One thing a Councillor must remember in order to preserve integrity in politics is that he or she must serve all the community, and always be accountable for his or her actions. On the other hand the true citizen is one who sees himself or herself as a member of the whole community, and a neighbour to all. None of us should ever have to entertain that old question: "Am I my brother's keeper?". And no one can really fault a community which adheres to the principle that all persons are responsible in some vital way for their neighbour's well-being.

There is a saying attributed to J. D. Rockefeller, Jr. which is applicable to us all: "I believe that every right implies a responsibility; every opportunity, an obligation; every possession, a duty".

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