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believe the citizens of Halton Hills deserve to be better included/informed in the decisions of council. Issues should be directly discussed with those most affected. I will bring fresh new workable ideas to the table.

WHAT ARE THE TOP THREE ISSUES FACING THE TOWN/WARD?: 1. We need to do more for our seniors. We need to develop a working plan to get more housing geared to the aged and lower income seniors and get them fast tracked. 2. We need to develop a well water policy that informs and protects private well owners. 3. Transit for seniors and others to access health care and employment in Milton and Oakville, as well more definite truck routes.

IF ELECTED, WHAT TO YOU PLAN TO ACCOMPLISH IN YOUR FIRST 100 DAYS?: I would work co-operatively with staff and other councillors to develop my ideas to address the three major issues along with new ones brought forward by concerned citizens.

HOW WILL YOU EMBRACE AND CHAMPION DIVERSITY?: I would be the councillor that will champion equity for all citizens. One of the reasons I am running is to have a more inclusive council that will hear all concerns no matter who or where you come from.

JOSEPH RACINSKY

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OCCUPATION: Currently seeking a place on town

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council full time.

PREVIOUS POLITICAL EXPERIENCE: Worked in the constituency office of MPP Parm Gill, answering the phone, responding to emails and helping constituents with case work.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY: Member and volunteer at Maple Avenue Baptist Church.

WHY ARE YOU RUNNING?: There are going to be many changes in Halton Hills over the next few years. We need town councillors that are actively listening to residents as we navigate these changes. Ward 2 is a large area, and the rural residents can often feel forgotten or left out. It's my desire to change that.

WHAT ARE THE TOP THREE ISSUES FACING THE TOWN/WARD?: 1) Development and growth; 2) The environment; 3) Speeding

IF ELECTED, WHAT DO YOU PLAN TO ACCOMPLISH IN YOUR FIRST 100 DAYS?: One of the first things town council will have to do is prepare the budget for the upcoming year. When it comes to the budget, I would like to advocate for a greater focus on essential services. Snow removal, fire services, hydro and most importantly road maintenance and infrastructure. These things affect every resident of Halton Hills. They need to be well taken care of.

HOW WILL YOU EMBRACE AND CHAMPION DIVERSITY?: Everyone knows that I'm a young person. Sadly, very few young people get in-

involved or care about local government. It is my hope that I can motivate young people here in Halton Hills to get involved and make a difference. We live in an amazing country, province and town. Let's work hard to keep it the best.

BRYAN ROBINSON

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OCCUPATION: Operate real estate business in Glen Williams. Small business owner in Halton Hills for 30+ years.

PREVIOUS POLITICAL EXPERIENCE: None.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY: Volunteer firefighter, Halton Hills (2016-22), member of technical rescue team; active committee member Glen Williams Town Hall board of trustees; co-chair 2022 Canada Day in the Glen committee; volunteer Georgetown Bread Basket (2015-16).

WHY ARE YOU RUNNING?: A passion to serve my community and make positive changes. Our community is facing significant growth in the next decade. It is a critical time for our community to have a leader who understands the complexity of our ward.

WHAT ARE THE TOP THREE ISSUES FACING THE TOWN/WARD?: 1. Speeding and the safety of our community. Small measures have been implemented; however, more pressure on law enforcement and additional speed control systems are necessary. 2. Heavy commercial vehicles have been in-

creasing daily in Ward 2. A plan is needed before the volume of heavy commercial trucks increases due to new developments. 3. Ensure the secondary plans of Ward 2 are enforced so together we can continue to protect historical and environmental areas.

IF ELECTED, WHAT TO YOU PLAN TO ACCOMPLISH IN YOUR FIRST 100 DAYS?: Public safety is my main concern. Place more pressure on law enforcement and add additional speed control systems to help control the speeding issues.

HOW WILL YOU EMBRACE AND CHAMPION DIVERSITY?: I plan to work with all levels of government to ensure our community and its unique diversities are heard and supported.

My years of service in this community and experience in business have provided me with the right tools to effectively handle many of the complex issues our community is facing.

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OCCUPATION: social worker/psychotherapist

PREVIOUS POLITICAL EXPERIENCE: None.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT/VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY: Former board secretary CMHA-Halton Region; former volunteer North Halton Distress Centre; former editor Limehouse Memorial Hall newsletter; Timbits hockey coach, Acton.

WHY ARE YOU RUNNING?: I am running because I care about Halton Hills and building a community for



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Bryan Robertson photo

BRYAN ROBINSON

the future for our children, families and seniors. I care about creating and maintaining a place where everyone feels welcome and can enjoy the prosperity and joy that comes with living in Halton Hills.

WHAT ARE THE TOP THREE ISSUES FACING THE TOWN/WARD?: 1. Development. No one wants to see the continued destruction of our rural areas in the name of sprawl, and costly new roads and infrastructure to maintain. I support intensification inside the urban boundary. 2. Housing affordability. Many of our seniors and young adults are unable to stay in Halton Hills. There are few options for rental properties and rents are unaffordable for many. I support low-rise, medium-rise and mixed use development. 3. Roads. I am opposed to the



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Peter Snow photo

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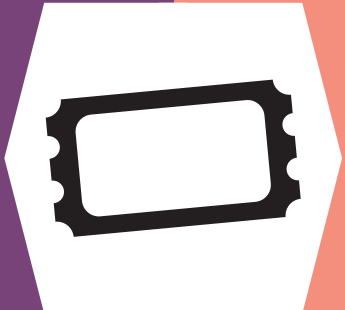
construction of Hwy. 413. I support improved speed limitations and safety initiatives in rural areas and transit improvements to decrease the load on rural roads.

IF ELECTED, WHAT DO YOU PLAN TO ACCOMPLISH IN YOUR FIRST 100 DAYS?: I want to focus on building strong relationships with the council and new mayor.

I will push for immediate action on housing affordability.

HOW WILL YOU EMBRACE AND CHAMPION DIVERSITY?: I want a council that is compassionate and understands the broad experiences of the people who live here. I fully support new initiatives for LGBT, BIPOC, Indigenous and new Canadians, including specific policies to ensure diverse voices are included in decision-making.

GOT PLANS FOR THE WEEKEND?



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