so that everyone can enjoy community together. Also, support what is going on at the libraries! Our libraries run a lot of good programming. I know the one

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downtown also sees a lot of people escaping weather who otherwise are on the streets. This could be a great place to reach people. Have they ever thought of housing services in these centres?
N/A

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Active transportation having bike path down all the major roads - Notre-Dame/Paris & Lasalle

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Make collaboration across departments and divisions a top priority to reduce duplication of efforts and silo thinking -implement a coordinated planning and reporting process that focuses on outcomes not personalities and personal preferences Implement a structured Leadership program beyond boot camp that includes all levels of staff

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The world is going online, the city should look at opportunities that are in this sector to create jobs and a growing economy, ie amazon and other run off companies

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- Social services should be working together, not in silo's - We should pursue to keep more functional green space instead of allowing developers to build houses everywhere - We should pursue community living/affordable housing for seniors and young adults - A safe injection site and a crack down on opioids
De-amalgamation.

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See my previous comments.

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Continued support for playgrounds and community centres

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Expedite the Kingsway "S" curve project and coordinate traffic lights on all major roads to help ease the flow of traffic instead of lights working independently and slowing/stopping traffic.

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Buy old Hospital & put convention centre there

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BIKE LANES. This city is unique in its natural beauty, use it, make it a green city !!!!!

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Parades Public workshops (arts, health, family, etc)

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-Increase funding for the Community Paramedic Program. Current programs benefits citizens, reduce repetitive calls for Paramedic Services and reduces hospital admissions -Event Centre. move forward with this project. This initiative will bring increased tourism, by hosting events. -Bell Park area: The old hospital needs to be cleaned up, this is an eye sore and what residents have to see on a daily basis and tourist. see, when they come to our beautiful city. Unified city. Resident have to view our city as one unified community,

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instead of individualized towns.

Affordable Housing - Making second units easy - an easy to follow guide, development charges lessened, consider benefits to homeowner for keeping rent of second unit affordable. Housing Allowances - convert some bricks and mortar management to portable housing allowances.

Promotion of volunteerism.

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Build better relationships with the community initiatives that already exist. Work together for a better, greater Sudbury. Sudbury is geographically placed in an area with many sun-hours. We should create a solar hub to improve grid-efficiencies and counter the effects of province-wide fluctuation in case of severe weather events.

Bottom-up information collection (i.e., surveys, questionnaires)

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Find ways to engage the outlying communities so there is more cohesiveness and less fighting for resources across the city.

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How about a renewed push to pull up the CPR tracks downtown? One massive trail/park in the city's heart would be sure to boost property values along Elgin and Worthington/Front. Also, it may be a good time to reassess how the city plans its affordable housing to alleviate some of the ghettoization of the city's poor.

Socioeconomic initiatives and partnerships to end homelessness.

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Target environmental opportunities which build on our natural location and support new technologies which direct us away from carbon-based energy sources. Let's be a leader in business and technologies which guide us through climate change and support our natural environment.

With the new provincial health changes, the role of eHealth and coordinated care amongst providers is critical. City services such as EMS and social services need to be connected now and ready for the future Ontario Health Team.

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People drive hours away every weekend to spend time in the city. Find out what Toronto has that Sudbury doesn't and make this a reality.

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Kivi Park has been a phenomenal addition and community draw. The parking areas are full most weekends, regardless of the temperature. From my perspective, this is the biggest community initiative to happen in Sudbury in the last several years. Philanthropy in other areas of the city should be encouraged. It creates community at minimal cost to the City. My family use Kivi Park far more than we will ever use the Junction, the KED or the new Library/art Center. I believe Sudburians are more "outside" than "inside" people. I would have liked to have seen broader consultation before committing to these projects. Something else the City could use is some waterfront restaurants, bars, ice cream shops, etc. We have beautiful Ramsey Lake in the heart of the City and it's impossible to sit on a patio

overlooking the lake and have a meal or a beer with friends. This is a missed opportunity.

- ESA Phase I assessment of downtown

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The opportunity to continue investing in the downtown. We have so much potential to foster an amazing place to live, work and play. The downtown, despite the creation and impact of the School of Architecture, has slipped a lot in the last 1.5 to 2 years. Safety is an issue, too many similar services (ie for drug addictions etc..) allowed to operate in the same area, the triangle of bus, booze and coffee downtown needs a rethink as most ordinary people are scared/uncomfortable to go there now. Numerous homeless/addict living camps close to downtown set up (Brady Street green stairs, Riverside/Elgin tunnel, St. Anne Street green stairs, along the trail from downtown to Flour Mill) should be removed/discouraged (especially for a city with so many trails/forested area within its limits, we would not want to see this behaviour increase and led to a fear of citizens to use these natural spaces). A lack of protection for street level businesses to remain retail or eateries (too many offices on street level or other business) has the potential to threatening the whole lifeblood of the downtown. If people have no where to go/visit/shop, why go downtown. It is more important than ever to invest in the downtown and start physical work on the Elgin Street Greenway and the Junction. Please continue to show support for La Place des arts and for the Up Here Fest, which is a fine example of a small group making a huge impact that screams 'we care about our downtown'. A unique downtown gives a city its identity; our big box hill just says placelessness (this could be anywhere). Our last watertower should be better protected and should stay as a iconic symbol of the city We have an unique past, start story telling; more promotion of the history and cultural diversity of the city; Example: I think a restored streetcar or part of one, like those our city used to have would be a great centrepiece for a new downtown development (TDS centre court or the Junction) with information from the past. Investments like this help to build civic pride and pride of place. Is it time to re-open the underground walkway at the corner of Notre-Dame and St. Anne to cross? The volume of pedestrians who use that intersection and the speed/number of lanes creations a real dangerous situation for all who venture there. Yes, safety is a concern but the Elgin/Riverside tunnel had some improvements done inside like new lighting which helped to improve the feeling of safety. Is either the roadway expansion of Larch to Lorne and/or a pedestrian bridge to access parking lots of Lorne still in the plans?

before voting for changes make sure public is involved also to vote and/or inform , no more behind close door important issues and/or changes

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stop giving away millions of dollars

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Leverage the success of post-secondary institutions to attract international students to immigrate to CGS.

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Supporting a living wage in the city. More daycare subsidy for exceptional families (ie, kids with special needs)

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Provide opportunities for localized communities to work together to enhance their own living spaces. The city can start by encouraging small local schools that children can walk to, stores that people can get food and other necessities from without having to drive, active transportation that facilitates more public transit, walking, and cycling over cars.

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We should be seen with a table and a good video story and staff support at all the big tech company fairs.

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To develop a human resource strategy that includes the skills and strengths found amongst indigenous people to support Aboriginal Tourism within the Greater City of Sudbury.

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hospital that holds capacity without compromising staff.. need to look at opening a facility to accommodate ALC patients and make room for fresh surgical and medical patients..

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action on climate change - we can lead the way as a northern city that has it together, looking forward to the future and ready for anything declare climate change emergency and link with other cities that have already done so - then our voices and leverage become stronger - alliances with our local industries on this - forge co-operation with non-traditional allies e.g. blue-green coalition Econominc development. The KED. Film industry.

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Improved opportunities for community building between marginalized groups, such as those living in poverty and our Indigenous populations.

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Roads

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Yes! To help out the seniors so they can stay in their homes, and to help out the students who are forced to take on massive debts. Pair them up. A room in a seniors home for a small fee in exchange for so many hours of help, lawn cleaning, errands, etc. Both would benefit.

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Building on small communities.. creating access to the outlying cltowns to the main core of arts and entertainment

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Roads and health care. People are poor as it is the cost of car repairs is crazy! All health care needs to be looked at. We need the nurses back.

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Work more openly with community members, really truly listen to the citizens of Sudbury, even if you don't agree with them. Allow yourself to be open minded, ask and really understand the "why" they feel a certain way. There are reasons why people stand up in opposition against things. learn to look at all sides. put people before profits. The overall health of the community is important for anyone to thrive.

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Get a new arena, do you realize the lost economic opportunity due to the city dragging its way through this new arena opportunity, embarrassing

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Finding solutions for empty/vacant buildings. Support small businesses.
Transit: avoid wrapping the busses completely in advertisements to allow riders to be able to see out of all the windows and make sure windows are clean on outside the bus (for health and safety reasons, can't see surroundings when bus is in motion, causes motion sickness/nausea and rider confusion for those not familiar with stop names). Enforcing bylaws regarding cigarette smoking at bus areas, and other public areas. The smokers are everywhere on campus, at mall, at bus shelters and depot... security and staff don't enforce enough.
Definitely go ahead with the Kingsway casino project.

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Creating a strong and safe downtown core where everyone is welcome and feel safe

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Work with federal government, local stakeholders to develop a community of Tiny Homes that can be used as transitional housing for homeless, at-risk for homeless community members. Tiny homes are economical, can be environmentally net zero and provide needed respite to some of the most vulnerable members of society.

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Complete streets, and complete neighbourhoods (where people can live, work, shop, play), and increasing the density in the city. A complete and connected transportation network that supports active transportation, transit use etc. When need to invest to make forms of transportation that are NOT driving more appealing to current citizens, but also to attract new people to the city (this is important to many people not already living here, they don't have a car/driving first mentality)

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Stop trying to divide the community on issues.

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3/07/2019 11:56 AM

I have suggested above. The City being a walkable City--closing off Elm Street from Paris to Elgin and making this a walkable market, or a proper city centre? The big trucks do not need to go through here. Create a gathering place where people will come and who will also likely shop downtown.

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Where appropriate, encourage the establishment of businesses closer to neighbourhoods getting cars off the streets, and jobs closer to people.

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Further development and prioritization of active transportation networks.

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Climate change adaptation Environmental tourism

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Invest in solar, wind and energy storage solutions so we can stop the inevitable "crash". Once the train wreck (climate disaster) has been ameliorated, we need to concentrate on social justice issues, ways to have all our citizens feel like equal community members. The idea of "no free lunches" needs to be re-examined, we need to stop being so selfish and self centered.

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- Become a leader on climate change in Northern Ontario, and become the centre for good green jobs in the north. The knowledge, skills and technology

to mitigate and adapt to climate change will be needed and sought by communities around the world. Green technology is recognized as a significant economic opportunity. - Community engagement. There is huge opportunity in better supporting and leveraging the local energy and expertise of citizens who contribute to the community. Better supporting community-led projects and initiatives is a small investment with big returns. Even a small amount of support goes a long way for volunteer and non-profit organizations. The Healthy Kids Community Challenge was a good example of a small amount of funding being leveraged into amazing benefits by and for the community. - Build on our advantages. Compared to larger centres, Greater Sudbury has affordable housing, little or no commute, and easy access to nature to parks and nature. These qualities, along with excellent public transit and active transportation infrastructure, vibrant neighbourhoods and town centres are very attractive to young professionals and the businesses that want to employ them (like tech companies, that can locate anywhere they wish). In this way, building a grid of safe connected cycling routes is not only the right thing to do to meet transportation needs and climate change goals, it is also an important economic development project. - Citizens. Greater Sudbury's greatest assets are the people who live here. By supporting all our citizens on reaching their full potential, we also grow the potential of our community as a whole. Economic success is traditionally thought of in terms of attracting new businesses and new population, but the population cannot grow indefinitely. We can, however, strive for a community where everyone enjoys a high quality of life, and that is economically strong and vibrant, and this can be achieved not only by attracting new people but also by supporting the full potential of existing residents.

We can be the leader on climate action in northern Ontario. We can support community-led initiatives and leverage the energy and resources in our community. We can support our citizens in reaching their full potential. Local food production, distribution, and retailing. The loss of Eat Local was very unfortunate.

Even though I'm 'green' and want to support downtown businesses, I also support the Kingsway Arena and Event Centre.

"courting" reasonably the outlying communities so that this culture of 'how much we lost' is clearly addressed.

Allow growth to happen ie casino / hotel etc (Zulich), make priorities more open / transparent, make cuts to political salaries etc to keep more money where it is needed within the municipality

Let the KED begin.. The downtown is not feasible

We need to focus on building business in Sudbury and encouraging businesses to come here. This will increase jobs and also the tax dollars can help us with our down town revitalization plans and failing infrastructure. Development of the downtown core and Elgin Street Greenway. More lighting downtown.

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This City needs to do more work to address the racism to the growing Indigenous, Black and People of color.

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3/09/2019 02:25 PM

Develop and / or attract other industries such as manufacturing, renewable energy generation, technologies and artificial intelligence to the current mix of mining and public institutions as the two primary sectors sustaining the city and the region.

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Learn from other successful cities.

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Get rid of needle exchange downtown or be better at finding safe places for marginalized people to gather or better yet provide better services for them to address causes and not symptoms of marginalization

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Be the leader in northern Ontario for action against climate change.

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More tourism based attractions, arenas, concerts, water parks ect.

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3/10/2019 12:45 PM

The City should take the opportunity to revisit the KED and examine the greater opportunities of locating the event centre in the downtown. The City should take advantage of the unique design resource represented by the School of Architecture, that the City supported with a \$10 million contribution. The City should be seeking their input, rather than ignoring their it, as they did with the KED. The City is squandering an opportunity that other cities would be jealous of.

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More aggressive community addictions strategy.

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Remove the Industrial portions of the Rail Yards from the Core.. build them a new rail yard in Kingsway-Landfill/Lasalle East Industrial Zone, or Elm West-Azilda Highway(North West of Olde Sudbury).. retain 1 line for Human Travel, bring the Human train station back downtown, out of the industrial park on Lasalle East. a focus on Human life, vs. Industrial. Reorganizing the Zoning of the core areas - there are too many industrial zones in areas that ought to be High Density residential, Cultural, Office Tower, green space. 140+ acres Downtown alone. Points along most main roads. Upzoning them to build high density affordable apt towers, surrounded in greenspaces, steps to public transit, and grocery stores. This is very simple. I have many such sites in mind. That All New Builds have forced hand to build underground parking. Surface lots dont even make sense in a weatherscape such as ours. The less plowing we have to do, the better off we would be. This would apply to current malls and big-box. They are built to appeal to a suburban sensibility, with the store being set as far back off the main road as possible, giving the sense that even in the core areas of the Urban City, it is all highway-outlet style.. these types of developments do not feel permanent, they do not lead to community building, they isolate people from each other, they separate the poor from the wealthy.. Its overall a bad plan. The front parking lots could be

dealt with in 1 of 2 ways... either totally dug up and filled with underground parking.. with affordable apt units/greenspace in their place. or the stores could rebuild new, more urban minded shops closer to the sidewalk, walk-in style..the old stores in the back could become interior parking garages, for customers, no more plowing, no more running thru weather and "panhandlers" or worries of being broken into or robbed...with the affordable housing units built above the former stores. the overall appearance of this would instantly take it from " highway-outlet" to CITY.

Fixing the roads

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3/10/2019 09:06 PM

Attracting new residents with plans for business-building, and working in the sectors where the gaps are already showing and will reach critical points if not addressed. See the demographics section of the Northern Policy Institute's report:

<https://www.northernpolicy.ca/upload/documents/presentations/2017/sotn-rc-presentation-17-09-26.pdf>

Build better roads that do not break up every year and where the paint lasts longer than 4 months.

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3/11/2019 11:21 AM

Expand the education research function of the city: Support a School of Performing arts at LU. Lobby to get all Provincial mining programs here. Contribute to a wood research center. Create a school of industrial design. Computers are a way of life now. This city needs to be more connected at a more affordable cost. If we dont keep up with the technologies there will be no benefits going forward.

Being a leader in action on climate change in Northern Ontario.

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Once upon a time, out lying communities were a bastion of cleanliness, run usually by localized people that were proud of were they lived and worked.

Amalgamation destroyed all that! I'm all for putting things back were they were. Premier Harris made a TERRIBLE mistake!

Negotiate with the railway to move the tracks so the downtown could have expanded housing that would help revitalize it, plus reduce the risk of a train accident that could destroy the drinking water in Lake Ramsey. Work on getting a longer runway at the airport & a Customs office for direct flights that would improve business transportation & allow for tourist growth to the city & from the North to other destinations - both would improve our economy.

Work, live space for cultural workers within the downtown empty spaces
Quantify the return on tax payer dollars by developing the ability to simply defer or decline request from special interest groups making service requests while not making a fair contribution to the tax base.

See below....other comments

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Keep schools in outer regions open with perhaps iterated office spaces to share costs.

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Share your priorities for Greater Sudbury : Survey Report for 16 January 2018 to 12 March 2019

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Proper/genuine community engagement Be a provincial leader in active transportation and excellent public transportation

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3/12/2019 08:20 AM

Promote eco-tourism and active transportation to tourists, business travelers, and for general City promotion. Create opportunities for inner city eco-recreation including better beaches, parks and connectivity to destinations.

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-Create a more walkable city -More cycling infrastructure -review draft approved plans of subdivision and consider non-renewal where DA'd lots no longer make sense. -stop building new roads -revoke approvals for the Kingsway Entertainment District

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Enhance support for production, processing, storage and retail of locally produced food.

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Bring bigger thinkers to the table. Use more design thinking in planning and solving social and economic challenges. Invite more local citizens to the table who are game changers not more politicians and status quo/complacent citizens.

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Build on the great things we currently offer - a quieter, less fast-paced lifestyle, easy access to the natural environment and to lakes, a "green" city. We are being highlighted as a miracle city by Paul Kennedy for the CBC's Ideas last broadcasts on Earth Day. That's an amazing thing that we should take to heart and build on. Become a leader in Northern Ontario for climate change, net-zero buildings, low impact development, alternate lifestyles that value the environment and healthy living. Focus on addressing the needs of our existing residents - all of them.

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Cycling tourism. Enhancing the cycling network on major streets and roads (build a minimum grid), and on neighbourhood streets.

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Instead of continuing to cramp the city, the city should make use of the abundance of free land in the outskirts.

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develop and implement a strategy to deal with intolerance this is the age or Trump and pack mentality is on the rise

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Offer incentives for the community to adopt greener options (transportation, household, energy, etc)

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We need a mayoral system where the mayor is just not another member of council, they need to have more ability to accomplish goals. Also, spending should be aligned with the strategic plan.

Optional question (187 responses, 195 skipped)

Q13 Are there major threats or risks that the City of Greater Sudbury should address in setting priorities? If so, what are these threats or risks and how should the city prepare?

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2/21/2019 10:36 PM

Risks include Sudbury losing its population as we are not retaining young people. We must attract young people to the north. How can we create jobs and the lifestyle young people want? Sudbury could be the rural alternate to millennials in Ontario wanting the outdoor healthy lifestyle but big city culture and convenience.

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greater number of Senior residents Long term care advocacy for in-home Care in collaboration with government.

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There is a threat that people can't afford their houses due to the ever increasing property taxes, water, etc. We need to make everyday living more affordable before we make plans to spend money that we don't have.

