

## 2017 Municipal Election Survey 2017 – Calgary –

Thank you for participating in the Canadian Taxpayers Federation's election survey. Please provide your responses to Colin Craig ([ccraig@taxpayer.com](mailto:ccraig@taxpayer.com)) by **September 29** (end of day). Results will be posted at Taxpayer.com, sent to the media and emailed to our supporters.

Name: Trevor Buckler

Signature: [Signature]

1) Will you introduce a motion (or support one tabled by a colleague) to scan and post council expense receipts online? (Just as the province does for MLA expenses) <i>Comment: All expenses should be public</i>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
2) Will you protect taxpayers from additional financial risk and excessive costs by introducing a motion (or support one tabled by a colleague) to place new city employees, and council members, in a less costly pension plan? (Defined contribution) <i>Comment: But no charges to current employees</i>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
3) Will you vote to reduce city employee salaries by 5% (or reduce total salary expenditures by 5%) – just as many employees in Calgary's business sector received during the recession? <i>Comment: But I would vote to freeze all current salaries &amp; expenses</i>	<input type="radio"/> YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO
4) Will you introduce a motion (or support one tabled by a colleague) to cap property tax increases at inflation? (Statistics Canada's CPI for Calgary) <i>Comment: The City must work within its budget and cap all user fees</i>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
5) Will you support a motion to halt spending on public art until the city's unemployment rate is below the national average? <i>Comment: Also the City will be mandated to self source all future art work</i>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
6) Do you believe a referendum should be held prior to council approving any bids to host the 2026 Winter Olympics? <i>Comment: I don't believe citizens want the bid, and we can't afford it</i>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
7) Do you support reviewing city services and exploring activities that could be contracted out to save taxpayers money? <i>Comment: Only on non-essential services</i>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES <input type="radio"/> NO
8) Do you support spending public funds on a new arena for the Flames? <i>Comment: But I would not be adverse to donating firestone park land</i>	<input type="radio"/> YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO
9) Have you accepted or will you accept financial or in-kind donations from the Calgary Flames, any of the team's owners or their companies? <i>Comment: I am self-funded and accept no donations</i>	<input type="radio"/> YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO