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Tessa Franklin

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Q1. Increasingly, Jewish Ottawans are concerned about rising antisemitism. As a city councillor, will you advocate to ensure that antisemitism is included in all resources and training as an integral part of all municipal anti-racism programs?

Yes. It is important that we include this kind of education in our anti-racism programs to ensure Ottawa is a safe place for all of our neighbours.

Q2. How are you going to push back against antisemitism in all of its forms?

Education is always the first step. Above this, amplifying Jewish voices and listening to their needs and putting that into action is key.

Q3. As with all at-risk communities, there are various times in the year when the Jewish community is required to hire extra security to protect our houses of worship and organizations. Will you support the use of paid duty officers to provide that needed security?

Yes. Everyone deserves to feel safe regardless of religion.

Q4. Are you in favour of continued funding for the Ottawa Police Services Hate Crimes unit?

Yes, in addition to this I would like to see more robust programs and education that focus on stopping hate before it can start.

Q5. The governments of both Canada and Ontario, as well as some municipalities, have adopted the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance's definition of antisemitism. Would you be supportive of Ottawa adopting this definition of antisemitism as well?

Yes.

Q6. Tamir is a non-profit organization dedicated to assisting developmentally disabled people and those with autism. Plans for upgrades and expanded services stalled due to COVID. Will you be an ally and

advocate for Tamir to receive help in upgrading their facilities?

Yes, increased funding for community programs/services is an important part of my platform.

Q7. Food insecurity for seniors is on the rise. How will you support the city's ethnocultural (kosher/halal) meals on wheels and food bank programs to help address food insecurity for those who are most vulnerable?

Increased funding and awareness is important. Working with other food programs to continue to widen the availability of kosher meals is also important to ensure we're reaching everyone.



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Matthew Luloff

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Q1. Increasingly, Jewish Ottawans are concerned about rising antisemitism. As a city councillor, will you advocate to ensure that antisemitism is included in all resources and training as an integral part of all municipal anti-racism programs?

Yes. Antisemitism is disgusting and must be addressed.

Q2. How are you going to push back against antisemitism in all of its forms?

I do not tolerate it. I speak up against it.

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Yes.

Q4. Are you in favour of continued funding for the Ottawa Police Services Hate Crimes unit?

Yes. Our police service is chronically underfunded. We must properly fund OPS.

Q5. The governments of both Canada and Ontario, as well as some municipalities, have adopted the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance's definition of antisemitism. Would you be supportive of Ottawa adopting this definition of antisemitism as well?

I am very in favour of this definition.

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It's important to advocate for those with cultural dietary restrictions.