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2/22/2019 09:11 PM

migrants and people with no status in canada are taking housing away from sudbury residents that have been on wait list, years long. maybe make sure we take care of our own first.

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Thinking that we're a bigger city than we are and wanting things too fancy that somebody else will need to pay for later on. We're a city that doesn't appear able to support something as high-brow as a symphony orchestra nor something as low-brow as a dedicated peeler joint, yet we want to pull out all the stops and get ourselves the biggest fanciest arena complex that'll fit next to a dump.

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2/22/2019 09:38 AM

Broken cars from broken roads mean we can't get there work to earn money to pay our taxes

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Needles everywhere. Overdoses everywhere. -Safe Injection Site-

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2/22/2019 12:25 PM

Some major threats to the city of sudbury are: Pollution, from all the mining activity in town. There is no point cleaning up junction creek when there is an orange creek/lake not too far away in copper cliff. Junkies, the amount on needles and junkies everywhere is extremely disturbing, it should not be the city's responsibility but if there were more police officers on the streets, maybe they could start arresting all the vagrants and junkies. Enforce no loitering and clean up every part of the city.

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Mobility of citizens within their communities to support aging in place needs greater thought. Size of sidewalks, ability to use motorized vehicles in the summer beyond the quad or sleds in the winter should be considered - ie golf carts, electric scooters.

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2/22/2019 10:02 AM

Major threats are in the very way we go about doing things. We are falling behind with our infrastructure renewal and even when we recondition things they do not last. We don't follow policies, codes and in some cases it is a blatant waste of both resources and money. We also seem to lack the capability of making people understand how valuable and cost saving that maintenance of existing infrastructure will give back in the long run

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Threats would be aging infrastructure, of course. A detailed emergency plan for disasters that identifies safe places for residents to go to would also be a good idea.

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Threat: Climate Change Risk: not addressing this. A lens must be added to the Strategic Plan through which policies and projects should be vetted.

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Having one hospital is a danger. If an outbreak like SARS or something very contagious makes the hospital go into quarantine there is no other option for community members.

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2/25/2019 12:52 PM

The major threat is expanded gambling which the Health Unit Board has by unanimous motion to city council stated that "the negative impacts of establishing a casino in Sudbury would outweigh any benefits of such a gambling centre and that groups particularly at risk include youth, older adults, aboriginal people and those on low income".

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Yes. We have enough heavy polluters here. Our business plan can't be to invite more. Wise up. Look at other industries for heaven's sake.

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2/25/2019 04:47 PM

Addressing the population decline in terms of income levels to support taxes. Increase in number of retirees verses replacement of these positions as mining companies are using technology to remove and process ore reserves. Drug problems within the downtown core, too many drug users and dealers hanging out, we need more police presence

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2/25/2019 10:16 PM

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2/26/2019 07:42 AM

There are several. Adaptation to and mitigation of climate change. We need to adapt to what is already coming and do our part to drastically reduce our carbon footprint to help the world prevent more warming and thus climate disruption. De-amalgamation. We had a regional structure before the Harris government forced us to amalgamate. What we have now is not working and cannot be adequately improved upon or fixed. We need to return to what we had before. If we do not we will always be faced with a huge want/needs gap among the city, town and rural areas that have been inappropriately joined into a totally unworkable Greater City. We have to accept the reality that, until we attract new industries and businesses that provide high-paying secure jobs with good benefits, we need to spend on needs and not wants. We also need to support attempts by existing businesses to create more high quality employment. Presently we are doing the opposite. The so called KED and Junction projects will not generate wealth. They will generate costs. We need a mindset of adaptation to very low growth or no growth in population. A population decline is a real possibility as more seniors die or move away. More young people leave to find jobs elsewhere.

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2/25/2019 11:14 AM

Climate change should be #1, if it's not already. Sudbury has many lakes and rivers that will be at risk for flooding, which will lead to property damage in the future. This can and will also affect other areas of the city such as infrastructure.

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THE MAJOR THREATS/RISKS ARE CLIMATE CHANGE &

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ENVIRONMENTAL DEGRADATION & THE EXTREME WEATHER CONSEQUENCES RESULTING FROM PREVIOUS INACTION. I DON'T KNOW WHAT PREPARATIONS SHOULD BE MADE - EXCEPT TO BECOME PART OF THE SOLUTION, NOT THE PROBLEM. URGING ACTION AT THE FEDERAL AND PROVINCIAL LEVELS MIGHT BE PRUDENT, AS WELL AS MAKING EVERY DECISION AND POLICY ON THE BASIS OF ITS IMPACT ON CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE ENVIRONMENT.
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Bringing in immigrants not against immigration just sad when we can't take care of the people that are here right now and then we add to the problem also anyone that opposes the Kingsway Entertainment District just shut them down already

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Eventually mining will dry up. What then? Sudbury needs to plan for the long-term sustainability of the community.

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The city should implement development restrictions outside existing infrastructure. Grow the tax base by increasing density.

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Climate change.

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While businesses are important, a balance must be maintained about allowing business to take over a residential or mixed area to the detriment of existing residents.

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referendums...10 people against development is not enough to put a project on 'hold'

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Roads are not safe to drive on!!

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Attempt to curb urban sprawl. It is much more efficient to maximize city resources without spreading them to outlying areas.

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Our Hospital is running each day like there were a plane crash or other catastrophe. What if we have one??

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The arrogance of the Mayor and Council is the biggest threat to taxpayers of Sudbury.

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Its not up to cities to prepare for threats.. and if your referring to that total hoax of climate change. please give it up...

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Loss of provincial and federal funding Have a plan to overcome these potential shortfalls. Reliable transportation to and from the city to other major centres. This should focus on air and rail transport.

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Growth... a city shouldn't be on the back bone on mining

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<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:13 PM</div>	Fix the roads.
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<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:18 PM</div>	Roads
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:25 PM</div>	Try and get other manufacturing industries to make Sudbury the place to be and do business.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:30 PM</div>	Infrastructure such as roads and water
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:31 PM</div>	Be generous with the emergency services budgets so that threats and risks are lessened. Also, continue to maintain/rebuild old bridges.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:49 PM</div>	Stop spending tax dollars downtown
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 06:26 PM</div>	HSN is a big worry. If there ever was a real catastrophic event we would be screwed. The hospital can't accomodate us for flue season. It makes me uneasy.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 07:01 PM</div>	You are continuing to push the city outwards rather than focus on internal growth and what we can support. Please abandon the KED and focus on supporting and growingSudbury local businesses and Sudbury services.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 07:09 PM</div>	Updating transit is a great start. Good job Letting "Downtown" dictate how the city is run.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 07:12 PM</div>	Floods and snow ... I don't find the city doing a horrible job at all. Smaller towns are being neglected somewhat.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 07:13 PM</div>	Stop trying to own everything and start partnership with private business
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 07:24 PM</div>	Is this where we lament about the horrors of climate change? Heh. The biggest threat to Greater Sudbury is municipal government bloat at the expense of important infrastructure work.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 07:51 PM</div>	We are currently there. If we don't improve or increase taxes and open our doors to industry we will not change. Stop listening to false claims and negative rhetoric
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 07:52 PM</div>	It's scary how racist and not tollerant people are in this city. The comments on your Facebook page almost are terrifying.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 07:57 PM</div>	Stop being 'taken' by developers who make promises to reuse dilapidated, ill-planned buildings. The old hospital is an eyesore, much too close to the road and a park. Tear it down!!! The old brewery should be an old photo, nothing else. Too close to the road, a major artery that is always in terrible disrepair, and within a neighbourhood that is also an eyesore and a reminder of the

days of acid smoke and zero municipal planning. ERASE IT! While you're at it, tear down the flour mill silos, which are a joke and another sad reminder of a failed attempt of this city to create a sustainable industry.

Climate change.

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Stop overspending!! We don't want the ked to happen, it was a thought but now you see it's wasteful, so stop trying with this idea and move on to other options

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Unemployment due to federal government decisions impacting many sectors

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Urbansprawl. We are so large geographically and we have lots of under used already zoned areas to develop. Do not allow any new growth that we will have to maintain in the future while we have a population that is declining. Prioritize our roads period! Its dangerous and an embarrassment. No large ticket purchases like arena library arts center ...let the private sector build those things untill we have our infrastructures addressed and stop spending money we dont have.

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The city should be careful with what and which independent businesses and partners they should be joining with.

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The rapid deterioration of our roads and bridges is a huge concern. Having lost a friend here to a collapsing culvert, seeing the roads crumble even worse is ominous. Our hospital is too small for our current population, we cannot grow a community if we can't service the current one.

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Yes. The biggest risk is that the city has an aging population and lacks supports for this population. The city also relies on its tax base and goes deeper and deeper into debt to fund multiple large projects. This is not feasible or financially responsible. These costs will be passed down to the younger demographic which is dwindling and will continue if the city fails to address the heavy increase in taxes year over year.

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Threats and risks are "dinosaurs" that don't want to change. Adaptation must occur to survive.

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I believe the KED will actively remove money from the community because of its cost, but also the repercussions of removing the arena from downtown. It is a major risk to the city. Natural disasters and more intense weather will also affect us in coming years. Is our infrastructure ready for such weather? Do we even know what that weather might look like?

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Removal and relocation of rail from proximity to major source of our drinking water ie Ramsey Lake

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Lack of imagination; we have to elect and employ people who will lead and not just "caretakers". More people have to take part in the process of living in a city, i.e. VOTE, LEARN about issues, BE PASSIONATE

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Aging population as everywhere else in Canada. major problems ahead with single site hospital which is undersized. Healthcare and safety of residents should be #1 priority.

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Our youth are getting fed up. We are reaching a tipping point where we will not be able to sustain our city with young families because we focus solely on seniors issues. We are an affordable city to live in but yet youth keep leaving for greener pastures, it's time to start listening to the younger population before we completely lose them, and are trying to function a city solely off of pensions.

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Major risk: the new Kingsway Entertainment District - totally goes against the strategic plan with its bad location, the whole idea has greatly divided the community, and it's going to cost the City way too much... for the sake of entertainment (not something meaningful like hospitals/schools/infrastructure upgrades).

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Stop beating around the bush with every proposal, wasted tax dollars for nonsense

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Getting in over your head spending on the aging populations back and taxes No need for all these expenditures for an aging tax base The young people come to attend school but how many stay?? Fix the roads and infrastructure Focusing on quantity to satisfy all areas is unsustainable. Invest in merged infrastructure ie libraries/arenas/pools. We can't sustain the quantity without continuing to hurt the quality of our facilities.

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Sprawl.

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'Brain drain' from retiring baby boomers it taking knowledge and experience out of most corporations, including the City. Need to ensure succession planning is undertaken in all levels of staffing at the City.

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Need to find a way to reign in budget increases (even if it means living with less services)- in an aging population people are going to have less "extra" funds to continue to pay increases higher than inflation.

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over spending on non essential projects, ked. we are over taxed now, and not getting any value for it. Dont add on untill the funds required can be guarenteed with out tax increases.

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The biggest threat that I can see is having our population decrease due to lack of things to do. May people I went to high school with left Sudbury 10 years ago and never came back. They were eager to get out of a lifeless town.

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loss of funding from higher levels of government - should consider reducing services if this occurs (non-essential ones)

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The major threat to this city is the rampant and short sighted over spending on unneeded projects. Plan projects for long term sustainability, listen to the constituents. When you pay a firm to do a study, actually pay attention to the results and pan accordingly.

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Crumbling infrastructure.

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Roads, health care, seniors, clean the banks, remove amalgamation, separate, was so much better when we had our own communities.

Share your priorities for Greater Sudbury : Survey Report for 16 January 2018 to 12 March 2019

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The City of Greater Sudbury should not make new priorities without addressing the history of dropped plans and projects.

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People are dying from overdoses, it is already happening. We need immediate access to overdose prevention facilities or a safe supply

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Aging Infrastructure

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The biggest risk is the KED. Stop it and refurbish the current arena.

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Risk of destroying our lakes. High risk of young adults and young professionals who leave Sudbury.

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To expand our sectors of investment and development not only to focus on natural resources. To continue and better plan to sustain and reinforce our downtown(s) .

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flooding - flour mill area and low roads - we had lots of lakes on roads this past weekend look at using geothermal heat from the mines to heat the sidewalks in the winter to get rid of snow.

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drugs in the city

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Flooding in local rivers and watershed systems

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Apathy. the attitude by employees of there are no other choices so there is no need to put in any effort or care. Under delivering on Service levels. Do what you say you are going to do and hold people accountable for those actions. For example, if the city wants to increase airport usage, ensure that every customer experience is positive everytime. Ensure that proper planning, staffing and resources are available to minimize delays, which is the biggest concern of a traveler.

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I have always been worried that the hospital is built directly on a fault line. Concerns me that if something fairly large hits - we have no hospital or access to it. No access to people on the other side of it. People would have to be brought out on snow machines or boats. There should be a back up plan.

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Drug abuse

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Small groups that are only putting their interests ahead of community growth.

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- The infrastructure deficit needs to be dealt with immediately. - The declining child population rate and the impacts that an ageing population will have on the City. We need to attract and retain young people. - Infrastructure that is not

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set up to meet the needs of the ageing baby boomers.

Be aware of the racist crazies that live in this city and use every measure of the law to enforce hate speech by having our police force have a zero tolerance policy. It is a risk and one need look no further than our sister city in Thunder Bay where the city has a reputation of being intolerant.

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Completion of deferred road maintenance essential within next 5-10yrs. No. 1 complaint of taxpayers. No action plan that is reliable and makes sense.

2016 plan designates \$1.6 billion deficiency yet there is no plan on how to complete or action taken . \$160Million needed annually to catch up on work..

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The one-track mind of city council. Everything is downtown, downtown, downtown!

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Community centres (arena/pool) are disgusting and need maintenance money

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Supporting entrepreneurship can only go so far. The City risks yet another abandoned building or delayed project that reduces the beauty of the City.

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The environment Water main breaks Sink holes Pipe bursts Pipe leaks

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Definitely climate change.

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Red tape & collusion. The processes should be transparent and the processes & rules should be followed and ethical.

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After this winter, somehow, the City will have to find ways to deal with climate change issues. Flooding has already been an issue in some areas and there will definitely be more in the future. Important to have good emergency plans but include training for residents as well.

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Barrydowne road repairs. Also will street in New Sudbury is terrible.

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Must address water infrastructure deficiency.

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The opiod crisis is a HUGE risk to this community. I am originally from Sault Ste Marie and have been living in Sudbury for five years. I love it here but I can see the same things happening with the folks here that was happening in my hometown. Also, climate change is a huge risk for absolutely everyone! If our community steps up to the plate, we could be innovative and lead the way for more Northern communities to continue preserving and protecting our land. Work with Indigenous communities on this. Indigenous communities have been protecting the land for as long as people have lived in this country, long before it was Canada, and it will be them coupled with allies from all communities that will be able to guide us towards sustainability and economic growth without harming the environment.

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Climate Change adaptation. If there are people that don't believe in the cause of climate change and balk at climate change mitigation, then at least

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recognize that we need to be more resilient to floods, droughts, freezing, tornadoes etc which are becoming more of a threat.
Roads and transportation infrastructure and affordable housing.

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all the Big projects KED a development that have failed in every other city I have yet to find one example of an arena/Event centre that has result any time economic An arena in the suburbs = a big building surrounding by a large empty parking lot. Strong Town suggest that 4 large projects most likely to fail are 1. a convention Centre 2. an entertainment district 3. a arena 4. a casino the risk increases when place in the suburbs which requires new infrastructure. a convention centre is not needed as attendance for conferences as peaked in 1990 and has decrease since. my employment cut virtually all conferences including PDAC stop believing the lies of developers and focus on local events and small businesses

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Our risk adverse culture is preventing us from getting into the 21st century - 'No' should be the last resort - 'How can we do this' should be our first response Employees spend too much time documenting, defending and covering our backs - instead of planning and looking for opportunities to do better the next day. How can they do great work and document appropriately and effortlessly so they can focus on tomorrow? Silo thinking - Departments and divisions need to coordinate efforts and information and focus on the delivery/outcome of a service - break down the silos and make business processes transparent with the customer in mind Stop hiring consultants - level up skills and empower employees to have a deeper sustained understanding of the business so they have the knowledge and accountability to make continuous positive changes more quickly

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Retail industry is shrinking the city needs to be looking at other means of business and growth opportunities to keep our population here, loss of our population will decrease tax revenue which in turn will increase taxes for those that want to live and raise their family in Greater Sudbury.

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Risks: Big business threatening the success of local and municipal businesses.

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See my previous comments re Fiscal Responsibility and Transparency.

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See aforementioned comments about the opioid crises. We need to do a better job of cleaning up the proliferation of discarded needles

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The constant tax increases are hitting hard. The large yearly increases in water services are not affordable

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DON'T do the KED. Renovate existing Arena

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Overpopulation is a risk. The city should discourage having children.

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It will lose its next generations if it doesn't move fast on green initiatives.

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Reductions in provincial funding across multiple sectors

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-Aging infrastructure, this includes water and sewer lines. -Recently implemented presumptive legislation for first responders. This has the potential to have a significant financial impact on our municipality in the future.

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Vale trailings into warer infrastrucure and health effects

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Road conditions are a major risk - damage claims from citizens, continuous investment redoing the same roads over and over again, tourism is affected by shape of roads

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Predatory lending (i.e. payday loans).

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<https://www.theguardian.com/society/2018/apr/03/crackdown-payday-loans-predatory-lending-mental-health-poverty> <https://www.canada.ca/en/financial-consumer-agency/programs/research/payday-loans-market-trends.html> Aging baby boomers and their healthcare is a major risk. How do we handle such large cohort coming through the system, but then not end up with a bunch of empty buildings/wasted resources in 25 years? I plan on living here for longer than that...



Climate crisis - although the signs were subtle in the past 40 years, they are making their presence increasingly known. Properties, infrastructure and businesses in Greater Sudbury are being affected by our climate more than ever. This spring is not going to be pretty. We need to declare a climate emergency and build a plan to counter the effects of the climatic events and reduce our impact on our environment seven-fold: reduce emission, reduce energy consumption, increase use of renewable energies, increase awareness of landfill issues, reduce single-use items, increase knowledge of our water systems, increase community engagement for a sustainable future. Road quality. Potholes are substantially large and are a high risk for driver safety.

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The population is aging... it is more important than ever to attract and retain younger people and future leaders. They have to see Sudbury as a place that wants them and is willing to create strong cultural and entertainment programs and facilities.

