

**NOMINEE FOR THE POSITION OF COUNCILLOR**  
**Connor Smith, RPP, MCIP**  
Nominee's Name

***Academic and professional background***

BA Urban Studies with Distinction, University of Calgary, 2010 APPI/CIP  
Full Member - 2018-Current  
PIBC Full Member - 2021-Current

**Work Experience**

AI-Terra Engineering (Junior Planner, Intermediate Planner, Lead Planner), Edmonton, AB, 2011-Current  
Urban Forestry Department (Invasive Species and Tree Health Monitoring), City of Calgary, 2010 Campus Planning, University of Calgary, 2009-2010 Geomatics Assistant, City of Edmonton, Precision Geomatics, Vision Geomatics, 2006-2009, 2011

***Involvement in professional organizations***

APPI Councilor - 2022-Current  
APPI Finance Committee/Treasurer 2022/2023-Current  
Urban Development Institute (UDI Development & Redevelopment Committee) 2022-Current CIP Climate Change Subcommittee - 2018-2022  
APPI Conference Co-Chair - 2018 APPI Events Committee - 2018-Current APPI Conference Committee - 2017  
APPI/CIP Candidate Member - 2012-2018

***Election Platform***

I have served two two-year terms on the APPI Council. It would be my honour to contribute a final third term as APPI Treasurer.

As a consulting planner, I promote collaboration and efficient processes that advance the public interest, build excellent communities, support pro-development policies, and enable innovative projects. I will continue advocating for mutually beneficial planning frameworks and development flexibility that bring out the best in municipalities and land developers alike. By emphasizing shared goals—strong community development, great places, and cost-effective solutions—my work supports affordability through high-impact investments and smarter design.

Within APPI, I will serve one final term as Treasurer before transitioning the role. I will ensure prudent financial oversight, deliver strong value to members, and bring a private-sector perspective to Council discussions. At the same time, I will help keep APPI focused on its core mission: effective and efficient member regulation, industry advocacy, engaging events and education, and inspiring the next generation of planners.