

Winnipeg Municipal Election 2022 – Candidate Responses Sept 25 2022

Minarski – Ross Eadie

Continue Focus on Parks and Recreation

“Winnipeggers demanded and received plans to improve and renew green space, leisure, and recreation services.”

The most important part of my commitment is creating the Parks and Recreation Department to have a better future for Parks and Open Spaces with Parks having responsibility for all aspects of your three questions.

Continuing my work on improving and renewing Mynarski neighbourhood parks and facilities – important for good health, means I will push for appropriate budgetary support for renewals in the Mynarski Ward neighbourhoods that haven't seen renewal yet. The focus on leisure, green space and recreation services requires an actual Parks and Recreation Department. Under the Public Works, Parks and Open Spaces Department, this important area gets less budgetary focus than street services and road renewal do.

I'm trying to establish a large community garden on an ignored park space in the ward.

In the Margaret Park neighbourhood, there have been many park and road renewals since 2010. Top of the list for a re-elected Ross Eadie is a better water facility and green space at Beryl Watt Park in front of Vince Leah CC. Of course, community centres need renewal as well!

I need to work with the Councillor from the Point Douglas Ward to combine limited dollars to renew the Frank White Park at Fife and Inkster.