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We are threatening our clean water sources by overpopulating the shores of our lakes and allowing toxic materials to flow into our waterways. The city needs to restrict building around waterways and implement stricter by-laws as to septic systems near waterways and activities allowed on waterways. For instance, why are cars allowed to drive on to frozen waterways which then leave oil, gas and other toxic substances to be deposited and melt into the waterway? Why are people allowed to leave human waste and garbage near ice fishing locations which later seep into the waterway with the ice melt?

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Major risks include younger generations not buying homes in Sudbury and moving out of town due to lack of jobs or lack of interest in the City.

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- Increase sprawling of the city - Not be ready to deal with increase weather extreme scenarios

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A threat to cooperation in the city is the divided parties on the Kingsway Development. Moving forward on a project like that, with public funds is unwise when it is not a sound, long-term investment and when it runs counter to examples from other municipalities, city hired consultants and sustainable economic principles. The health of our many lakes and waterways is a huge threat for us all. Our drinking water and the health of our environment and citizens is on the line. A risk of aging infrastructure and the climbing, unknown costs of repairs. Careful, long term planning is required. Rising drug problem and all the fall-out: needles and needles and the rest of the paraphernalia everywhere; more unstable people downtown.

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Immigration - Population decline.

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Climate change. Data shows that transportation and home heating are the two biggest culprits. We have to cut emissions, and do it quickly. boost active transport by creating liveable communities and walking/cycling infrastructure, comprehensive public transportation. Create opportunities/funding to fuel and heat homes in more environmentally sustainable ways. More community gardens.

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Our watersheds are under protected, we need to ensure that Ramsay lake does not increase its salt and pollution load, (I am filtering my city water as my husband is on a low salt diet and the water provides one third of his daily salt with not iodine in it.) We are a city of lakes we should look after them. With our increase in forested areas and the upcoming dryer summers we need to identify and adapt our environment to prevent forest fires and to make them more manageable, by identifying them very quickly and having forest fire training for our fire fighters, fighting forest fires in a city is very different from fighting a house fire. We have a lot of lakes and streams we need to manage them to avoid major flooding.

Storm drains in Levack

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take on one major project at a time. KED + junction + Mailey is too much of a burden on tax payers at once, and will very likely never be self-sufficient or money-making ventures

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There is a possibility of reluctance from the majority of residents to support the indigenous constituency residing in the Greater City of Sudbury which may create challenges for development. However, if the City believes it is the right thing to do through cultural sensitivity and the recognition of traditional territory of indigenous people may foster reconciliation with the indigenous

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community within the Greater City of Sudbury.

Every year it's an ongoing issue with roads.. holes etc. Maybe start looking at a different way of filling the holes so when it gets hotter or plies go by it's not ripping them out which in turn is our tax dollars being burned at the stake unpredictability with climate change - need to figure out how to adapt to changing conditions, reduce our carbon emissions, mitigating extremes in weather and emergency preparedness - stress importance to all in our community for emergency kits and what to do/where to go in case of disasters - Climate change is the primary issue facing all of us, right now
Roads

Rising taxes and cost of living ! People are being run out of their homes.
Lack of good jobs., young people have to leave to find work. Too much government regulation stop growth and ingenuity
One City One EQUAL service

roads !

Roads are a problem and you can always fix them. Winter roads- plows didn't help with the pot holes this year lets go back to the old ways. Health care - more is needed lets be leaders! Let's focus on better out patient care and mental health and addictions. I work in an OR and we see the same infection in the same people because of addictions lets get to the root!
Protect Lake Ramsay.

Prepare for any risks associated with the climate changing and how it affects Sudbury, educate and prepare citizens regarding risks with having a mine near by (a lot Sudburians don't know what to do if there's a mining related emergency or leak), etc...

The threats are the roads and lack of care, especially in the winter. Also, if Sudbury doesn't move forward, it will not survive. We need the Kingsway casino and entertainment centre.

Hold Vale accountable for tailings leaching around the community
(Lively/Meatbird Lake)

Sudbury should become a food hub. Rooftop greenhouses can be subsidized or encouraged to help deal with hunger, maximize benefits of Farmers Market, help the environment. In addition, Sudbury Hydro should be encouraged to find more sustainable methods to generate electricity. Localized and sustainable electricity generation will mitigate Sudbury's vulnerability to large scale crisis to larger electricity grid. Biofuels, Wind, solar, thermal, etc provide a varied enough package to deal with variable conditions to ensure 24 hr electricity coverage.

- RISK: Young people and workforce leaving/moving because CGS doesn't provide or invest in the things that are important to them. CGS should

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engage with them, and research what other cities/municipalities are doing to keep or attract. - RISK: Adding or creating jobs that are low wage, low quality, at risk of being lost/automated and touting it as a win or improvement. The quality of new jobs matters just as much as the quantity.
-Drugs

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The majority of young educated people know that Sudbury has not much to offer them, both as students, and as recent graduates. The community will continue shrinking because a terrible disconnect with future citizens and the city.

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Status quo and limited thinking is the biggest threat. I continue to be frustrated when I always hear the same thing, dressed as something else. Focus off the roads, and on human participation. Make transportation efficient and affordable--you do not need so many stops. People can walk a bit to catch a bus that will not lolly gag through neighbourhoods and then stop for a 1/2 hour because they are ahead of schedule. It's ridiculous.

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It appears that our roads and the budget to maintain them are stretched to the limit. Reducing automobile use would help greatly. And as the cost of automobile transportation increases for drivers it will become vital that our city evolves to become less car centric.

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Extreme weather due to climate change

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Drug paraphernalia (including needles!) in downtown playgrounds ... would more needle disposals help? I'm not sure what the solution is.

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We are all at threat of environmental collapse. We need to get that "ship" back on course and then we can start addressing the more down to earth, local matters, like poverty and wealth re-organization, i.e. Guaranteed Minimum Incomes.

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City council is a threat to this community. Self serving group.

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- The major threat to Greater Sudbury is climate change impacts. This includes flooding, water quality degradation, forest fires, drought (specifically threatening the Valley water supply), snow and ice loading, invasive species, etc. Climate change action and adaptation should be implemented at the highest level and throughout all city departments. - The opioid crisis is another risk that must be dealt with effectively and compassionately, with prevention and harm reduction.

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Climate change is THE major risk.

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Climate change is the single overall cause of multiple risks and threats. For example, the current crisis of excessive snowloads on rooftops is a result of

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climate change. A winter with huge snowfall is not new, but the combination of extreme ups-and-downs, combined with excessive snow, IS new. Other immediate threats include forest fires, blue-green algae blooms in our lakes, and flash-floods. All these threats (among others) must be addressed, but the number-one priority should be to do everything possible to reduce our carbon emissions.

Water quality in our city lakes. Storm water/ snow melt run off needs to be a priority. We pride ourselves on this asset...so let's nurture it.

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non-transparency

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The extremely bad roads.. look into better pavement and line making... a better contractor like Terra North who helps keeping budgets on time

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Due to the size of our City, infrastructure is going to be a large financial burden in the coming years. I'm sure I'm not saying anything new to the City employees that are responsible for this area. It does concern me as I'm not sure how much higher we can raise taxes to cover this.

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Climate Change is the biggest threat facing everyone, and I think that working towards mitigating climate change is a MUST. I hope that Greater Sudbury declares a climate emergency because action needs to happen at the municipal level. There is also a great risk that comes from street sweeping and there is no bylaw in place for private properties and large parking lots to wet the sand before sweeping. Which has a severe health impact as the dust and small particles enter into our lungs, including tiny pieces of plastics and metals.

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Lack of alternative industries means when Mining is down, the city is moribund.

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3/09/2019 03:39 PM

The disposal of drug user needles is out of control in this city. Especially in the downtown area.

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3/09/2019 03:42 PM

Transparency is key to citizen trust Without trust it doesn't matter how good you try to be -there will always be suspicion

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3/09/2019 04:07 PM

Climate change is a risk that can affect all facets of our life in Sudbury.

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3/10/2019 11:18 AM

The ongoing lawsuit of players vs the Canadian hockey league could force the wolves into bankruptcy or a smaller business entity which makes spending 50 plus million on a new arena foolish

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3/10/2019 12:45 PM

The biggest immediate major threat to the City is the KED. This is a project that, if it happens, will hurt the City forever. History, and evidence from many other cities, prove that event centres must be in the downtown. The removal of the events centre from Sudbury's downtown will create a permanent loss to the whole community. Council continues to be blind to this obvious reality and the unprecedented resistance to the project from a major portion of the community.

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The restructuring of Ontario's health system could pose a risk. It may

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destabilize some of the services we benefit from in health and social services. The city should continue with its planning for population health approaches to stay abreast of changes.

As noted previously, the state of our environment threatens everything we know. It only seems logical to make it an ultimate priority.

This risk is in play already.. the suburbified sprawl. too many roads, many of which are either dont have any housing/development, or only a little bit. too many areas continue to be developed in this manner. This leads to far too much unsustainable maintenance. Too many water/sewer lines to build, repair, maintain, replace. Too many places to plow, for only a little bit of Users. all with vast dead-zones in between. The overall pattern of development is already a problem, but in a future with less money, less well-paid workers, more old people, higher maintenance costs, higher utility costs... this planning behaviour will make the 20-60 year old Sudburians of 2050... Despise the Leaders & Decision Makers of 1950-2020. It is all a major disservice to real people, while being of benefit only to a handful of Wealthy. It is a great deal for a guy who owns bad land 8kms out of town, to have it developed, but that guy isnt gonna pay the infrastructure maintenance costs for the next 85 years. These types of things have to seriously become not only taken seriously, but completely barred from occurring, until such time that the currently established core areas, (that all have crumbling infrastructure and empty buildings) are repaired, filled, and active members of tax-paying society. The Commercial Zoning is MAXED OUT. There are empty stores, malls, all over these established places, to continue to rezone lands that ought to remain Industrial, or Rural, or FD(2119 future future development), for cultural, or commercial, in this current age, is not only madness, it should be criminal. The Infrastructure deficit we have now, alone...ought to be reason enough to say NO. Its not only water/sewer, its roads/sidewalks and plowing. Its busing, taxi fare costs, its walkability, its community building exercises (cant wave to Joe across the street, cause everything is built so far apart, that no ones gets to form Borough Community bonds, with either driving alone to all these places, or running thru the weather along poorly maintained sidewalks, under a hood..to keep from getting sick, due to sweating from the sheer defeat of manuevering this cold cityscape. We cant afford what we have, because of how we have done things.....so stop doing it those ways. The solutions I presented above, could offer the balance required, for an overall sustainable yearly maintenance budget, while attracting the 200 000 additional people we should have living here. Sudbury is the size of Luxembourg, which has 600 000 people. We could really learn a lot from such a successful, long time established place. The Outlying former towns, that are now part of the City. These particular places, need to double their populations.. These would be great places to offer affordable housing to young single moms. The safer, smaller aspect of a place like Capreol, or Levack, or Dowling.. would allow these kids to grow up better. while filling the schools, arenas and in turn likely form a sense of community bond to the town.. and remain there as Adults with their own

families. Instead of keeping young single mums downtown, surrounded by negative opportunities, these people would benefit from such a surrounding, allowing her to focus on being a mum, rather than hanging out at Timmies... Its a HARSH thing to type out, but it is a reality, that we all witness. Solution. build, and/or offer affordable housing in outlying towns, that need kids to fill their schools and grow up wanting to stay in the towns they were raised in, the lifestyle they have come to know. That being said.. create pocket buildings along, or just off the main strips, in the Flour Mill for French Seniors.. in Gatchell, for Italian Seniors... Donovan for Slavic Seniors. East Downtown or Uptown for LGBT Seniors. People need dignified affordable places to live thru their twilight years, its has been my observation that they want to live amongst people like them, in familiar corners of town. These could be city owned assets or worked thru with a partnership with a private developer ensuring they will not become high-priced units. a severely under represented group of Seniors are the LGBT. No one thinks of them as young adults... let alone what will happen to them in old age.. stuck living in phobic places, with people who dont understand them. Catering to a Senior market to some sounds like an Elliot Lake scenario, is it something we should do. well, why not. While also building housing scenarios for the young too.. there is a lot of underzoned room in the established areas.

Roads are totally threatening for anyone who enters the city at the moment. Scrape them up and put new ones in.

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3/10/2019 09:06 PM

THREAT > Emigration + Aging + Population Decline = DECLINING
WORKFORCE SEE DEMOGRAPHIC TRENDS, SUDBURY & MANITOULIN
here:

https://www.northernpolicy.ca/upload/documents/presentations/presentation_draft_17-03-27_markserre.pdf Greater Sudbury's workforce is on route to DECLINE by 14.2 % by 2041 = More dependents, less productivity, skills shortage in the workforce Solutions include Newcomer Attraction & Migrant Retention, (+ Education)

Sprawl is a major threat to the city finances.

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3/11/2019 01:16 PM

Need to have a back up system for when emergencies happen. If power grid fails for example, how are people getting their information and guidance. We have seen that whether its a winter storm or summer heat wave that the city is very slow to respond. This is unacceptable.

Definitely climate change.

[REDACTED]
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City should NOT be looking at borrowing large sums of money to build infrastructure that the majority of the community won't be using, but are forced to pay for.

Be aware that the higher taxes and poor money management drive people away from the city, reducing the tax base even more so explore serious ways to hold the line with taxes. We have an older population that is a risk of being able to stay here & pay higher taxes & that are not going to be here in 20

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years time. Examine affordable housing to allow both youth and seniors accommodations that they can live with and stay here and that could be downtown to help revive it. A vibrant cultural community assists in retaining youth and also provides job opportunities.

The cost of residential and commercial development is too high and not sustainable in my view. Studies supporting these high development costs from other regional areas in Ontario are not directly transferable to the north. If we wish to attract industry and growth, the City need to rethink this "money grab up front" approach.

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3/11/2019 06:12 PM

Forget about a casino in any location. The money the city receives will be offset by economic damage done to ther businesses, families, and social support costs.

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3/11/2019 07:00 PM

Drugs, sex trafficking, homelessness, improvements in access to health care and wait times, hospital overcrowding, maintain roads and please plough the streets!

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 07:07 PM

Climate change is already hitting Sudbury hard, and this winter has produced imminent danger of flooding throughout most of the GS area. This means the quality of potable water will be greatly impaired with in the month. Drought, extreme heat, the increase of invasive species - these all affect our economy, quality of life, and image within the province and nationally

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3/12/2019 06:20 AM

Ballooning investments and requirements in road maintenance and public infrastructure which, to some extent, ignore needs of those living with out single mode transportation creating a city focused on a certain population and ignoring the needs of a more economically and socially diverse population.

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3/12/2019 08:02 AM

Environmental risks, especially to Ramsey lake. As each summer passes the lake gets worse and we need a watershed act to protect our largest, most Central and most used lake. This also ties in directly with environmental impact across the city and all major environmental impacts should be our highest priority.

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-fiscal sustainability - huge concern due to the historic pursuit of a pro-growth sprawl agenda. Stop supporting sprawl. Stop building new roads and widening existing ones. End support for the KED. -Significant risks to our drinking water sources. Freeze development in the Ramsey Lake watershed until the completion of subwatershed studies to better guide development. Stop building surface parking facilities in the watershed. -Climate change creates a systemic risk to the City. Luckily, the City can prepare for this risk if it focuses on fiscal sustainability, as per above.

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3/12/2019 10:10 AM

Climate change. Listen to experts on addressing complex system change.

[REDACTED]
3/12/2019 10:14 AM

Threats: Complacency and inertia. Bring in change management professionals that know how to engage change initiatives and transform the city.

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3/12/2019 11:00 AM

Climate change, climate change, climate change. Health and social equity issues - the opioid crisis, homelessness, mental heath issues, poverty, food poverty, etc.

[REDACTED]

Climate change.

3/12/2019 11:38 AM

[REDACTED]

climate change is the biggest risk we will face and we need to prepare for challenging scenarios with appropriate and effective responses

3/12/2019 03:34 PM

[REDACTED]

Currently, the city is divided and council seems to be fine with that. This is not a long term strategy. If you lose the community's faith to support council, long term strategy will not be accomplished.

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Optional question (194 responses, 188 skipped)

Q14 The City of Greater Sudbury provides approximately 60 types of municipal services. Are there any new services that you feel the city should offer? Are there any existing services that you feel the city should no longer offer?

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2/23/2019 02:02 PM

The city can reduce the number of staff in each of the 60 municipal areas and reduce property taxes.

[REDACTED]
2/23/2019 02:11 PM

addiction services are sooooo necessary. mental health services. maybe combine services like our pet shelters and mental health services. Take some of the social services out of downtown so that we dont look so rundown. Seniors!!! help our seniors. Neither the city or any outside agency help them with dentures. dentures can cost 2000\$+ which someone one CPP cannot afford.

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2/23/2019 06:26 AM

A good new service would be road repair, snowplowing and road maintenance

[REDACTED]
2/23/2019 09:56 AM

Safe Injection Site Waste Free Shopping Site

[REDACTED]
2/23/2019 12:43 PM

The city should stop snow removal and give us a tax break, we could then all afford snowmachines. On a more serious note, maybe go back to dirt roads as they are far cheaper and easier to maintain. Most sudburians would be OK with this because 6 months of the year the road is frozen anyways and you cant even see it. Rail cars would be nice. Stop loaning out tax dollars to random buisness people. If the banks don't want to give them money tax payers shouldn't either!

[REDACTED]
2/23/2019 09:52 AM

Without a ranking of the 60 types of municipal services and an understanding of the demographics/use of the services it is hard to say what the city should no longer offer. As for new services the City needs to determine the role it should have in supporting economic growth and perhaps modernize the lens used to select and support services.

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2/23/2019 11:01 AM

I think the city should require recycling and green cart programs to the commercial and industrial facilities. I understand they pay a larger portion for collection. However, landfill sites have a maximum lifecycle. If everyone is doing their part it would go a lot further. All residential homes will be required to go to one garbage bag limit. With a family of four who participates in all the programs I feel we are doing our part. It would be nice to see everyone taking an active roll in these programs.

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2/23/2019 12:03 PM

Emission Footprint calculator on bills and gas pumps.

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2/23/2019 02:58 PM

Support covering outdoor hockey rinks with roofs. This will help them to stay free of snow and last longer. Also, paving these rinks will allow people to use rollerblades or play ball hockey in the summer. Open some community exercise sites in outlying areas. Ex. Wahnapiatae could have a community run gym with some support from the city.

[REDACTED]
2/25/2019 04:05 PM

Consideration be given to having Pioneer Manor be operated by non-profit organization such as Finlandia.

[REDACTED]
2/25/2019 10:16 PM

No. Only provide services that are not duplicated by either federal, provincial or public agency.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 11:14 AM

Offer all of them and improve them if finances allow. Privatization is a mirage. It may lower taxes but then citizens have to pay more for former city provided services. In the end citizens are worse off. It has happened this way all over the world and yet Canada and Ontario seems not to realize this. We had better not make the same mistake over and over again.

