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**QUESTION 1: The City of Edmonton should take more action to make municipal land available for low-income affordable housing development (eg. surplus school land).**

Some of the municipal school sites would make for excellent low-income, affordable housing developments, some of these sites are not nearly as conducive for positive outcomes in these type of development situations.

**QUESTION 2: There is not enough subsidized housing in some neighbourhoods, and the City must ensure a better distribution in all neighbourhoods throughout Edmonton.**

People who have their housing costs subsidized need to be integrated sparingly into as many neighbourhoods as possible (which is most). The more concentrated the subsidized developments the less likely they are to succeed in raising their inhabitants to a higher standard and working towards striving for full independence.

**QUESTION 3: The City should seek to use zoning flexibility (on issues such as required parking spaces) to support the development of more affordable housing initiatives.**

Parking is often what kills the feasibility of a project for affordable housing. There should definitely be more flexibility in the zoning when we are dealing with this market segment which is already challenged.

**QUESTION 4: The City should commit funding to extend the Cornerstones Affordable Housing program.**

No answer.

**QUESTION 5: The City should create a comprehensive plan to address the need for thousands of units of affordable housing in a comprehensive and coordinated way that includes attention to schools, public transportation, and community services.**

No answer.

**QUESTION 6: The City is doing a good job to end chronic homelessness through the current 10 Year Plan and the work of the Edmonton Homeless Commission.**

No answer.

**QUESTION 7: The City must be more active in advocating with the provincial and federal governments for more funding and better policies on affordable housing.**

No answer.

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**QUESTION 8:** The City must develop better ways to gather views of all residents about housing issues and not depend so significantly on input from community leagues and developers.

No answer.

**QUESTION 9:** Finally, you may provide any additional comments about any other aspects of housing and homelessness.

No answer.