



Ambleside and Dundarave Residents Association

CANDIDATE PROFILE

Name: SCOTT SNIDER

QUESTION		
1.	What is/was your occupation? Your education?	-Civil Mediator – RRM (Self-Employed) -Designated Mortgage Broker of a new start up mortgage company -Bachelor of Arts- UBC
2.	Do you currently live in West Vancouver? For how long?	Yes. Born and raised in West Vancouver. 3 rd Generation. Last 10 years back living in West Vancouver
3.	List of municipal or civic group experience.	Being an engaged citizen
4.	Why are you running? (50 words or less)	Our taxes are on the rise with little to show for it. We need value for taxpayer dollars and we need to review where we are spending. Traffic is top of mind and we need to find a viable solution and put the needs of West Vancouverites first. We need to eliminate the red tape and improve what we offer our seniors.
5.	If elected, what are your top 3 priorities? (50 words or less)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ensuring our tax dollars are being prudently spent. 2. Cut the red tape at District Hall and guarantee turnaround time for basic home renovations 3. Fight for our seniors to ensure access to affordable comfortable care facilities
6.	What are the top 3 challenges facing West Vancouver? How would you address them? (75 words or less)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Transportation- push to regain transit routes lost over the last few years (i.e. UBC and Horseshoe Bay Express). Offer new and outside the box options. 2. High taxes- Complete examination of all financial matters to ensure monies being spent prudently. I support the re-establishment of our COMMUNITY CITIZEN FINANCE PLANNING COMMISSION 3. Senior Housing- Engage in conversation with Vancouver Coastal Health to find solutions for senior care facilities
7.	Do you support a 38M publicly funded Arts Centre? In Ambleside Park? With a hotel? If not, what sort of arts facilities would you support? (75 words or less)	No, but I do support the Arts and the need to expand what is offered in West Vancouver. I don't believe the proposed site is an appropriate location and the cost is too high. I support developing or creating Art facilities in the business district of West Vancouver where the Arts centre could help support local businesses and visa versa. I also believe there are several properties that may be more appropriate locations that and should be

		explored along with sharing costs with any developer of these properties.
8.	What is the maximum height and density you would support for future buildings along Marine Drive corridor and Ambleside and Dundarave Villages?	I would like to see a variety of unique buildings through these areas at different heights, not exceeding 3 stories, although special considerations may have to given on specific developments moving forward.
9.	Traffic gridlock has been a major issue identified by residents. What actions would you take to address this issue? (50 words or less)	I think that having our traffic lights synchronized is a start. We need to work with the City of Vancouver to ensure the Lions Gate Bridge traffic flow is constantly being monitored. We need to re-visit some of the transit routes that we have lost, such as the Horseshoe Bay and UBC Express routes.
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