

Lee, Malboeuf look to retain their regional council posts

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The Champion

Two more contenders have entered Milton's electoral race.

Rick Malboeuf and Barry Lee have filed their nomination papers seeking re-election as municipal and regional councillors in the November 13 election.

Mr. Malboeuf is currently completing his first term as the representative of Wards 2 and 4, and also serves as a regional councillor in Halton.

"The three years experience has helped, but I'm ready for three more years," he said. "I think there's still things to be done." Throughout his term, Mr. Malboeuf has advocated fewer councillors as an approach to a more open and efficient local government.

He'll continue to lobby in that direction, noting that Milton shouldn't have more elected officials than Toronto.

"That's a disparity I don't think needs to be there," he said. "Some restructuring needs to take place."

But advocating fewer politicians doesn't mean contenders should go unchallenged, said Mr. Malboeuf.

"I don't think everyone should be acclaimed," he said. "I'm ready to campaign and I stand on my record."

In the future, he'll look for managed growth and tax relief for residents through slot machine revenues.

And he feels he can bring a fresh look at council issues to the table.

"It's a different perspective than some people who have been on council for a long time," he said. "I voice the opinions I hear on the street."

Mr. Lee is the councillor for Wards 1 and 3, and also serves on regional council.

He was first elected locally in 1988, then successfully ran for the regional post in 1991.

He feels his experience will be

an asset when it comes to issues such as the reconfiguration of regional government.

"I don't have any big answers for that, but I think it'll help to have someone on council who has been around the horn," he said. "Our own situation isn't that bad. Why unravel something that's working?"

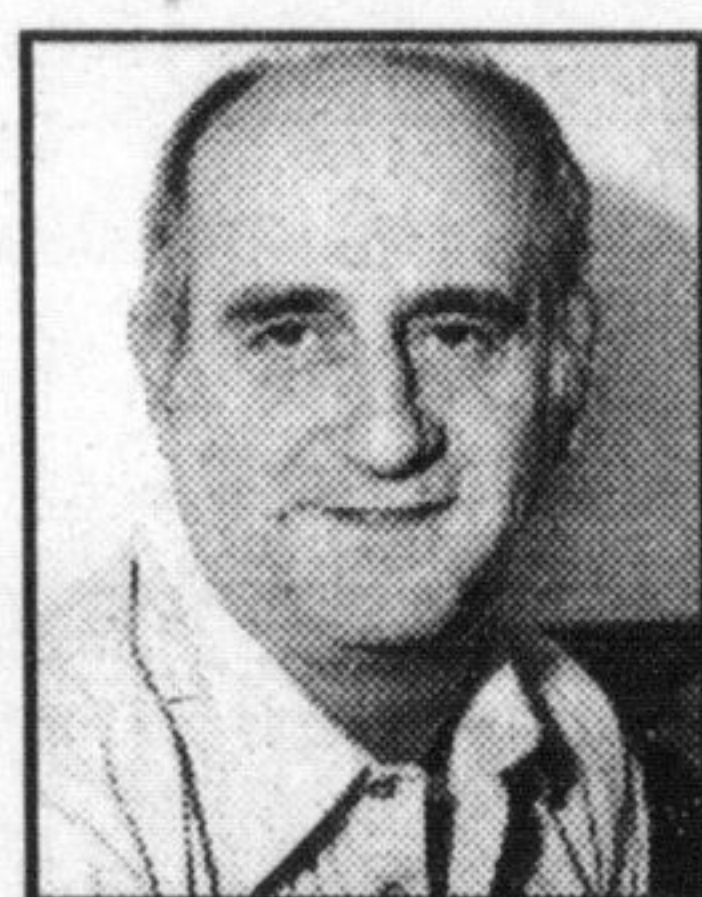
New growth is also on his mind.

"This urban growth is going to change things and I do have concerns it will have an impact on my wards," said Mr. Lee. "I feel strongly about this area. I think we've got something here."

Mr. Lee also expressed concern that current residents will end up footing the bill for portions of new growth.

"I am concerned it will intrude on the general levy."

Two Milton councillors as well as the mayor represent the town on Halton regional council.



Rick Malboeuf



Barry Lee

Worker hurt

An Acton man escaped serious injury in an industrial accident at Bronte Street's P.L. Robertson last Friday morning.

The 22-year-old employee was operating machinery when a coil of wire came loose and punctured his neck, causing heavy bleeding.

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The accident is being investigated.

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