



CITY OF PITT MEADOWS - 2013 MUNICIPAL ELECTION CANDIDATE SURVEY RESULTS

QUESTION 1 *Will you vote in favour of infrastructure investments that separate bicycles from motor vehicles and pedestrians along key transportation corridors and certain busy commercial streets?*

Bill Dingwall MAYOR	Yes	Pitt Meadows has embraced the importance of cycling in our community for many years with dedicated bike lanes, trails and as recently as this past month, extra markings on roadways to enhance the safety of cyclists.
Susan L Miller COUNCIL	Yes	
Tracy Miyashita COUNCIL	Yes	

QUESTION 2 *Will you vote in favour of infrastructure investments that #UnGapTheMap in the municipal and regional cycling network, allowing people of all ages and abilities to travel safely by bicycle?
Learn more about #UnGapTheMap at www.bikehub.ca/ungapthemap*

Bill Dingwall MAYOR	Yes	The B-Line will travel the Lougheed Highway and is scheduled for construction in 2019. This would be an important opportunity to consider a dedicated and safe cycling lane that would connect us with our sister communities.
Susan L Miller COUNCIL	Yes	
Tracy Miyashita COUNCIL	Yes	

QUESTION 3 *Do you think the budget for cycling infrastructure should increase, stay the same, or decrease and why?*

Bill Dingwall MAYOR	Increase	Where opportunities exist for new or enhanced vehicle infrastructure/movement, consideration should be given to including cycling lanes.
Susan L Miller COUNCIL	Increase	I am uncertain who is responsible for the budget on cycling infrastructure, but it makes sense that more dollars will be needed for the necessary improvements.
Tracy Miyashita COUNCIL	Stay the same	We have an Active Transportation Committee and currently provide funding for cycling and walking pathways and infrastructure. I feel this is well-supported in our community.

QUESTION 4 *Do you support providing transportation cycling education to all elementary school students so that kids can learn to be safe and responsible road users early on?*

Bill Dingwall MAYOR	Yes	Education is important, particularly at young ages, which will enhance public safety.
Susan L Miller COUNCIL	Yes	If children learn early they are much more capable of making good decisions
Tracy Miyashita COUNCIL	Yes	We currently do this and I would like to see this continue.