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2/26/2019 12:08 PM

An app for parking and/or paying for bus tickets and passes with your phone, similar to how Green P and Metrolinx are doing things down south.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 04:16 PM

Don't really see the need for the city to be in the daycare and long-term care business those should either go towards provincial organizations or be privatized also I think the city should start saving money by limiting the amount of staff

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 04:22 PM

I am satisfied with the services currently provided by the city.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 04:24 PM

Continue expanding active transportation network.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 04:26 PM

BIA in it's current form should be dissolved. It seems with the KED they went outside their mandate and to me that is abuse of their power and scope. I do not have any suggestions at this time for new services.

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2/26/2019 04:34 PM

I would like to see existing services improved for residents rather than add or lose services.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 05:04 PM

60 services??

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2/26/2019 05:07 PM

Tiny homes for veterans or deserving homeless people or families.

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I think there are sufficient

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bring back summerfest

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2/26/2019 05:27 PM

That could probably be reduced slightly. Some services can be merged to make a more efficient process will cutting down the overall costs to the taxpayers.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 05:30 PM

Nothing to add

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 07:12 PM

Do not find french arts centers. I'm not anti french. But we do not need a center of Arts being a tax burden

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 07:10 PM

Stop support for downtown and promote loans for local businesses.
Privatization should be considered for the manoir or selling it to the province who own know the medical field

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 07:24 PM

No. There are too many municipal services as it is, stretching resources far too thin.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 07:57 PM

I am sure there are some services that are underused and yet someone is getting paid and being quiet about it. The City does not make itself 'user friendly' compared to other cities (eg., website is confusing) and many people have no idea how to contact the city or what department to go to about issues. The old ways of thinking 'my little home town' in the far corners of 'Greater Sudbury' need to be replaced with just "Sudbury" and that's that. Stop pandering to all the squawkers in the corners!

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2/26/2019 07:58 PM

No

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2/26/2019 08:04 PM

I feel like the city should be more transparent, stop thinking bigger and start thinking better

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 08:50 PM

How about list the 60 services the city offers and then I can tell you what to axe and what to add the average citizen doesnt know so how are we supposed to answer.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 08:55 PM

Yes. One election year became all about Boxing Day Shopping. Has Sudbury become that lame that this was our biggest concern? It is not mine. You want to present a sense of community out there in our town...and yet, most staff do not even get to enjoy the Christmas season with their families. They can't travel during the holiday, spend it with family or truly relax as so deserved. You are talking out of both sides of your mouth. By-law should never ever been passed. Yes, you will say that they don't have to open, and it is a choice. NO. Don't make it a 'choice' to compete with others who are open, because NO one should be. I often wonder how City staff and office/councillors/mayor, etc would love to go to work on Boxing Day, the day after Christmas? DO ONTO OTHERS, Yes, please, do away with that and make it illegal for any of them to open. (I know you won't.)

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:00 PM

The gym in Falconbridge should have the ability to accept debit as a payment option. They should also have a small cash in order to provide single use visitors change. When I give them a 10\$ or 20\$ bill they often don't have enough change.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:01 PM

Ideally taking cars off the crumbling roads by use of very convenient transit, but with the city spread the way it is, I don't see it being cost effective.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:21 PM

The city should NOT offer housing in single family homes (low density housing). This is far too costly. The city should greatly reduce its Emergency Management department. The city should sell Pioneer Manor to a private provider - city's are not experts in this type of enterprise. Essentially, the city should provide only services they are mandated to provide. The rest should be offered by private enterprise.

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An exciting Tourist Information Centre Decentralization of some services to

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outlying communities, ie playgrounds, arenas, road, sidewalk and trail maintenance, including snow removal, etc.

The city should absolutely get out of any partnership with a Casino, I'm fine if we have one, but don't spend my tax dollars encouraging people to go there.

Back to individual municipalities=better services, stop contracting out city jobs

Better environmental services in regards to garbage and recycling services
Why are we shipping that beautiful compost produced at the landfill out of town instead of taking advantage ourselves to beautify the city
I don't believe the City should be in the business of running the long term care home.

More funding to help non profits help the more vulnerable

Re-consider selling Pioneer Manor OR if it is going to be municipally funded use it to provide services not available at other LTC facilities (specialized high risk dementia care; specialized Huntington's care; specialized wing for young adults etc).
Unsure.

reduce spending on libraries - these should be combined with arenas and eliminate the halls as they are old and run down anyways and shouldn't be competing with businesses
60 seems like a lot

My [REDACTED] had a stroke and heart attack, were trying to keep her in her home. Why cause there is nothing for seniors and 2 years and she cannot get help to help her 1 hour a week to clean her home. She worked many many years for the government and there is nothing for her. Forget the dog parks! Forget the art galleries!

Well, building a new arena should no longer be offered. Snow removal needs a serious looking at. Rather than removing snow banks all in one week, cutting paths at strategic locations throughout the winter would go a long way. Senior apartments & medical offices should be accessible at all times. City of Greater Sudbury should also not be in the business of owning/running Campgrounds at community parks.

New there are currently too many soft services that are not funded externally and therefore only by the local tax payer

Consider smaller transit buses (urban style) to lower the impact on road damage and waste of empty buses.

The city needs to ensure that it is providing the basic common interest services that no one else can provide, ie Water/sewer, road management.
Reduce any services that compete with private interest.

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 12:15 PM

I do think that there should be one more week in mid summer for free dump access. It is so busy in the spring and fall, one in the summer might be really good and not so busy. Lots of people would be at camp and those of us without one - could possibly have a week where we didn't have to sit in a line up for an hour or more to get in. I do believe we should be getting buses and routes that service the mines. From several areas in the city - to Garson, Copper Cliff, Creighton, Onaping etc...2 times in the a.m. and 2 times at the end of day..depending on use possibly up to 4 buses at a time. Winter driving can be treacherous and getting more cars off the roads would be great. I would love to have the opportunity to take a bus to work. I could leave Coniston at 7:00a.m. possible stop at Copper Cliff - then on to Creighton. Or direct on the bypass to Creighton? You could have a bus at 5:00a.m. and 7:00a.m. - gets people there for the 6a.m. cage - and 8a.m. cages..all depends on that particular mine - but I think it would work. Cooperation with Vale..

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Better waste oil/ hazardous waste services. Better accessibility

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Drop in drug clinics right downtown just promotes crime

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2/27/2019 01:11 PM

The Primary Healthcare Provider Recruitment Program. The Hospital does a much better job at recruitment. The money saved can be used for other resources.

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2/27/2019 05:05 PM

The casino for the Kingsway project should be scrapped.. It is proven that significant profits will drain the public with little return of funds. Profits go to a large American company and the Ontario government.and operation of OLG. A list of these services would be helpful here. There is no way to appropriately answer this question without the necessary information. I do know that the opiod epidemic is affecting first responders, local businesses, and tourism. Whatever the City can do to help curb this disaster.

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2/27/2019 09:07 PM

Stop contracting out things like snow removal, sand sweeping and spring cleaning on bus shelters.

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2/28/2019 01:27 PM

The city should strongly promote its compost service. Most citizens aren't aware of its existence nor of the facility to use it. It would help the waste disposal issue.

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2/28/2019 09:05 PM

Emergency housing.

[REDACTED]
3/01/2019 09:35 AM

Many things should be more user-pay. The arts and recreation, for instance, are not used by a great many taxpayers and should not be so greatly subsidized. This small segment of the population (and I certainly personally support the arts and recreational activities) should not carry the burden for services they cannot, or will not, utilize.

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3/01/2019 1:04 AM

Divest from Pioneer Manor!

[REDACTED]

Task force specifically to aid people with addictions and mental health

3/01/2019 11:36 AM

issues.

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service offered : Affordable housing - renovation grants for older homes, outdoor activities and festivals increased bike services - winter maintenance for bike paths service dis continued - pot hole patrol

3/01/2019 02:22 PM

I would like to see the Adanac facility enhanced. It has been poorly run as it is not a main focus for the full timeparks and rec staff due to their lack of motivation. When the seasonal staff are hired you can see the struggle they have as they are excited to be there but are limited to what the parks and rec staff do. Always seems to be a lack of motivation to make snow during prime times to get the hill open as early as possible. It could be turned into an all season facility. The new chair lift can be utilized for downhill mountain biking. Sudbury has a large mountain bike scene with the rigged terrain. This may be able to attract races eventually if proper trails, obstacles etc were set up throughout the property.

3/01/2019 02:49 PM

RV Dump services should not be provided to a handful of citizens with trailers for free Need to be sure we are not duplicating public health programs or services

3/01/2019 03:25 PM

The city should be looking at lessening or dropping many services and contract them out which will keep our expenses in line while allowing others to create businesses that could run these services, which could increase employment and lessen the city's burden on many of the services that the city can no longer afford to run alone. Major companies have done this and it has been successful in Greater Sudbury... Inco begun to contract various mining services and they reduced their workforce yet new businesses popped up in greater Sudbury to do the services that Inco/Vale still needed to run their operations and some of these companies has become internationally known.

3/02/2019 01:45 PM

Let us make sure that we look after what we already have in a Fiscally Responsible manner. It is already a difficult enough job without making it more difficult or beyond our means.

3/02/2019 04:50 PM

Tax rebates to property developers [REDACTED] who haven't demonstrated a history of productivity with their ventures. Also disband the BIA and create a broader community improvement panel that consists of a reputable business owner from each ward

3/02/2019 10:29 PM

The city should build an insane asylum, or something that can fulfill a similar purpose.

3/03/2019 03:46 PM

-Museums, need to be evaluated. What is the cost to operate, compared to the revenue.

3/04/2019 09:12 AM

Free public wifi throughout downtown core and beyond as possible. Very helpful with those living in poverty.

3/04/2019 11:17 AM

We need to improve our electric vehicle infrastructure. There will be a push for electrification of the transportation system, and other less carbon-emitting systems (ex. liquid methane trucks, etc.) in the near future, we need to be ready and we need to lead this transition for Northern Ontario. With our

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climate, we will need northern solutions and Sudbury is well placed to be the top developer of this technology and service.
Alternative transportation.

[REDACTED]

3/01/2019 02:27 PM

Consolidate where possible; seek partnership with industry and private sector. Area to consider: partner with the school boards to transport secondary students. This will only work if the bus lines are structured appropriately. And if that happened, it would also increase more transportation opportunities for non-students, which would also allow people to reduce their carbon footprints. This might also help low income people located in outlying areas. They can access more affordable housing while still having the opportunity to find employment in other parts of the city.

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3/01/2019 03:19 PM

I think Sudbury should aim to be a "wireless city." Build its tech infrastructure and provide a network across the area. Maybe Agilis could move in to residential service, or at least support a push for a wireless city?

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3/01/2019 03:29 PM

Not at this time

[REDACTED]

3/01/2019 03:30 PM

I would like to see some sort of community activity centre for the homeless in our community. Somewhere they could go during the day before the shelters open. Somewhere they could have access to computers, activities, social opportunities, a place where they feel comfortable and welcome.

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3/01/2019 03:40 PM

Physician recruitment and retention bonuses

[REDACTED]

3/01/2019 03:40 PM

I would encourage the City to get out of Long Term Care, Summer Camps and other activities that are typically "Municipal". As mentioned earlier, I think the City needs to reduce services in an effort to limit tax increases to the level of inflation.

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3/01/2019 03:47 PM

Overall, I think the services that the city provides are excellent. The only area where I did not receive good/helpful services over the years (15 and counting) was for building permits.

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3/01/2019 03:50 AM

Yes...to be continued

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3/01/2019 03:54 AM

i think they give too much to indigenous community.

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3/01/2019 03:57 PM

trim the fat. Staffing has increased exponentially since amalgamation. we are nowhere near as efficient as we should be at this point.

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3/01/2019 03:58 PM

Establish an Indigenous Liaison Unit to provide professional development in the area of Cultural Safety Training to establish a starting point to understand our shared history and an appreciation for indigenous ways of knowing. keep at it as far as improving public transportation, making it comprehensive, clean, modern, fast, efficient; improve walkability esp. in the winter - clean sidewalks first so we can all get around

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3/01/2019 03:57 PM

Streamline administrative services to speed up response times

3/05/2019 04:42 PM

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An outdoor ed centre for our youth that can't easily access the outdoors would be lovely.

3/05/2019 06:29 PM

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Breast health clinic! That saved lives and you worry about money. More mental health services.

3/05/2019 11:04 AM

[REDACTED]

Free parking downtown would be a good place to start, often people do not want to travel downtown because they have to pay for parking. Create more bus terminals throughout the Greater City of Sudbury, encouraging greater use of public transit. This would include a space for people to park their cars also if they need.

3/05/2019 11:20 AM

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Love our libraries.

3/05/2019 10:10 PM

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Better services overall. Always room for improvement. Affordable housing accessibility for low income people, students, etc... the waiting list is insane and more people should have access - it shouldn't take years to get an affordable place to live when you have low income and are in school/working/ or on income support. Also, landlords/rentals saying "no pets" should not be allowed to say that anymore. Some people are responsible pet owners and can't get a rental due to landlords saying this all the time.

3/06/2019 11:26 PM

[REDACTED]

This is a long shot and i am sure it will never happen. How about a train to toronto? A high speed train.

3/06/2019 11:35 PM

[REDACTED]

City bi-law officers should pick up investigating animal cruelty because the Ospca is no longer going to do it

3/07/2019 07:39 AM

[REDACTED]

Develop a home buyers package. Short term aid for individuals looking to purchase a home for the first time.

3/07/2019 08:21 AM

[REDACTED]

Theres sidewalks in the Uptown area that have not been touched since the snow started falling. Transit is nonexistent on sundays. Potholes are getting so bad that even pedestrians have a hard time getting anywhere. We need to invest inwards, not outwards.
unsure.

3/07/2019 11:56 AM

[REDACTED]

-An organics drop-off location should be offered. If I am away and miss garbage day, I can bring my recycling to Frobisher Road, but am out of luck for my green bin. Green bins in the heat attract wildlife, which is an issue we are already battling in Sudbury!

3/07/2019 12:44 PM

[REDACTED]

Services offered are sub standard. Fix current services before trying to offer more.

3/07/2019 04:07 PM

[REDACTED]

N.B. We include here new initiatives or actions as well as services. It would be useful to see a full list of the ~60 types of municipal services to answer this question. - Climate change action for mitigation and adaptation should be implemented at the highest level and throughout all city departments,

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consistent with the ICPP report on maintaining global warming below 1.5 degrees. - Community building and community engagement should be properly supported and resourced. E.g. one model is a Department of Neighbourhoods. - Natural asset management should be added to asset management and renewal. Green infrastructure and low impact development should become business as usual for site plans and stormwater management. - A Vision Zero approach should set and meet targets to reduce traffic fatalities, with a special focus on pedestrian safety. Lowering traffic speed is the best way to protect pedestrians. - A smart salt management program should be required for large commercial and institutional properties.

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3/16/2019 11:51 AM

Climate change action for mitigation and adaptation should be implemented at the highest level and throughout all city departments, consistent with the ICPP report on maintaining global warming below 1.5 degrees. A Department of Neighbourhoods

[REDACTED]
3/16/2019 12:45 PM

Ah...i need a link to what they are :-). I do feel that I live in a well served community in general.

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3/16/2019 02:25 PM

let's get what we have working well.

[REDACTED]
3/16/2019 02:10 PM

Affordable housing for seniors and 55 + communities..

[REDACTED]
3/16/2019 03:52 PM

Of course there are many services that are offered by the City that are not glorious but we cannot live without (snow clearing, garbage pick up, road maintenance, water/wastewater etc) One of the greatest services the City offers is the amazing library network. All ages and socioeconomic groups take advantage of the resources and services provided by the libraries. I love that they are always so busy when I visit which shows the value of this service

[REDACTED]
3/16/2019 04:02 PM

Better recycling —explore beets vs salt for winter roads —protect our lakes and environment

[REDACTED]
3/16/2019 06:22 PM

More low cost recreational programs for youth, after school as well as in the summer. Not just sport-specific programs but overall physical activity, recreation, games etc.

Child Care needs to grow. What should change is the Sunshine List Wage Schemes. Greater Sudbury has some people on the list, being paid as much as, or more than similar Job Title Holders in major cities like L.A or NYC. That has got to stop, we cant afford it, and there is no way it can be justified. That a Sudbury Emergency Services Higher-Up be paid 3x more than the same title-holder in a similar sized U.S. City.. and often equal to said title-holder in a city 100x larger. We really seriously need to have that conversation. We cannot afford to do that, and it is wrong. The raise that such a person gets, yearly, could hire at least 1 New Worker in the organization, at the bottom end. We need more Nurses and Officers... not to better pay an already overpaid Higher-Up. ALL THE WHILE increasing property taxes on working poor?!?!?! I sincerely hope that someone along the

[REDACTED]
3/10/2019 09:06 PM

paper trail of reading this, can at least see that I am right. Someone somewhere has to make this change. Its not only for the good of our city budget, but the best interest of the Ruling Class...to appease your Employers.. the Ratepayers.
Not that I can think of

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 10:18 AM

Renewal of roads and infrastructure should be the focus until we get to a reasonable level of safety. Not massive new entertainment builds. We will not attract new residents without addressing this. Visitors to the City judge the general level of ability of our municipal team be the state of our roads and infrastructure.

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 01:18 PM

Re-institute local councils with taxing power

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 01:24 PM

I think that is subjective to each person. For a more rounded answer i would suggest taking the top 10 cities and compare their services to ours as a guideline. Then re frame a question with more specifics in it.

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 01:58 PM

It would be beneficial to see the list of services to be able to comment on this question.

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 09:21 PM

Whatever happened to our auditor general. Does he even exist anymore?

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 03:31 PM

The city needs to work on improving the quality of services provided instead of looking at providing new services. Examine the costs for the city to deliver the services versus letting non-profit groups or private business if savings can be found. Economic development for the arts and culture sector would be served better by giving these services to the non-profit sector freeing up staff time and money. Other cities have had success for example, providing operational dollars to the local arts council that are then responsible to distribute money dealing directly with the various groups. Security in the downtown provided by security guards rather than police to reduce costs. Look at liquidating assets no longer in use. An independent team of local business representatives should conduct an annual review of these assets and make a non partisan recommendation of which properties should be liquidated.

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 03:56 PM

Levack does not require sidewalk clearing devices in the winter. Pedestrian safety is at risk due to visibility issues and very restricted driving lanes.

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 06:01 PM

Services aimed at keeping elderly and handicapped in their homes.

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 07:02 PM

[REDACTED]
3/11/2019 07:37 PM

One addition that would be proactive is Green infrastructure. For all of GS low impact development should be the only acceptable option for site plans (new and retrofits) and storm water management.

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3/12/2019 00:20 AM

Challenging to answer without further context.

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3/12/2019 10:00 AM

Free transit. Higher parking fees for downtown lots. More pay-for-use parking around the City.

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3/12/2019 10:14 AM

Not sure

[REDACTED]
3/12/2019 11:00 AM

Not sure how to answer this question as I don't know the 60 types of municipal services that you say you offer. Can you please post these somewhere so we have some context for future discussions.

[REDACTED]
3/12/2019 11:05 AM

It's hard to comment when there is no list of the municipal services that we can refer to. Is there a place on the website where this list can be found? We would assume that building infrastructure and and promoting active transportation is one of those services.

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3/12/2019 11:08 PM

no opinion at this time

[REDACTED]
3/12/2019 11:08 PM

Ski hills should be privatized, and remove pet licenses.

Optional question (125 responses, 257 skipped)

Q15 | What kind of city would you like to see Greater Sudbury become in the next 15 to 20 years?

[REDACTED]

2/21/2019 10:36 PM

The Capital of the north with an integrated transit system, state of the art entertainment centers and the cultural hub of the area with a growing number of young people. I would love to see Sudbury become one of the healthiest cities in the north.

[REDACTED]

2/22/2019 02:02 PM

I would like to seniors be able to remain in their homes with reduced property taxes. I also would like to see more services available to help seniors remain in their homes.

[REDACTED]

2/22/2019 02:11 PM

no one can make and execute big decisions. i see the city in the same spot we are in now. maybe bigger pot holes.

[REDACTED]

2/22/2019 02:24 PM

More humble, less ego-driven. Scrappy with creative tenacity when devoted to infrastructure, considerate when evaluating nice-to-haves, accommodating to new industry.

[REDACTED]

2/23/2019 03:26 AM

One with roads designed for cars and not off road vehicles only

[REDACTED]

2/23/2019 09:50 AM

I dream of a city AND outlying areas where locals live happily and safe. Where people can easily afford their rent each month in order to put money aside to afford their own homes, to take PRIDE in their own homes. I dream of a place where we take pride in our streets, keeping them clean and well maintained rather than constantly covered in needles and potholes. I dream of a core where people feel safe walking around and shopping, not worrying about needles, or people asking them for money and smokes. It all starts with taking care of the people who live here, once they can take pride in what they have and stop worrying about choosing between bread and roof, they can put time towards more community engagement and taking pride in their city. THEN we expand and invite others to come here, not before.

[REDACTED]

2/23/2019 12:43 PM

A more fiscally responsible greener city that doesn't depend on cars for everything. A city where people are not required to work 60 hour weeks in order to make ends meet. That would be nice.

[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 09:52 AM

A far more connected City - internet hubs internal and external points; transportation as outlined in the master plan in full function and an economy that provides an abundance of opportunities.

[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 10:52 AM

An all inclusive community with a decentralization of services which respects particular needs of outlying areas.

[REDACTED]

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I would like to see the City become a vibrant and exciting place for visitors and residents alike.

[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 11:58 AM

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[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 12:33 PM

Greener. More food forests and community gardening. Less reliance by far on carbon emitting vehicles. Building housing options within the Sudbury core

[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 12:32 PM

neighbourhoods versus continuing to do the urban sprawl. A city where citizens get a carbon dividend as extra spending money - particularly for those who are economically challenged.

Responsive to needs.

[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 04:05 PM

Friendly, healthy community with clean water and recreational resources to retain and attract residents plus affordable housing. Concentrate on low cost initiatives rather than high priced endeavors such as new Arena, Event Centre, new library and art gallery when these facilities already exist and can be enhanced if necessary at low cost.

[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 04:47 PM

A leader in industrial and environmental change. We have all the potential in the world to become a world leader in innovative environmental industries as well as Jin for advanced research, education and health, care. Title of a future article in international news: the story of Sudbury- how a small mining town changed its course and became a global leader in green industry and education

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2/25/2019 10:16 PM

Open, safe and equally supportive of each citizen. It must be corruption free with staff and personnel working at the highest standards and ethics.

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2/25/2019 07:02 AM

Thriving, growing city

[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 11:14 AM

A sustainable city in the full sense of the word. We need to make sure that what we do in the present does not harm the quality of life of future citizens of the city. We need to protect our environmental assets - lakes, rivers, wetlands and forests. We need to make our built environment as energy efficient as possible. We need a much better city government than at present and a regional structure to replace the unresponsive and inefficient Amalgamated City. I want to see a city where our economy provides good paying secure jobs for its residents and a high quality of life. However it will take a better council and senior city staff than we have at present. It may very well be that the low expectations of our citizens may be in itself a significant barrier to improvement.

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2/25/2019 12:08 PM

Electric vehicle capitol of Canada, due to our abundant nickel, cobalt and copper resources.

[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 10:11 PM

I would like to believe that in 15-20 years, CGS will still be here, supporting its citizens in a much greener, climate friendly environment. Using currently available technology and practices, it could be playing a leadership role in making our part of the province more ecologically responsible and a better place for all who live here. Given current worldwide, national, provincial and local inactivity on climate change, I have my doubts about how good life will be for anyone over the next couple of decades. CGS and its citizens may be struggling with much bigger problems than we do now.

[REDACTED]

2/25/2019 01:16 PM

I would love for the City of Sudbury to be a serious hub for Northern Ontario by moving into the 21st century by allowing the Kingsway Entertainment District to succeed and be successful

<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 01:16 PM</div>	Environmentally neutral
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 04:22 PM</div>	I would like to see Sudbury become a scientific, educational, technological and artistic hub for the north - a community focussed on educating citizens and employing them in sectors that rely on creativity.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 04:24 PM</div>	Greater Sudbury continue to transition into an urban city by enhancing the downtown core and surrounding areas while strengthening suburban communities.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 04:26 PM</div>	A more greener, diverse and get into more scientific industries such as data management, coding and IT start ups.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 04:34 PM</div>	I would like it stay a mid sized city to maintain the environment & a more small town feel.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 04:51 PM</div>	prosperous with alot better roads
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:04 PM</div>	Frankly, I'm hoping to get out of this hole in the next 4-5 years
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:04 PM</div>	I would like to see Sudbury become a city that doesn't rely on only mining and a few other large businesses for employment. We need to diversify and attract new forms of employment for the youth so they can stay. Profitable!!
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:07 PM</div>	
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:13 PM</div>	Modern, we need to get with the times
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:13 PM</div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Roads configured for the ever increasing population and number of vehicles- Parking, routing that fits the above - Less focus on cultural activities - leave that to major donors who are passionate about something - the city should strive for services to citizens in general -stop trying to be all things to all people, provide good basic services and let enhancements come through major donors or plebiscite with a clear majority
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:13 PM</div>	A city that people can be proud of and beautiful to look at. If you travel to southern Ontario the difference in the beautification is staggering. Southern Ontario maintains many old heritage buildings, plants grass, flowers and tree's in all areas. Sorry but the downtown is an eyesore. It needs to be revitalized with greenery and beautiful flowers. I witnessed a Native man staggering around right downtown openly drinking a beer at about 9am a couple of weeks ago. Not the first time I've seen it. A clean city, beautified with happy and healthy people.
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:15 PM</div>	a better and not overly taxed city. stop increasing and start budgeting
<div></div> <div>2/26/2019 05:15 PM</div>	A safer, cleaner city for our children to grow up in

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2/26/2019 05:52 PM

A young vibrant city. Everybody talks about how the city is dying so why not bring some life into it. Develop the waterfront a bit more, have art and talent showcased, make community areas for people to hang out in. The city should be set up in a way that makes people want to get out and do stuff. Look at Old Montreal for example. Everyone walks around, there are shops, restaurants, bars, street performers. And due to all of this people come visit the town to explore the unique culture. Make Sudbury the hub of Northern Ontario. Attract people here and develop more high-rise buildings so people can enjoy the city life. There will always be plenty of space in this city for the suburbs and for people to have large backyards but I feel like some parts of the city can also be developed to resemble big cities. This increases the chances of someone finding their home here. If you want to live in a busy area in a high rise condo you can. This would allow you to walk to shops or events and not need public transport. However if you want a more laid back life in the suburbs you can do that too.

More industries other than mining, automotive as pulp and paper.

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2/26/2019 05:55 PM

Balance of tourism and employment opportunities

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2/26/2019 05:58 PM

A clean city (clean lakes, clean air). A city where the most vulnerable people are valued and taken care of (i.e. seniors, homeless people, people suffering from addictions).

Build the Kingsway entertainment district!!

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 06:00 PM

A city people would be proud to tell others where they came from. A city with clean safe streets. A city that welcomes new opportunities.

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2/26/2019 06:04 PM

United.

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2/26/2019 06:08 PM

A leader in Green technology and city living that people come to for fun outside. Living park, city of lakes. These are the natural beauty that we need to maintain. Focus on growing local businesses for their uniqueness and the fact that they aren't another box store. Make us different that is what will attract people. Place des arts downtown, the architecture school. These are things that set us apart.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 07:00 PM

A destination location for cultural and entertainment activities in Ontario. Not just "for the North". Have Culinary competitions such as "Gold Plates" Host the Memorial Cup.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 07:00 PM

A pro business and tourism city. Ice snowmobile trails. ATV trails. Camping.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 07:12 PM

Promote business with partnership instead of owning or giving money to failing business

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 07:15 PM

Cleaner, safer, more entertaining for young people

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[REDACTED]

A more financially responsible one.

2/26/2019 07:24 PM

[REDACTED]

More industry. Improved infrastructure. Whatever's it takes to make other surrounding municipalities envious of our progress. So tired of hearing how well north bay is doing

2/26/2019 07:51 PM

[REDACTED]

A city that doesn't drive away business and opportunities and just plain fun thing because of a 1950's mentality.

2/26/2019 07:52 PM

[REDACTED]

I would like 'Sudbury' to drop the "Greater" (it is a silly prefix that confuses people). Sudbury should be the 'greatest' of the cities of northern Ontario; the most progressive, modern, active and forward-thinking. Let the others go to North Bay or the Soo if they want to feel like its still the 1950s!!

2/26/2019 07:57 PM

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An example of a modern city. Not making planning choices from the 80 and 90s.

2/26/2019 07:59 PM

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A city that doesn't kill thier downtown

2/26/2019 08:04 PM

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One that is full of growth and opportunities for our youth. I love this city but I am tired of seeing development coming to a halt because of whiners and bleeding hearts. "Open for business" is a great slogan, let's do this, let's develop

2/26/2019 08:05 PM

[REDACTED]

I'd love to see Sudbury as a green city in regards to power. Alternative power sources to lower our carbon impact. More pedestrian friendly paths, more bike paths. As a biker and pedestrian I sometimes feel unsafe walking as the sidewalks aren't the best. As for biking, it's definitely not safe to bike in this city with little in the way of bike paths

2/26/2019 08:10 PM

[REDACTED]

A community where my children stay to learn, work and prosper..we are no longer just a mining town-we attract and keep our talent in the north!

2/26/2019 08:10 PM

[REDACTED]

Greener more inclusive with healthy happy people.

2/26/2019 08:40 PM

[REDACTED]

I would like to see a city with a strong downtown cultural hub that is vibrant and lively.

2/26/2019 08:42 PM

[REDACTED]

AFFORDABLE , and not in 15-20 years, but NOW.

2/26/2019 08:45 PM

[REDACTED]

A community of small communities working together toward a cleaner future while keeping our own identity. A world class mining town, leading the world in innovative technologies, a centre for art, science, sport and culture for the north with a much larger focus on growing our own food, with less chains, more locally owned businesses and multicultural market place that rivals larger centres. Cleaner lakes, and the continuation of our regreening efforts. A City that is seen as professional and worth investing in.

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2/26/2019 09:05 PM

Active in fitness, healthy, environmentally aware, individuals who like to support each other, and educated.

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2/26/2019 09:34 PM

I would like Greater Sudbury to innovate in the services sector (not only the services it offers, but the services performed by private and public sectors as a whole). By doing this, Sudbury will retain the bright minds it creates and attract new ones from all over. This, combined with all of its current advantages will make Sudbury one of the most desirable places to live in the country. Sudbury also needs to invest more seriously in arts and culture as a whole. This sector is grossly underfunded and yet contributes extensively to the well-being and quality of life here. It's time for that to change.

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2/26/2019 09:46 PM

A city that has a modern, progressive,vibrant, walkable core Tourist destination showcasing our 330 lakes and outdoor recreational opportunities (summer and winter)

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2/26/2019 10:04 PM

Development in all the downtowns is critical. Gatherings of people should be accommodated in vibrant, cohesive, colourful, celebratory and warm surroundings; Think Scotia Centre and Young-Dundas Square in Toronto. Use light and landscaping as they should be used.

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2/26/2019 11:07 PM

One that people choose. We have leaned on the crutch of a resource city for too long, while we can take advantage of it to attract young people who are innovating in the sector, if they don't choose Sudbury they will innovate elsewhere and leave you behind.

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2/27/2019 12:00 AM

Fewer challenges in getting things approved, like simple site plans.

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2/27/2019 12:19 AM

City workers, no contractors, new road construction companies that don't get bribed and milk the city of our money

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2/27/2019 01:35 AM

Hope to see positive leadership and growth where the tax dollar is working to produce a sound community to call home

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2/27/2019 01:44 AM

A destination!

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2/27/2019 02:00 AM

Roads that are better maintained and safer to drive on.

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2/27/2019 02:22 AM

Affordable housing. Good paying jobs and activities that keep our youth in Sudbury. Healthy community and feeling safe to bike on the streets.

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 02:31 AM

Thriving. A bustling downtown core, accommodation options for all citizens, including single people, retired people and lower income people.

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2/27/2019 02:45 AM

a city that fix what is broken, before it spends tax dollars on things that we dont need at this time, such as the ked project.its a nice idea, but has anyone in municipal government actually looked at the conditions of our roads? they can not be fixed if the money is being spent on unnecessary pipe dreams.

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2/27/2019 03:00 AM

THAT ALL COMMUNITY IN THE GREATER CITY OF SUDBURY HAVE THE SAME RIGHTS TO GROW AS THE DOWNTOWN DID ...

<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 08:07 AM</div>	Cleaner and more inviting downtown core
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 08:11 AM</div>	I would like to see Sudbury become vibrant again. It is boring and dingy. We need more entertainment venues and better things to do and see.
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 08:24 AM</div>	A progressive city that attracts talent and doesn't force young people to move away for employment and social opportunities.
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 08:30 AM</div>	more cultural and visitor friendly. we need to encourage new businesses and tourist attractions
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 08:37 AM</div>	A go to destination. Emphasis on outdoor recreation.
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 08:40 AM</div>	focused on core services and not always trying to please individuals, have a long term strategic plan at a HIGH LEVEL and stick to it
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 08:47 AM</div>	Major hub for entertainment and schooling in the north with supporting facilities
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 08:59 AM</div>	denser with principals of new urbanism followed to encourage growth and keeping our young people here
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 09:12 AM</div>	First and foremost with roads that people can drive on. A city that people dont mind visiting for it's beauty rather than be avoided or ridiculed for poor roads. Hold those contractors accountable. Look at Elm street, construction all summer long and have you driven it? It's absolutely brutal, for months the pylons were there and nobody working. Hold people accountable
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 09:15 AM</div>	A walkable one, able to retain the younger demographic. We are a university town, and there's no effort to keep the students that come to us for schooling. The young voice feels ignored enough that they developed their own group, that should say something.
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 09:20 AM</div>	A city where ALL citizens are given the opportunity to thrive. Right to housing and basic income.
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 09:30 AM</div>	Central Hub for Medicine (Neo Kids, Cancer Treatment, PET Scan), Education (2 Colleges and 1 University), Mining Technology, Base and Precious Metal supplier, Northern Ontario Government centre (de-centralize the Provincial and Federal Governments as this would make sense to have a say in how our higher levels of Government service us).
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 09:36 AM</div>	A leader in renewable energy, sustainable transportation and addressing climate change. Nothing else will matter in 15 to 20 years.
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 09:39 AM</div>	Strong downtown, bike paths throughout the city
<div></div> <div>2/27/2019 09:40 AM</div>	Sudbury has so much potential. We're lucky to be surrounded by beautiful nature. Our city needs to make serious changes before the damage is done. Embrace and focus on inner city core instead of urban sprawl.
<div></div>	A forward thinking and inclusive community. Focus on attracting young

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professionals and new families to the community. To continue to support projects such as the junction and Elgin greenway.
-a city where my family wants to live

City of Lakes, City of Science and Technology, Education

make the city become a major part of Ontario and more open of business

De-amalgamation

Sudbury being the capital of Shopping for northern Ontario people. Better shopping so city around us can come here to shop and spend their money leave here happy. No casino will do that!! every city will have a casino we have to think out of the box to make this city better then any other city. That's who we are we are better.

10 years ahead of other cities instead of 10 years behind. In development planning, usage of new technologies and innovations to provide better services. A city that attracts talent and new ideas.

Continue to grow Sudbury as the "hub" of the North. Support the "open for business" model (ie) industrial area of Fielding Road...the road is not only embarrassing but hazardous. Let's see Sudbury on the list of "best places" to live in Canada.

I like that Sudbury is a 'big' small town. I grew up here and I love this city. I would love to see the drug scene cleaned up downtown. I would love to see the fentanyl and other opioids cleaned up. Homelessness is an issue, I think that tiny houses would help with. Our mental health access is lacking. It takes so long for people to be assessed and helped. Our hospitals need help - we need a city that cares about it's population. I feel that the old memorial hospital could be used for long term beds for elderly patience. Even if we used one floor for 12-15 patients that clears out that many beds at HSN. A more affordable one utilities will start driving people to move

The major hub of Northern Ontario. We are losing that battle to North Bay!

I would like us to take climate change seriously and become a climate change friendly city even if it costs us

enhancing the overall look of the city, new facilities, the ones we have are way too old and we can't compete with other cities

I am basically quite satisfied with the city as it is now. We have most of the necessities for a satisfying life. I would of course love to see it grow but only through a sustainable financial. We have pretty good entertainment which must me supported to a degree but if you want the big bright lights Toronto is

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less than 4 hours down the road.

A vibrant City that is attractive to young people with suitable jobs and available housing. Currently the tax burden for next 10yrs is unacceptable and will not even cover the deferred work in hand. 40.7% for tax levy compounded over 10 yrs. and 107% fee increase in waste water infrastructure unacceptable, Young people will leave these burdens behind and move as no one can afford current rates..

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One not constantly in debt. One willing to stand up to special interests like the downtown BIA. One run by a council not constantly seeking support from consultants. Make a decision and see it through!

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A city people are proud to call home.

