



CITY OF WHITHORSE: DEBATE
September 28th, 5:00pm to 7:30 pm at Macbride Museum

From 20 questions sent by 15 Whitehorse NGOs we made 8 related questions. Please see below

1. What are your thoughts about reducing or waiving costs of rental of city services to non-profit organizations? Such as rent, electricity, rebate
2. Some nonprofits are choosing to become nonprofit social enterprises to fund their work as government funding recedes. What is your familiarity with social enterprises in Whitehorse? What can you do to support their work?
3. In terms of fairness between the City of Whitehorse's **private sector** as compared to its non-profit sector, what are your thoughts on:
 - Also supporting *for-profit* organisations in integrating a social and / or environmental mission or focus
 - Allowing permit developer subsidies to also be available to non-profits.
4. Waste management is a municipal responsibility. The non-profit community represented by several diverse nonprofits has stepped forward to contribute, what role do you see the municipality playing to ensure this community venture is a success and keeps material out of the landfill?
5. What are your thoughts on establishing committees of council so that mayor and council have direct access to information from the non-profit (often expert) sector?
6. What do they feel are the city priorities when it comes to marginalised populations' issues within Whitehorse? And how should the city support NGOs' priorities?
7. What role do you see the city filling in supporting in the mental wellness of Whitehorse residents?
8. If you are elected, would you support the City of Whitehorse establishing a Corporate Social Responsibility plan that supports local charities and that also encourages employees to engage in this plan at their workplace? How would you shape this?