

**1) Should Falls Church City increase the percentage of affordable housing set-asides to 10% or higher?**

**YES.** I have consistently urged and supported increases in affordable housing. At the same time, this worthy objective should not be achieved at the expense of other considerations asked of developers, such as capital payments for our schools. All development projects should yield significant net benefits to the City, including affordable housing.

**2) Do you support Falls Church City public employees entering into collective bargaining agreements with the City?**

**???.** I neither support nor oppose collective bargaining. I have always worked to keep employee interests in mind. I don't rule out these agreements, but would want to ensure that public interests, such as reasonable costs and the continuation of public services, are also protected.

**3) Should Falls Church City have more designated bicycle lanes on main thoroughfares?**

**YES.** Achieving a more walk-able and bike-friendly environment has long been a City priority. We should also consider physically separated lanes wherever feasible.

**4) Should the new ordinance prohibiting the possession of firearms in public spaces and buildings have an exception for concealed carry permit-holders?**

**???.** I have long supported effective gun control. If this exception is allowed, it should be limited to outdoor spaces and not be automatically extended to all concealed permit-holders, but instead only to past and present public servants or individuals who are subject to domestic violence. If such distinctions cannot be made, we should maintain the total ban.

**5) Should Falls Church City continue to issue permits for local businesses to use parking lots and sidewalks for additional outdoor seating?**

**YES.** I have consistently supported these measures and will continue to do so. They are a win/win for the City—good for businesses, their employees, the public, and tax revenue.

**6) Should Falls Church City extend the definition of daytime hours to 10:30 pm for the purpose of noise levels?**

**???.** Sound ordinance issues are best resolved through dialogue among neighbors and in a context-specific way. For example, more restrictive measures are likely more appropriate when major residential developments with integrated or nearby businesses are part of a neighborhood.

**7) Should the City require all new developments be carbon-neutral?**

**YES.** To help address climate change, carbon neutrality is becoming necessary, especially for larger-scale developments.

**8) Should Falls Church City create a police oversight civilian review board with investigative and subpoena powers?**

???. Our recent police review commission, which I supported, did not establish a current need for such a board. If anything changes, we should reconsider this possibility. Meantime, we should focus on police training in such areas as de-escalation techniques, appropriately compensating and funding law enforcement, maintaining quality leadership and accountability, and implementing body-worn cameras.

**9) Would you support future Falls Church City local elections using ranked-choice voting?**

???. Local elections should be not be changed unless there is a clearly-defined problem we need to solve and ranked-choice voting is the most effective way to address it.

**10) Do you believe election fraud is a widespread problem?**

**NO.** And certainly not here. Falls Church has an excellent registrar's office and strong, bi-partisan, and consistent citizen oversight of City elections.