



RE-ELECT

GEOFF DAWE

AURORA'S MAYOR

FACTS MATTER. EXPERIENCE COUNTS.

As Your Mayor, I am proud to have shaped Aurora into a vibrant and prosperous community that is nationally-recognized as one of the best places to live in Canada.

When my wife Henny and I moved here 41 years ago, we fell in love with Aurora's balance of modern amenities and rural charm. When we decided to start our family, we pledged to preserve this delicate

balance of economic prosperity and natural heritage, for the benefit of our three wonderful daughters.

It's a promise I have kept over four decades of community and volunteer work, and eight years as Your Mayor.

During this election, you will hear **many dubious claims by my opponents**. I believe that facts matter and experience counts!

Claim: Aurora's economy is under-performing its neighbours.

 **FACT:**

False! Under my leadership, Aurora attained the highest rate of job growth in York Region.

We welcomed more than 300 new businesses, created more than 5,000 new jobs and are building not one, but two new major hotels.

Our economy is strong and prosperous!

Claim: We are losing our green space to development.

 **FACT:**

False! Under my leadership, with balanced growth planning, more than 40% of Aurora has been maintained as parkland, trails, wetlands and forest.

Our natural heritage is being effectively preserved while adding new parks and new trails for families to enjoy.

Claim: We are growing out of control.

 **FACT:**

False! Under my leadership, we have managed provincially-mandated growth effectively and are below predicted targets by 6%.

I recently joined Mayors across the GTA to ask Premier Ford to "push the pause button" on the Places to Grow Act to re-evaluate our growth targets to ensure future growth is done responsibly and in the interests of our residents.

Claim: We are not protecting stable neighbourhoods.

 **FACT:**

False! Under my leadership, we are removing political rhetoric and doublespeak on decisions regarding the size of new homes.

We are hiring an independent housing expert to conduct consultations, so that residents can have their say on the types of homes they want in our community.

Under my leadership, Aurora has **more businesses, more jobs, more amenities** and a **higher standard of living** than at any time in our history. This didn't come by chance. It came from years of careful planning and listening to the needs of our residents.

Some of my opponents think we should turn back the clock, and undo many of the investments we made to secure a stable and prosperous future. Some think that bureaucratic motions and staff reports qualify as leadership. And some think that fabrications and falsehoods can sway residents into changing their vote.

All of my accomplishments are verified facts, available on the Town of Aurora website. All of my initiatives have been carefully documented by local media. The facts are indisputable!

I have proven that I have the leadership experience to build a secure and prosperous Aurora.

I have proven that while others talk ... I deliver!

On October 22 I ask you to help continue this proud legacy.

Vote Geoff Dawe for Mayor – Your Mayor!

“I have proven while others just talk and spin their experience ... I deliver the results that matter. During my two terms as “Your Mayor” - Aurora is now recognized as one of the best places to live in Canada ... More Businesses, More Jobs, More Amenities, for a more vibrant and prosperous Aurora”

 **PROVEN LEADERSHIP**

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