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I would like to see a City that seems more in touch with the working population (age 23-37). A City that is focused on providing the opportunity for a living someone can be proud of: work opportunities (beyond Vale and HSN), sustainable living, support for indigenous culture, good food and wine! Thanks for asking!

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A city that will no longer have homelessness and addiction issues. We need to increase the amount of transitional supportive housing units we have.

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A green city with zero emission

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2/28/2019 01:09 PM

A net zero carbon community, with our natural and built environment resilient to climate change.

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A transparent city which cares about the environment (green spaces, environmental initiatives [green spaces, renewable energy, environmental transportation system, etc].

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2/28/2019 02:11 PM

A city that can finally be entered by a complete four lane highway from southern Ontario. A city that will keep the lakes and rivers clean. A city that will retain graduates from the university and college

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2/28/2019 02:33 PM

One that the transit runs on store hours not their own. A better traffic city.

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3/01/2019 11:34 AM

One that welcomes investment....

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3/01/2019 11:35 AM

I would love to see Greater Sudbury become a hub for arts and culture in Northern Ontario. I want to see inclusion for all people and affordable housing to get people off the streets. I have a full time job, have a bachelor's degree and work in the non-profit sector trying to give back to my community but I almost cannot afford a one bedroom apartment for myself in this city. I wonder how people in our community who have nothing are expected to get up off their feet. How are they to get a job, even ontario works with no address, no working phone, etc? Please make this a priority because I hate seeing people in our community struggle while some live like kings. Even reducing stigma in the community may help! I dream that we would treat



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people with addictions and mental health issues with compassion instead of as criminals.

Welcoming Attractive Warm Innovative Progressive Inspiring Proud



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I would like to see the City of Greater Sudbury become a place for thriving young families. This includes economic development to encourage job growth, while balancing that with affordable housing, safe roadways and accessible transportation.



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a progressive multicultural dynamic city with a vast active transportation network



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I would like to see a positive city where citizens aren't so divided on their thoughts and beliefs.



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A citizen will have seamless end to end service experience - they can navigate through any process without interruption or error



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Actually Greater, there is much people and corporations look at our city and take our example to develop in other communities, GS needs to be able to take a step back and look at other cities success and use those examples to build a stronger, unified, and Greater Sudbury.



3/01/2019 10:09 PM

- A clean City, with plenty of green space where everyone contributes to healthy living. - A living wage City where good opportunities exist. - More affordable housing and long-term care facilities. - Social services working together..and no more opioid drug crisis.



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Sudbury is a great but small City and it has matured significantly over the last number of generations with major contributions by many citizens and institutions. I'm positive that this will continue. Improving ourselves will always be important but let us not Risk losing what we already have gained through this past progress.



3/02/2019 07:30 PM

A vibrant, cultural and welcoming city. One that promotes growth of business by cutting red tape and development fees for both developers and homeowners. A city that can boast as being the major sports and entertainment centre of the North!



3/02/2019 09:01 PM

A adorable city to live in



3/02/2019 09:00 PM

A city with a modern and vibrant downtown core, better roads more efficienciencies at city hall.



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A thriving downtown



3/03/2019 10:22 AM

We should be the premier green city in Ontario !



3/03/2019 03:46 PM

Needs to viewed as being a progressive city. Needs to appeal to younger audiences and entice younger families to stay.

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3/04/2019 09:12 AM

As the largest city in Northern Ontario, Sudbury should become the hub of all activities for the North. A venue large enough to host events and bring southern Ontario to the North is important. Tourism has helped our city grow out of the mining town reliance - we should continue to build on this. We have much to offer. :-)

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3/04/2019 09:48 AM

An environmentally conscious city that embraces green technology. Hey, since we have an aging population, maybe we can embrace autonomous vehicles: <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/windsor/autonomous-vehicles-for-seniors-1.4490431>

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3/04/2019 11:17 AM

An efficient transportation system less centred on gas vehicles and more on multi-use roads. Greener, healthier transportation system (built on community transportation principles). All new construction to be carbon-neutral, all retrofits to be low-carbon. Emphasis on solar-roofs (green roofs too depending on structure of the building) and geothermal heat-pumps (we have the expertise already). Make the combined heat and power plant more efficient, more known to the businesses and plan for increase distribution. More age-friendly and inclusive.

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3/04/2019 11:46 AM

I would like to see a city that can provide transportation equally from any area. Have cultural hub. A safe environment for all ages. Visible multicultural with mutual respect. A good solid economic base of employment and continuing education.

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3/04/2019 12:38 PM

1. A larger city (population growth) 2. A regional / national centre for technical excellence 3. A regional centre for arts, music, film and cultural events 5. A city with recreational activities - particularly trails, hiking and walking

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3/04/2019 02:35 PM

A thriving hub of multicultural activity and culture; vibrant downtown in Sudbury and pockets of activity in outlying communities. A place to be even more proud to call my home.

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3/04/2019 02:47 PM

I would like Sudbury to be a place that embraces a freewheeling, creative spirit, married with its laid-back lakeside lifestyle, while also being the best place in Canada to raise a young family.

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3/04/2019 03:19 PM

Progressive and innovative with respect to socioeconomic initiatives (supervised injection site, etc.) as well as entertainment initiatives and options, tourism and other incentives to become the hub of the north.

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3/04/2019 03:29 PM

I would like to see our city become a leader in environmental protection and enhancement. I would like to see us build on our natural environment and promote this once toxic community as an icon of how to overcome industrial pollution and destruction and create a healthy natural environment. I would like to see Greater Sudbury as a leader in alternative transportation, alternative housing, creative environmental technologies and a tourist destination for those seeking a healthy natural Northern Ontario experience. More green spaces like Kivi Park and Bell Park

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The Hub of Northern Ontario. Competing with North Bay has been Sudbury's biggest threat and we have overcome them. I would like to see Sudbury as a

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city with characters and a unique charm that brings people from all around to visit.

I would like to see Sudbury continue to upgrade its existing infrastructure including cycling lanes, trails, and summer festivals. I would like to see commercial development on a portion of Ramsey Lake to provide a gathering point, people who come down for a drink with friends, a meal, some music, etc. I would like to see the development of the downtown to encourage increased residential use. At some point, it would be nice to move the rail yard out of downtown Sudbury.

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3/14/2019 11:37 PM

Complete streets! Less on tourism and more building of civic pride and pride of place for our citizens. More on sustainable economics (diversity and specialization like we have in mining sector where our businesses are known and work internationally). More transportation options: safe cycling infrastructure that connect the city and better transit. A stronger downtown with more residents, more cultural destinations, more shops and eateries. more offered to the outlining community you amalgamated to get the taxes and all the services went down.

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More sustainable, push for zero waste and renewable energy resources, overall quality of roads to increase, fixing water system - shocked to hear 30% of water is water, heritage homes and neighbourhoods to prevent over development of monstrosities in old neighbourhoods, transit that makes sense, investment in arts culture for developing youth programs... there is no arts scene without an investment children now.

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a collection of small localized communities that are environmentally sustainable, where people can live, work, and get access to necessities without having to use single occupancy vehicles.

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I would like to see more high tech jobs, more support by the city of the university and colleges, a better use of our students as coop placements, a process in place that allows specialists (like geographers to meet with council and senior staff to talk about what makes a healthy, safe city for people or tech people who could be contracted to present new and improved and safer data management to engage with the staff, community and business) I love the fact that we are a city of small communities, each brings a different flavour and strength, we need to celebrate their differences and support their development without spreading out any more, we cannot afford to service any more areas until we double our population. I would like to see efficient and careful growth that is reflective of a city of lakes with so many accessible natural sources of entertainment that do not require a lot of infrastructure and money, places like Kivi park and Bell Park before we decided to build on it. Better roads, cleaner environment and caring community with lots of volunteers.

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3/15/2019 11:51 AM

Better roads and hways what we have now is unexceptable.

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One with roads that we can drive on without destroying our vehicles.

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fiscal responsibility - would mean a near debt-free community that could afford to invest in new projects

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3/05/2019 01:50 PM

A City that truly demonstrates the appreciation of Indigenous Territory and one that values the Indigenous Community living in the City.

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3/05/2019 03:47 PM

model city for environmental reclamation efforts combined with visionary planning for a 100% renewable energy, sustainable community, that does not look for endless growth for sustainability - a model community for reducing carbon emissions and planning for succesful adaptation to climate change and unpredictability

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3/05/2019 04:42 PM

Techno hub! Spotrs Hub! Arts Hub! Northern Destination of choice for tourism

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3/05/2019 06:29 PM

A city with renewed infrastructure and a vision and direction aimed at keeping our youth here to live and work. Improved accessibility to our outdoor spaces.

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3/05/2019 06:53 PM

A city without poverty, attracts/retains young people, green and active.

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One with drivable roads!!

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A financially responsible city on top of priorities such as regular maintenance. It costs less money to maintain something properly than to let it fail and have to rebuild/replace it.

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3/05/2019 10:02 PM

Greener

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More open and transparent, no behind closed door meetings, Government that allows the people that live here choice in how their city is run. More surveys like this giving people the chance to be involved in the major decisions that can effect their lives and livelihoods. Hear what concerns the people and please act on it .

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One city one EQUAL service

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I like how humble the city is compared to bigger places like Toronto. Ideally, I would prefer it stay humble, but maybe with a "fresh coat of paint" so to speak. The city feels like it somehow got stuck in the late 90s.

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3/05/2019 11:04 AM

I would like to see this city take the lead in healthcare and be more environmentally friendly. We can lead the way every small step counts! No more trash bins around the city only recycling! No more flower beds but gardens for the hungry.

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3/05/2019 11:20 AM

I would love for Greater Sudbury to become a united communtiy where everyone supports each other, where just because we live in the valley or another part of the city that we do not bash the downtown core. I would love to see a City that is grounded and rooted in the values of a healthy environment, a space where we can play and enjoy ourselves, respect of one

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another, a City that supports more local economy instead of large corporations. A city that is very arts strong, and thriving with beauty and music and love and health.

a city that businesses are able to thrive, so they come here. And good infrastructure for the people

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I would like to see actual landscaping and flowers. More hiking/walking paths.

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Inclusive. Continuously growing and improving. Great quality of life/living. "Greener" city. Cleaner lakes. More community programs for everyone to participate in. Stronger mental health care system. Less drugs in the city. Safe/safer city.

A more modern city. Right now, it is so backwards.

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3/07/2019 07:39 AM

Strong, green, walkable, bike able, safe downtown, where all Sudburians can get together as a community

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3/07/2019 08:31 AM

A beacon of sustainable communities that has a balanced approach to community and economic development that is strives for equitable access to amenities for all members of its community.

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3/07/2019 08:37 AM

I would like to see Sudbury focus on growing and attracting people to the workforce (allowing us to increase our tax base by growing working populations and not solely through raising taxes). I'd like to see a city with a connected transportation network that supports various modes of active transportation, higher ridership on our transit and BETTER transit service. I'd like to see road issues viewed as transportation issues and not solely as problems or issues for drivers. Better sidewalk maintenance (especially in the winter) and street lighting. I think there's a clear opportunity to not just attract new business here but to also attract remote workers/employees to live in the city but in order to do that we need to provide and invest in amenities that people want (complete streets, complete neighbourhoods etc.). The city needs to focus on not only the way things have always been, but in innovating and investing in growing the city for the future.

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I would like to see a city that has responded to the threat of climate change. More public transit and bicycle lanes. I would like to see a thriving downtown core and support for local business owners. I would like to see a needle exchange site downtown and the issues surrounding substance abuse being addressed and not just policed. I DO NOT want our city to become a hub for gambling.

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3/07/2019 11:16 AM

If Sudbury plays it's cards right, it could be a strong city with a lot of culture to offer, and some people are trying their best. It just seems that the future of sudbury is at war with the city itself, and no matter what happens, the city won't win.

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and environmental pristine community where people are walking and cycling most places. that has a central gathering place for events and for coming together, and no longer genuflects to the mining gods or those who fear monger regarding economics. There is ample opportunity for ecotourism, just

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needs to have the infrastructure to support it.
Complete streets, complete neighbourhoods.

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An administrative, educational, and cultural hub for northern Ontario, well-connected to surrounding communities. Easily navigated by transit and with thriving local culture. Ethically governed, welcoming of diversity. A place where nature and civilization meet, and where all citizens, and our visitors, are welcomed and have full and equal opportunity to participate and thrive. Leader in sustainability and engaging the community in decision-making

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-More sustainable (less pollution and waste, less emphasis on cars and more on bicycles, carpool parking areas) -Less emphasis on the downtown, and more on a few central areas (one example would be south end, downtown, New Sudbury -- but am willing to consider the outlying areas!)

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A good one

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3/07/2019 07:08 PM

A leader in human sustainability.

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3/07/2019 07:25 PM

Working to get out of the City as we are afraid of what this city will become in 15 years. Looking at what is happening now no one will be able to afford to live here.

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3/03/2019 07:34 AM

Here is Coalition for a Liveable Sudbury's vision: -Our community achieves net zero carbon, and our natural and built environment is resilient to climate change. (45% emissions reduction by 2030; net zero by 2050) -Our water and natural environment is protected and enhanced. -Neighbourhoods are complete, walkable, vibrant and sustainable. -Neighbours are connected and make their neighbourhood better together. -Streets are complete and sustainable transportation connects our community, making it safe and easy to reach daily destinations on foot, with a mobility device, by bike or by bus. - Food is grown in local farms and neighbourhoods. - Municipal policies and decisions continually improve liveability and sustainability. -Citizens are supported in improving their community and have a real voice in the decisions that impact them. - Our community is vibrant with art and music, beauty, public spaces, and gatherings and events both organized and spontaneous. -Every citizen has food security, affordable housing, and opportunity. -Our community recognizes that it is on Robinson Huron Treaty Territory and respects the intrinsic rights of Atikameksheng Anishnawbek and Wahnapiatae First Nations.

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Low carbon and climate change resilient. Healthy water and natural environment. Urban trees are protected. Equitable. Vibrant and engaged. Collaborative: city, citizens, grassroots groups, organizations all working together for positive change. Neighbours are supported in getting together to make their neighbourhood better. Sustainable transportation is the norm. Green infrastructure and low impact development is the norm. Local food is

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abundant and accessible. Beautiful, quirky, fun - strong sense of identity and belonging. Citizens have a real voice.

Sudbury currently has a couple strong suits: good community spirit and a sense of pride in the natural beauty of our city. These are great strengths that facilitate the kinds of adjustments we need make. Native Sudburians may not realize just how good it is to live in a place that does not prostitute itself to tourism. Tourism looks like easy money, but the price paid in terms of community solidarity and cohesiveness is very high. High levels of tourism erode the sense of place that gives a community its identity; they increase the pressure on local natural resources, especially food supply; they increase the carbon footprint drastically; socially, they breed cynicism and its attendant social problems -- more drug and alcohol abuse, more "human trafficking" (old-fashioned prostitution), more violent crime, etc. There is nothing wrong with a LIMITED amount of tourism, which we already have. But the push to increase the number of "tourist dollars" is a slippery slope that we should avoid. In 15 to 20 years, I would like to see an greener, enhanced version of the community we have now. The same beautiful parks we have now, but more public green spaces. No more roads, but many more bicycle and pedestrian paths. The city should not need to expand geographically. We must contain urban sprawl (a major problem that contributes to several other problems: too much road infrastructure to be maintained; and very high increase in carbon emissions.

Doing our part to keep CO2 emissions down. Good land use management to protect natural spaces for people and wildlife.

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Greater Sudbury needs to become 'one unit' in its thinking with respect for all. It needs to think far beyond being a 'mining town'. Educational facilities, health communities and government unites need to be supported so that people from both north and south see Sudbury as up and coming not just marking time and glorifying 'the past'.

A better one..

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Healthier. Sadly, I believe we could be healthier. Perhaps some education, increased exercise spaces (Kivi park has been wonderful for gets folks out that previously didn't ski or walk much)

Northern Ontario capital for business and tourism. Safe, friendly, green city.

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An inclusive, respectful community.

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A city that provides just as many services and an appropriate budget for it's outer lying communities as they do for the city core. Transparency.... an open door policy. No more backroom deals, backdoor politics, making things happen for their business partners, wasted tax dollars due to going against what the experts have said, etc....

Limited use of fossil fuels— better bike/walking trails - end Sunday shopping so families can spend quality time together—lets be family friendly and

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<div></div> <div>3/9/2019 04:07 PM</div>	<p>committed to leaving a safe, healthy and sustainable community to our children and their children</p> <p>A city where my family and I can walk and bike to most areas safely and easily. A city that protects and appreciates the natural beauty that surrounds us.</p>
<div></div> <div>3/10/2019 11:18 AM</div>	<p>One that has growth in its tax base and has room and opportunity for youth to stay into adulthood.</p>
<div></div> <div>3/10/2019 12:45 PM</div>	<p>I would like to see: A city that continues to support a high quality and uniquely northern lifestyle. A city with a vibrant, successful and contemporary downtown. A city celebrated for its environmental leadership. A city recognized for its world class opportunities in the design, industrial and educational sectors.</p> <p>more cycle-friendly, more walk-able.</p>
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<div></div> <div>3/10/2019 05:09 PM</div>	<p>A greener, eco-conscious, sustainable city.</p>
<div></div> <div>3/10/2019 06:52 PM</div>	<p>The one I belaboured on and on and on about, above. Also, I have drawings and plans that I would love nothing more than to share. I have solid ideas on how to make them happen. *GREATER SUDBURY Population 330 000*</p> <p>One with awesome roads. No pot holes.</p>
<div></div> <div>3/10/2019 09:06 PM</div>	
<div></div> <div>3/11/2019 10:18 AM</div>	<p>A city that: (1) can at least maintain its current population size, and that (2) has a reasonable level of road safety and maintenance, (3) that transparently makes decisions based on expert evidence.</p> <p>Kinder and more beautiful.</p>
<div></div> <div>3/11/2019 11:41 AM</div>	
<div></div> <div>3/11/2019 01:16 PM</div>	<p>More decentralized, more heavily education-research professional, much more habitable for the growing elderly population.</p>
<div></div> <div>3/11/2019 01:24 PM</div>	<p>A technological hub of innovation. It is truly the future of the world and Tech services will effect every single thing done in this world. For example how many of you know about 'Sophia the robot'?? The future of AI is coming.</p> <p>A net zero carbon community, with our natural and built environment resilient to climate change.</p>
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<div></div> <div>3/11/2019 03:21 PM</div>	<p>Affordable!</p>
<div></div> <div>3/11/2019 03:31 PM</div>	<p>A clean city that feels safe downtown. Focus on our natural attributes by maintaining our lakes and land in good conditions that both tourists and citizens are attracted to visit and want to live in. A diverse cultural city full of interesting artistic experiences available with the local landscape being enhanced and an integral part of our culture.</p> <p>Science North /Dynamic is a major tourist attraction for the City. Rather than investing in a new casino, the city should invest on creating family oriented</p>
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attractions. Tap into the youth of the community for ideas. Create community oriented adhoc committees for brainstorming tourism & community based events.

