

November 20, 2018

To: City Councillors

Re: A welcome message from the Greenspace Alliance

On behalf of the Greenspace Alliance of Canada's Capital, congratulations on your election to Ottawa City Council. For those returning to Council, we look forward to continuing our engagement with you. For the new Council members, we hope to get to know you as we work together to protect and preserve greenspace and make Ottawa green and liveable.

Many of you, eleven actually, participated in our candidate survey. We published some general results before the election but we have now prepared a report focused only on you, the candidates who were elected to Council. It deals with specific greenspace issues that we know will be before Council in the the upcoming term of council. We thought it would give a reading on where the new council might stand on these issues and open the door to exchanges of views and positions among yourselves and with the broader community regarding these questions. You will find an advance release of the report attached.

The Greenspace Alliance is committed to working constructively and collaboratively with elected officials to further our common aims of green and healthy city building.

Sincerely,

Paul Johanis  
Chair, Greenspace Alliance of Canada's Capital