Alberta Professional Planners Institute

APPI Nominee Platform – Election 2021

NOMINEE FOR THE POSITION OF COUNCILLOR

Scott Low

(nominee's name)

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Academic and professional background

2017	Master of Planning, Dalhousie University
1993	Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre, University of Victoria
1993	Bachelor of Arts in History, University of Victoria
1991	Certificate in Peace & Conflict Studies, Langara College
2009-2015	Nova Scotia Government as Policy Analyst for consumer protection
2012-2015	Nova Scotia Building Code Committee on professional standards
2013-2015	CSA Standards Committee on accreditation
2017-2019	Planner II Halifax Regional Municipality
2020-2021	Community Planner for the Kivalliq Region, Territory of Nunavut (present)

Involvement in professional organizations

Member of APPI (via Nunavut)
APPI 2021 Annual Conference Committee
Member of CIP
Former member Licensed Professional Planner of Nova Scotia (LPPANS)
Former member Atlantic Planners Institute (API)

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Election Platform

As Councillor I intend to bring forward the principles of dialogue and consensus, integral to Nunavut governance, and practiced daily in my work and professional attitude. These form the core values of my election platform. The most rewarding aspect of community planning is beginning and maintaining healthy conversations and this process will be central to my service as a professional within APPI working to improve the planning environment. Being a land use planner for seven isolated and self-reliant Arctic hamlets, I rely on shared data and discussions to inform our greater community, the sum of experiences a best practice opportunity to learn, adapt, and improve. Attention to detail focuses the big picture and I strive to include all voices in deliberation both in employment and amongst professionals. A fundamental attribute of leadership is the capacity to listen. Should I be elected Councillor I intend to listen to the membership and our communities and transform these communications into strategies, advocacy, partnership, and responsible governance. I possess employment experience with three levels of government and believe strongly in volunteering as a social contribution.

I am grateful that the APPI represents Nunavut planners and offers this opportunity for a voice on Council.

Thank-you for considering me as APPI Councillor.