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I would like everyone to have a family doctor and be guaranteed a place in a hospital or care facility when needed. I would like to see more assistance to families living below the poverty line . . .a hand up as opposed to a hand out walk-able, sustainable, vibrant neighbourhoods throughout GS 45% carbon emissions reduction by 2030; net zero by 2050 food security, affordable housing, and opportunity for every citizen

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I would like it to be a centre for arts and culture, drawing new residents from around the province, and the world. I'd like it to become artistically interesting, in greater intensity.

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A greener City focused on eco-tourism, active transportation and walkability for all members of our population with a specific focus on seniors and those in lower income neighbourhoods. Active and sustainable outdoor urban spaces. Walkable neighborhoods with no food deserts or other gaps in services.

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I would like to see Sudbury become a more environmentally responsible city.

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I want to see far fewer cars on our roads, and more people on the streets. We are an aging City so focus on making the City more accessible to the elderly. Stop the sprawl.

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A beautiful city - visually. A city that has more diverse employment opportunities - not just public sector or mining related jobs and affordable housing for families.

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The Coalition for a Liveable Sudbury has a vision that I support: -Our community achieves net zero carbon, and our natural and built environment is resilient to climate change. (45% emissions reduction by 2030; net zero by 2050) -Our water and natural environment is protected and enhanced. - Neighbourhoods are complete, walkable, vibrant and sustainable. - Neighbours are connected and make their neighbourhood better together. - Streets are complete and sustainable transportation connects our community, making it safe and easy to reach daily destinations on foot, with a mobility device, by bike or by bus. -Food is grown in local farms and neighbourhoods. -Municipal policies and decisions continually improve liveability and sustainability. -Citizens are supported in improving their community and have a real voice in the decisions that impact them. -Our community is vibrant with art and music, beauty, public spaces, and gatherings and events both organized and spontaneous. -Every citizen has food security, affordable housing, and opportunity. -Our community recognizes that it is on Robinson Huron Treaty Territory and respects the intrinsic rights of Atikameksheng Anishnawbek and Wahnapiatae First Nations.

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A vibrant, bicycle-friendly city where people of all ages and abilities can bike safely and comfortably, and where a complete network of cycling routes exists that allows people to travel everywhere in the city without needing to use cars or trucks. Please note that we'd like to see a network spine (eg

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"minimum grid") implemented much sooner than 15-20 years in the future.

A city with a healthy, mentally sound, physically active population surrounded by a healthy ecosystem and environment

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Pioneer in eco-friendly and greener initiatives

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A city with a long term strategy, and council that works

Optional question (219 responses, 163 skipped)

Q16 Do you have additional ideas, feedback or comments?

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2/22/2019 09:11 AM

This is a terrible survey to respond to (and I have done many surveys) Your categories are too broad, and open ended, which doesn't allow for choosing any particular option to vote on. Another example of bureaucratic mumble jumble.

[REDACTED]
2/22/2019 01:50 PM

Greater opportunity for working families with better daycare and subsidies for these families.

[REDACTED]
2/22/2019 08:00 PM

Mental health and addictions are huge issues in our city. It would be nice to see more services that are accessible immediately for people without using the emergency dept at the hospital.

[REDACTED]
2/22/2019 08:00 AM

Here's a thought, look after our crumbling infrastructure before we delve into new unnecessary projects that are designed strictly for entertainment or cultural purposes. If our infrastructure was in order you would have little resistance to acquiring huge dept to build an adult playground. We need to have a sound city first. I want a new casino and arena very much too, but I need to be able to drive to it without risking my life and damaging my vehicles. And oh yeah, one more thing, fire the person that does your snow clearing budget. Clearly they are clueless, In my 34 years as a taxpayer I can't remember ever having a budget that met the requirements.

[REDACTED]
2/21/2019 11:00 AM

I have little faith in this process as when even the direction of this city asks for your thoughts and ideas and leads you to believe that we value your commitment and then no longer follows through with the participation request then it seems more like an exercise in deflection of any serious caring and consideration for the wellbeing of my city.

[REDACTED]
2/25/2019 11:00 AM

I think there needs to be more education on the detrimental affects that online shopping has on a community . Yes it is easy and convenient. However, the money you are sending to a different city (Canadian or American) is not being used in your own community. Soon, there will be no stores to shop at. Those local stores will not be able to support local hockey and soccer teams. It's a long way off, but it will eventually be seen and felt. We want people who live here to shop here, eat here, and get entertainment here. We want them to have pride in their community.

[REDACTED]
2/25/2019 12:00 PM

Sudbury is a wonderful place to live. Climate Change is going to be a test for Sudbury

[REDACTED]
2/24/2019 10:52 PM

I really enjoy walking, riding a bike, and rollerblading. I live in Wahnapiatae and do not feel safe to ride a bike into town. It would be nice if we could have the Rainbow Routes system paved and linked up throughout the community. There are old rail beds and power line easements that could be dual purposed into routes. I think having better planned routes with clearly marked trails would facilitate a healthier and more connected community. For example, if I could bike into the downtown core from Wahnapiatae without worrying about being hit by a car I would certainly do that. If the path was paved I could even rollerblade in. It would open up our community in a new

[REDACTED]
2/25/2019 04:05 PM

and exciting way.

With uncertain growth predicted and an aging population Sudbury must be prudent in the allocation of resources to ensure financial stability and the retention of citizens. Increased emphasis on infrastructure repairs (especially roadways). Fix what we have before building new. Aim for tax increases closer to the rate of inflation..

[REDACTED]
2/25/2019 04:47 PM

Please think of our kids, our health and our beautiful surroundings before making decisions. We are recovering from past decisions that nearly decimated our environment. Don't send us back there. Please honour our history but look forward into what we can become. We have so much going for us.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 06:42 AM

Climate control and clean water ways are top priorities

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 11:14 AM

Feedback. There is no way to change answers already inputed. Most surveys make changing answers easy. This one does not.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 12:08 PM

Transportation electrification should be a priority to help reduce the city's fleet GHG impact. As well as considering electric or hybrid buses to reduce transits footprint.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 12:45 PM

Decisions at the CGS's council table are often made on the short sighted basis of keeping taxes low. This is penny-wise, pound-foolish. Taxes are the price we pay for living in safe, organized and civilized communities. We should be looking farther into the future, with a responsible eye to what our actions mean, both for those who are in need now, and for future generations. See the forest, not the trees. People (voters and politicians) who make decisions of the basis of lower taxes alone don't seem to realise that constant cost-cutting will get us into more trouble, not less.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 04:16 PM

Fix the GD roads already and start plowing them

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 04:17 PM

Big question - Young adults are leaving to pursue careers elsewhere. How can we keep them here?

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 04:24 PM

Multilevel parking structures in the core to appease commuters along with more timely and convenient alternative transportation options. Concrete barrier along the CP rail yard decorated with local art. Rehabilitate roads and infrastructure in surrounding communities without adding new infrastructure. Increase urban density number 1 priority.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 04:26 PM

Need to pursue legal avenues to resolve the old hospital location on Paris. It is an eyesore and embarrassment to this city. I do believe in the downtown core a hub for the arts. There needs to be way more parking downtown. dissolve the bia

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 04:51 PM

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 05:07 PM

Lets get our [REDACTED] together!

[REDACTED]

Independent efficiency experts should be hired and travel with crews, go to

2/26/2019 05:10 PM

offices etc.. to find savings..There is no doubt too many in administration and management. Also pay package is overly generous compared to private sector. Public is tired of automatic 3.5 percent tax increase every year... I will likely be moving to another community within a couple of years.
Get back to basics, do what is needed by the majority of citizens, support others

2/26/2019 05:13 PM

2/26/2019 05:22 PM

I appreciate these surveys and think that they are a great way to engage the community and get their feedback on what changes they want to see.
Hopefully these will continue to happen :)

2/26/2019 05:34 PM

Thank you for the opportunity to give feedback. Thank you for the hard work being done at the city to meet the needs of the citizens. Thank you for taking care of our parks and green spaces.

2/26/2019 05:40 PM

Build the Kingsway entertainment district!! Stop spending my tax dollars downtown. We are more then the downtown.

2/26/2019 05:48 PM

One of the things that frustrates me most, the parking meters on Elm Street . We go from 2 lanes to one lane and in the winter barely one lane. During peek hours Elm Street is a bottleneck and it doesn't need to be . Get rid of the meters and give Elm Street back its 4 lanes. This is our main Street , do we really want visitors to think we are a one horse town or a thriving city. Second, 3 years they have been working on our Post Office down town at a cost of well over 1.5 Million. Again on our main street we have this eye sore to look at while fighting to manouver Elm Street.

2/26/2019 07:00 PM

Think about the future you want the next generation of sudburians to have. Trees, trails, lakes and wildlife are all things that draw people to Sudbury and it's why a lot of them stay. Casinos and developments on the edge of the city is not helping people stay. People will come, play and leave and so does the majority of their money. Social implications of these things will grow and are city already can't keep up and deliver these services properly.

2/26/2019 07:05 PM

Fix the roads, get rid of old hospital and push to get a new one because this city is to big just too have one, better snow removal and build the new arena oh and instead of a sis get rehab centers..

2/26/2019 07:08 PM

I appreciate the fact that you are open to collecting information and opinions. I Look forward to contributing to the growth of this great City.

2/26/2019 07:12 PM

Get the KED built

2/26/2019 07:31 PM

Bring taxes up since they are far below provincial average and grow

2/26/2019 07:37 PM

Stop wasting time arguing over trivial crap, and pay attention. To what the city rally needs, new opportunities. Maintenance, and education.

2/26/2019 07:57 PM

I think I've said enough. I am mad as hell and not going to take it anymore, though. I will not retire here if the city doesn't smarten up and change, a LOT.

2/26/2019 07:59 PM

Cancel the KED. Not to late the save us from this embarrassing mistake.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:04 PM

No casino please, we can't afford it!! And don't want it!!

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:10 PM

Please consider that not all of our community members have the literacy level capacity to complete this survey nor do they always have access to technology-their voices are important and we need to consider all opinions not simply the privileged and highly educated

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:40 PM

This survey is a joke I am university educated and have a hard time understanding what half the examples really represent,they are so vague. Most residents wont comprehend half the questions clearly and you will get results that in no way represent what residents actually think are priorities. You need to dumb this down express things in plain language and use concrete examples of services or what the selections represent. The city should revisit spending \$100 million on a new arena.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:42 PM

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:45 PM

There is a city in Alberta my family and I lived in several years ago. It is St. Albert. Maybe chat with their town council/mayor, etc and see how they do it all RIGHT for cheaper than here. Yes, it is a clean, well kept cheaper city to live in. Just beautiful. They weren't gouging their community on taxes (at that time). If you find a model city, copy it!

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:01 PM

I really think a push for more farming in the outlying areas would be incredibly beneficial to everyone. The less we have to ship in from down south, the more self reliant we become, the better in my humble opinion. The city should look into the collective bargaining process and make amendments in order to attract top candidates to fill municipal vacancies. Positions paid for through tax dollars should NOT give special consideration to existing staff, unless all else is equal (qualifications, interview score, etc). This creates an environment in which people are under skilled which results in poor performance of the city as a whole.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:23 PM

Stop delaying, dilly-dally projects. For example, a lot of people want KED to happen. I have not been to many downtown businesses since dealing with a couple who are unpleasant, threatening, discriminatory business owners.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 09:45 PM

We should try to become a UNESCO destination.....showcasing our city's history from meteorite impact to mining and eventual efforts of environmental rehabilitation and greening efforts

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 10:42 PM

Fire services is an area that requires financial scrutiny. I understand the need to pay police officers well, as they are continually patrolling our streets and ensure the safety of the member's of our community, however, I cannot understand the reasoning for paying such high salaries to members of our fire services. Where's the value?

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 10:54 PM

Yes, lots, but this not the place to discuss specific ideas. I will continue to express my ideas and try to influence my friends and neighbours as well as the decision makers and the "movers and shakers" of our community.

[REDACTED]
2/26/2019 11:25 PM

keep working hard.

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 11:37 AM

This survey is extremely problematic. How can you as the reader possibly understand my priorities reading this? You are asking me to rate the importance of generic ideas, but not what direction I would like to see that idea move. I strongly disagree with the direction the city is moving on many of these policies, if I rank them high will you take that as approval of what you are doing? Also, I have no ability to rank overall themes is improving the Natural Environment more important to me than Public Infrastructure. Is a 1 on fixing green space equal to a 1 on Municipal infrastructure. How will you have any idea when you look at this in aggregate? Remember that quite likely when you look at this report, the people that had similar rankings for an issue have desperately different views on the issues.

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 12:19 AM

Bring in outside road building companies to lower the costs of road repair/replacement. The current contractors are buying the inspectors, engineers and raping the city for sub standard work.

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 01:35 AM

Coming back into town after being away I'm disappointed the city looks tired. The growth a new coffee shop just a buck or car lot I think we've gone downhill What do tourists see driving in or through?? I don't think anyone is impressed with old downtown Sudbury

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 03:00 AM

Many people that I know will likely not complete this survey for on3 reason or another. I do know that the majority of people I speak with are against the new arena/casino. For me, counsil should have followed recommendation made from report that did not support building a new arena.

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 05:33 AM

More accountability for the behavior of counselors i.e. social media

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 07:32 AM

I like the KED idea, hope it starts moving soon.

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 8:43 AM

Luxury or upper end residential development needs to stop or slow down and more affordable, practical residential options need to be put into play. Perhaps the Brewery redevelopment should focus on that in order to qualify for funding from the City.

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 9:21 AM

Thank you everyone involved for your continued hard work and allowing citizens to share opinions :)

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 09:29 AM

can we not budget for more in the road re-build and snow removal budgets? these items should be top priority, some of the residential streets are difficult to drive on due to snow build up in the winter and pot holes during the rest of the year. if we budgeted for more for the winter and we don't use it all can it not be moved to the next year in case it is another bad year? or move it to road repair? there has to be a better way.

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 09:37 AM

More needs to be done involving tourism to help the local economy.
(Advertising) P.S. Kudos to the employees in IT for saving ~\$600,000.

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 09:47 AM

Taxing mining companies for their underground space may unveil a large tax levy for companies and promote new opportunity for debt repayment

[REDACTED]
22/3/2019 09:59 AM

Put the arena downtown or dont build it at all. Listen to the experts that you spend public money on consulting.

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 09:12 AM

Here is another thing, We cannot get police escorts for motorcycle rides and things that people try and support different charities but the city will shut down a complete lane all over the city to have a marathon(don't know what it's even for) with police presence at intersections so that the runners can run right through the red lights. (How about they run on the sidewalks/) Or make it fair for everyone that is trying to help a community.

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 09:15 AM

I would love to see our community parks become a priority. I've heard numerous complaints about how Centennial Park is run out in Whitefish, and that anger gets directed not at the park itself but at other projects the city has planned. It would go pretty far in showing outskirts community members that the city cares if the city actually showed them some love. With the drama over the Centennial Park management cutting down a tree that housed an endangered bird last year - this would be a pretty logical place to start. The city-owned 'beach' shouldn't be a campground for tourists but a place for citizens to go and enjoy nature in their back yard.

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 09:36 AM

Please complete some of the larger projects, Repair our infrastructure going forward and try and be government for the people by keeping expenses within fiscal reality (inflation or less).

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 10:04 AM

-comment:high priority to snow removal -comment:continue to support environmental initiatives,including the regreening/biodiversity programmes - comment:present these survey results

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 10:26 AM

lower taxes, fixed roads. cut spending on non-essential services. consolidate council, new council, inform everyone that it's 2019 and not the stone age.

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 10:46 AM

De-amalgamation

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 11:13 AM

No 100 million arena, No casino, arena can be done cheaper Kingsway is wrong on many levels. We can not leave the next generation big major debt. Build it somewhere else. We need shopping Walmart that is it Sears closed that should open for all shoppers. We have a lot of empty building there should a plan to fill or sell.

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 11:53 AM

Sudbury is the Capital of Northern Ontario, the council, city employees and residents need to embrace that idea and become the leaders.

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 12:15 PM

Our animal shelter (I think) needs to be a little bit more accessible. People without a vehicle cannot get to the shelter and I feel more pets are being abandoned because of this. If we leave it where it is can we figure something out for people such as this? If they pay the fee along with a 'delivery' fee - they can have their animal dropped off? You actually may get people willing to volunteer this and just pay their gas..There has got to be a way...

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 12:30 PM

These large and sudden property tax increases are unacceptable.

[REDACTED]
2/27/2019 02:24 PM

I am very interested in water quality and enhancing the natural environment

[REDACTED]

This survey in some sections should have been better thought out.

2/27/2019 06:22 PM



2/27/2019 06:26 PM

Essential to forgo all current projects until solution and finances are available to complete road deferral work. Contact other governments for grants to complete the \$1.6 billion deficit in road work. Major expenditures for new projects revised and arena be remodeled at considerable savings. Ensure quality materials are used for road repairs. Give citizens a voice in what work should be done with a share of funds for repairing roads. Staff will ensure work is complete and measured on outcomes.



2/27/2019 06:28 PM

I seriously doubt anyone is even reading this. If you are, congratulations on your internship with the city! Should your supervisor ask what people are saying tell him/her that, "We're mad as hell and not going to take it any more!" (That's a movie reference from before you were born.)



2/27/2019 06:26 PM

The needle situation downtown



2/27/2019 06:25 PM

All my ideas are listed in the comments above. Good Luck and God Speed!
... Oh the Dog Park on York Street should be reinstated. Its closure was absolutely ridiculous. I go to St. Andrew's United Church, and I know they complained about it, you can tell them that I said they can suck a lemon!
Dogs are our greatest gift!



2/27/2019 11:07 PM

Cash fare in bus fare should have a differences in rates for seniors / disabled / children ... vulnerable people. Of at least 0.50\$ less.



2/28/2019 01:09 PM

Climate change is the top priority and impacts all topics. Climate change action for mitigation and adaptation should be implemented at the highest level and throughout all city departments, consistent with the ICPP report on maintaining global warming below 1.5 degrees.



2/28/2019 01:27 PM

The city should offer a recycling/composting service for businesses, organizations, bigger buildings, etc. so workers would actually recycle & compost.



2/28/2019 02:31 PM

Will you even follow through with anything?



2/28/2019 06:51 AM

Shameful that a northern community, familiar with snow, cannot keep streets or sidewalks maintained better. Lost lanes, unpassable walkways, and snowbanks drivers can't see around are inexcusable in the 'Great White North'.



2/28/2019 11:34 AM

The environment at Tom Davies Square must change to reflect that staff are service providers to those looking to build the community.



2/28/2019 01:20 PM

Please make our roads safer.



3/1/2019 01:12 PM

please stop the KED. It will have a negative on the future of the city. stop the casino - a casino does not make a city "world class" it makes it "second class" casino are promoted as the white horse for cities that are desperate
Its time that all services and programs focus on why they exist and carry out business for the outcome of the customer. Customer Service refresher for



3/1/2019 02:29 PM



3/1/2019 03:25 PM

everyone would be a good start.

Look at different paving successes to help pave our streets ie Asphalt recycling machine used all over the province, if pavement may not last as long however if all main streets are resurfaced and no potholes which eases the main topic and concern of many it would relieve the strain of other projects that could be started within the city. The city needs to increase approvals of permits and cut back on lag time waiting for permits, if we are an "open" city would we not want more production in the city to be completed. Allow for competition with municipal venues IE: ice rinks... allow private companies to build rinks/soccer/baseball/football fields indoor or outdoor without the city having to be involved outside of inspections to make sure its built to the safety standards we expect our venues to be built. Allow private companies to run venues while the city receives royalty fees for the use and management of said venues. The city should be looking at dividing contracts, such as snow removal one company does the streets, one company sidewalks and another transit stops. Currently the city does all of it with some contracts for snow removal on streets. One this could create jobs, two the example is show by this winter how many sidewalks are not cleaned during a storm because roads to precedence, then sidewalk then finally two or 3 or 5 days later SOME transit stops are cleared (examples can be seen on the city's FB page as many have commented). If separated more opportunities for local business, cost savings for the city depending on a RFP bid, all transportation venues in the city are maintained in a timely manner. Making our transportation venues more accessible for everyone, so they may get to work, school, events, shopping or family within our city and truly showing that Greater Sudbury is open for business.



3/1/2019 10:09 PM

Projects need to be well thought out. Our taxes should be paying for services we receive like snow removal and paved roads...not "big ticket items" like the KED. We also need more environmentally friendly incentives for garbage, recycling, keeping green spaces alive, re-purposing parks and old buildings etc. We need to work smart not hard. We also really need better health services and long-term care options for all the seniors coming up...affordable housing and care will become a crisis soon.



3/2/2019 11:39 AM

We do not need a new library, Arts Center or any of the other projects that form "The Junction." Too much money has already been invested to try to renew the Downtown and it never makes a difference and never will. The Downtown as it's known, is no longer that. I'm 52 years old and was born & raised in Sudbury. I remember very well when the Downtown was booming and it was only booming because that's all Sudbury had at the time. Now that the Southend and New Sudbury has developed, there's really nothing to draw people there except for a couple of good restaurants. I work downtown but as soon as the work day is done, I leave. Even though I live in the West end and am close to the downtown, I don't shop down there because there's really nothing that makes me want to. Why go down there when I can go to either New Sudbury or the Southend and have access to so much more and not have to worry about finding a parking spot. Continuously sinking money into the old downtown is useless and I'm tired of these self interest groups

[REDACTED]

03/03/2019 01:07 PM

trying to fight other developments that aren't going downtown. They keep expecting the City to revive the downtown for them but how about these business owners actually try to help themselves and make their business more attractive so that it will draw people to it. These groups want the arena downtown because they think it will revive it. The arena has been downtown for 67 years and the downtown has still gone downhill so a new arena will make no difference. I'm all for the KED entertainment district so I'm glad that the City is trying to make it happen. It's really unfortunate and it disgusts me that these self interest groups are fighting it. They are not thinking about the greater good of the City. They are only thinking of their "pockets." I'm not in favour of any more money being invested in the downtown for big projects. Please review [REDACTED] comments of May/18 to the Project Manager of the City of Greater Sudbury (\$1.3 Billion) Water and Wastewater Master Plan dated April /18. "Water is Life". Water is to important a subject to simply leave to the vagaries of Politicians and Bureaucrats. Citizens/Tax Payers should also be actively involved in this process. My 2018 Challenge to the Water Master Plan Initiative: The City should commence a feasibility study in 2019 to investigate the merits of establishing a "Sudbury Water Advisory Board" to oversee the the issue of Water Governance. This would be similar to the GSU. Police Board etc. The study should be completed within 2 years and/or prior to the next Official Plan Review. I would appreciate the opportunity to meet and speak with the proper City Officials on these ideas within the next month. Thank you for the opportunity to participate in this City Priorities discussion. Note; Please email to me a copy of these comments as I'm unable to print same completely in this format. Please stop the KED. Please leave the arena downtown.

[REDACTED]

03/03/2019 01:14 PM

[REDACTED]

03/03/2019 11:17 AM

Lots, but they come out sporadically. Face to face conversations are always interesting. Good luck.

[REDACTED]

03/03/2019 11:04 AM

N/A.

[REDACTED]

03/03/2019 09:07 PM

Thank you for consulting the community. I know the different constituents will make it hard to prioritize; it will be critically important that all parties involved be respectful of each other as they set forth on this process. By listening to each other, hearing opinions, and respectfully disagreeing, a solid plan can be achieved. Members of council must behave like adults and professionals throughout this process.

[REDACTED]

03/03/2019 09:16 PM

Our outdoor summer life is short and while we have lots of potential, we just don't quite meet the standards of other places. I visited Hamilton a number of years ago and was amazed at the number of parks, trails and places that had been protected or rehabilitated (Hamilton Harbour is beautiful now). I came home and walked Bell Park, equal or better to any of Hamilton's parks. My issue is that for every 1 Bell Park in Sudbury, there are 10 in Hamilton. Examples: Sudbury businesses just don't understand patios - they overlook train tracks (Townhouse Tavern) or overlook the Kingsway (Twiggs). There is

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3/04/2019 06:14 PM

no coffee shop in Bell Park (imagine one in the old canoe club). The skating path is fabulous - the trail along Junction Creek downtown showcases the city's addiction problem - the swamp across from Science North is wonderful - the swamp along Rotary Park trail is flooded and muddy - Fielding Park is wonderful and I would love to see more usage. How do we bring the best to all of Sudbury's parks and trails at a standard being met really only by Bell Park right now?

An internal assessment is required to ensure that decisions and processes are efficient. Cutting costs and raising taxes are the quick and easy way out but not always the answer. There are ways to work with what you have and that should be strategically evaluated. I see too many inefficient processes that results in tons of wasted money. It's time to be efficient.

[REDACTED]

3/04/2019 08:10 PM

Thanks for asking for my input. Its a bit rambly, however I think with successive requests my views will become more focused and more useful to you. Cheers.

[REDACTED]

3/04/2019 08:54 PM

- Need to get people to know about the composting and push/force it more

[REDACTED]

3/04/2019 11:37 PM

We are so lucky in our city and I think most people take it for granted. We have an amazing place to live with (almost) everything anyone could want. The city staff are hardworking and overall try to do what's best for the city. Please don't get discouraged/hurt by the same dozen of super negative social media trolls who are faceless monsters who make one-off comments on subjects they know nothing about. I like the new platform for engagement over to you because it allows citizens the chance to comment on a project that impacts them or they are passionate about.

[REDACTED]

3/05/2019 09:25 AM

Thanks for asking for my feedback, fun to take part in this. I know there are more, please add me to a mailing list to do more surveys, I want to be involved but often stumble on these types of things too late!

[REDACTED]

3/05/2019 11:31 AM

The city should have to pay for vehicle repairs due to terrible roads.

[REDACTED]

3/05/2019 01:08 PM

Scrap the Kingsway development project. It's time the city got out of the entertainment business. Leave that to private enterprise.

[REDACTED]

3/05/2019 01:50 PM

That there should be at least two elders/older people (one indigenous and one non-indigenous sitting with the Municipal Council to provide ongoing guidance with decision-making.

[REDACTED]

3/05/2019 03:47 PM

- retrofit schoolbuses to get rid of diesel - find grant money to accomplish this and save the current/future generations of kids from particulate emissions - sponsor regular tours of local industries, factories, recycling/waste depots, wastewater treatment, "spend a day with the Mayor" - find some grant \$ for GPS so they can acquire 3D laser imaging/"Total Station" for working crime scenes more efficiently - find a way to partner with Laurentian Forensic Science on this with their Forensic Identification degree initiatives and proposed new Institute of Professional Development/Police Training, also Bharti School of Engineering

[REDACTED]

Continue to dream of what could be especially in the face of those who fear

3/05/2019 04:52 PM

the future!

3/05/2019 01:50 PM

I don't think there's enough room in this box to discuss lackluster snow removal efforts. It's also frustrating to watch almost any form of development get held up by a voice or two. You'll never make EVERYONE happy - majority has decided, carry on please! The indecision has been proving to be quite expensive to all involved.

3/06/2019 07:45 AM

Please help build up ghevoutlying communities. Wirking on the will stop the cry for deamalgamation

3/06/2019 11:00 AM

Let's be a proactive community. Like i said small things. Instead of flower beds lets have gardens! Let's move forward and stop living in the past.

3/06/2019 11:20 AM

Stop the KED. Don't invest in large projects that do not benefit the overall health of the community. Invest in community initiatives that have a wholistic view, instead of prioritizing money. Let's prioritize health!

3/06/2019 04:00 PM

-stop paying paving companies if they don't do the work properly, and then DEFINITELY STOP hiring the same company to fix the road they didn't do right to begin with. Some accountability and common sense managing my tax money would be appreciated. Because right now the city looks like a bunch of crooks or a bunch of idiots the way they manage the roads.
Thanks for having this survey available.

3/06/2019 11:26 PM

3/06/2019 11:00 PM

We are a hub between the north and the south.. lets move forward with transportation and entertainment. When i was a teenager in Sudbury, (late 70's) , there was so much to do here in Sudbury. What is there to do for teenagers now that doesnt cost much?

3/07/2019 07:04 AM

Please do not invest in KED

3/07/2019 00:21 AM

Close the argument down about KED. The decision. I did not like it, but it is made and the constant griping is toxic.

3/07/2019 11:04 AM

Use a better system than drop downs for doing this survey. It's like whoever designed this survey has never done one before.

3/07/2019 12:24 PM

nope :-). Thank you.

3/07/2019 07:02 PM

It is hard to find bathrooms downtown -- especially ones with a change table! This was a problem when I tried to go shopping downtown with a newborn. It was frustrating. I avoided downtown and preferred the Southridge Mall or New Sudbury Centre, as I knew where I could find change tables. (The Rainbow Centre does have a bathroom with a change table, but it was locked. I had to search through the mall for a security guard, who had to page someone else to bring the key. He said they kept it locked because of people doing drugs in the bathroom. If they are going to lock it, at least install a buzzer beside the door that will notify security! I did not go back to the Rainbow Centre.)

[REDACTED]
3/07/2019 07:08 PM

We have the technology to solve every problem we come up against, it only takes will power and a selflessness that allows us to see the issues first, not the supposed cause of the issues. None of us are so well off that we can't or won't need some help either getting where we are or staying there. There can be no shame in not having as much as someone else. Do we have enough? This is the issue. Then, will I share what I have extra or will I hoard it?

[REDACTED]
3/08/2019 07:34 AM

- Since this survey does not provide the opportunity to rank items among topics, we would like to state that climate change is our top priority and impacts all topics. Of the topics listed, Natural Environment and Community Trust and Confidence are the two we would like to emphasize. - Implementing key policies and plans such as the Food Strategy, subwatershed studies and plans, the Transit Action Plan, Complete Streets Policy & Guidelines, Transportation Demand Management Plan, a Community Energy and Emissions plan, a Climate Adaptation Plan will make a very important contribution towards making our community more sustainable. We hope to see this listed as actions in the Strategic Plan. From September 2017-September 2018, Coalition for a Liveable Sudbury did outreach in the community, asking residents from throughout Greater Sudbury what is important to them in their community, what positive changes they most want to see in the next 3-5 years, and what issues are important to them. We collected 929 submissions from 29 different locations and events, as well as on-line. We heard from residents from every Ward and every area of Greater Sudbury. We would like to share the results with you, as part of this submission. You can find it at this link.
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1hHXY64u6LGobe7qdcWJ1SGbjyJWLkY7B/view>
lower our taxes this City's taxes are outrageous.. the community should have a say in decisions also...

[REDACTED]
3/08/2019 03:25 PM

[REDACTED]
3/08/2019 07:10 PM

Please don't waste our precious money on a casino and arena outside the City. It goes directly against the last strategic plan to revitalize down town.

[REDACTED]
3/08/2019 08:32 PM

The arena should be downtown. Elgin Street greenway is a must. Develop the market.

[REDACTED]
3/09/2019 03:42 PM

We should strive to be a community that leads the way in creating a sustainable infrastructure and natural environment a priori. Ban grass lawns- encourage front yard gardens of natural vegetation and foods. Let's grow what attracts and sustains our local flora and fauna. Let's nurture the natural instead of poisoning it to grow what isn't.

[REDACTED]
3/09/2019 01:07 PM

Please take the risks of climate change to our city seriously.

[REDACTED]
3/10/2019 05:09 PM

Thank you for taking the time to collect, read, and consider the feedback of citizens. We are citizens of Greater Sudbury, but also citizens of a global community, which is something to keep in mind.

[REDACTED]
3/10/2019 08:32 PM

Thank you for your time in considering all the words I wrote above & for making Greater Sudbury better.

[REDACTED]

Just fix the roads. Please. For the love of god.

3/10/2019 09:00 PM

[REDACTED]

We are concerned. Very concerned.

3/11/2019 10:10 AM

[REDACTED]

3/11/2019 11:21 AM

I would like to express my appreciation for the bus drivers. For the most part, I have found them to be very considerate and patient and willing to maintain order and decency on the buses. I would also like to express my gratitude for the garden plantings in parks and along roads. They serve to beautify the city and raise my spirits every day that I see them. The City should be ever mindful of planting more trees and maintaining green spaces. Thank-you
Get a better feedback system

[REDACTED]

3/11/2019 01:18 PM

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3/11/2019 01:24 PM

Expand the cities recycling services. We need a cap on taxes. Pot hole management is a disaster , needs an overhaul. A ton of side roads/streets are not maintained and need resurfacing/fixing.

[REDACTED]

3/11/2019 01:35 PM

Climate change is the top priority and impacts all topics. Climate change action for mitigation and adaptation should be implemented at the highest level and throughout all city departments, consistent with the ICPP report on maintaining global warming below 1.5 degrees.

[REDACTED]

3/11/2019 03:23 PM

Old General Hospital requires a time frame for something to be done. Not left as an eyesore for how many more years? On one of the main roadways into town!

[REDACTED]

3/11/2019 05:34 PM

We need an information booth/location (backed up with online app) that would provide all that is needed for anyone entering the city and for locals wanting to entertain guests/family so all the amenities, highlights, festivals, shows, exhibits, cultural experiences, etc.

[REDACTED]

3/11/2019 05:37 PM

More trails for biking to support a carbon reduced community, as per the Paris Agreement. The city needs a climate change plan now to decrease carbon emissions by 30%. Invest in Electric Vehicles, no idling policy, all future road repairs are completed using climate change knowledge and technology, plant more trees, promote education to increase understanding that Sudbury is making a serious effort to address climate change, put climate change messages on public transportation, ban plastic water bottles, all paper products should have the most possible recycled content, no use of disposable coffee cups and plastic cups, promote zero waste, give incentives to citizens for reducing carbon footprint, encourage the use of clothes lines (solar and wind power), all lawns could become gardens, develop partnerships with churches to use the extra land for gardens, find out what other cities are doing to address climate change and do it. Get on board. Today. Future generations are counting on us.

[REDACTED]

3/11/2019 06:12 PM

Just make it a great place to live and don't worry about tourism. Spending 100 million on the KED on the basis of tourism is plain stupid.

[REDACTED]

3/11/2019 06:30 PM


Abolish tipping fees. I live in a rural area and have noticed a significant increase in garbage being dumped on back roads. As an environmental concern, the City should work in collaboration with local retailers and coffee

shops by developing a plan to reduce waste and to encourage customers to shop with their own grocery bags and bring their own coffee mugs. Plastics need to be abolished. The City could be on the forefront of implementing this movement. Recycling & composting need to be mandatory. To encourage public input and support Council meetings could be held on a rotating basis in each ward throughout the City thereby allowing Councillors and their constituents to focus on Specific ideas and issues pertaining to each Ward. This would also allow for residents, who normally would not attend a "City" council meeting, to attend one in their own back yard. This would foster inclusion, community involvement and interaction with elected officials including the Mayor. Open mic evenings. A representative from the City could have a segment on the news at noon and 6:00 news promoting new ideas, upcoming city events or answering community questions for ex: Question of Day". Elected Officials need to be more visible in the community. Plough the snow and fix the roads!

 3/11/2019 07:02 PM

 3/11/2019 07:37 PM

GS is known for our lakes, raw, clean landscapes and natural open, untouched areas. We really need to see the immense value in that, not only from a quality of life standpoint, but from a position of vision and potential. Once water and natural environment(s) are tainted/damaged/irrevocably altered, potential is equally effected. Think ECO in tourism, development, everything! Our natural environments and water bodies must be protected and enhanced.

 3/12/2019 09:32 AM

The only comments I have are to express disappointment in how the new Arena project was handled. I felt let down as a citizen, and it was incredibly disheartening to see that the Council could allow such a reckless development to proceed.

 3/12/2019 10:09 AM

This wasn't a great survey - it sounds like many of the priorities of the City have already been determined (ie. the pursuit of economic and physical growth). This makes it clear that the City remains wedded to a 20th Century growth paradigm that has caused significant issues and has led to decreased fiscal sustainability. It's not the right starting point - and it should not have formed the basis for this survey.

 3/12/2019 10:14 AM

Give us something to look forward too and something we want to engage in... create a city that is admired by other municipalities and a living example.

 3/12/2019 11:06 AM

Please put the highest priority and resources into creating our Community Energy and Emissions plan, and our Climate Adaptation Plan within the next few months. And then establish directions in the 2020 budget to work towards their goals and objections. We CANNOT delay another year before we start working on what we need to do.

 3/12/2019 11:38 AM

Thank you for the opportunity to provide feedback through Over To You. Moving forward, we'd like to be able to add files as part of the feedback. This would allow community groups the ability to provide clear and focused feedback. We would also like to see engagement on very important topics like this one start earlier in the process so we can do more outreach to our members and organize meetings to discuss complicated topics. We also look

forward to additional stakeholder consultations; additional tools for people who are not necessarily computer literate are important for more fulsome community engagement.

Renovate the Onaping Falls Community Centre

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01/02/2019 00:12 PM

thanks for the opportunity

[REDACTED]

01/02/2019 00:04 PM

Optional question (143 responses, 239 skipped)