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## DEPUTY MAYOR – CANDIDATE INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

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As per the Appointment Policy to Fill Vacancy on Council each of the candidates will be asked the five (5) questions approved by Council. The questions will be asked by the CAO for consistency purposes. The order of speaking will be determined by lot. The Clerk will place the names of all candidates in a container and randomly draw the names. Fifteen (15) minutes will be allotted for each interview to ensure a fair, effective and efficient process.

The final approved questions are as follows:

1. Please address why you would like to be a Member of Council and elaborate on your long and short term visions for the Municipality of Mississippi Mills?
2. What do you see as the immediate challenges facing the Municipality and Lanark County and what are your suggestions as to how to address them?
3. One of the roles of Council is to maintain the financial integrity of the Municipality. How does your experience lend itself to fulfilling this responsibility?
4. Council may make decisions that not all members of the public agree with. Outline how you would address an unhappy citizen and explain how your experiences have equipped you to deal with these types of situations. Please include your thoughts on social media.
5. The position of Deputy Mayor acts as the Mayor in his/her absence. Can you highlight what qualities, attributes and experience you have that demonstrate consensus building and leadership?

**Part 1 – Interview stage will take place on Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. at Almonte Old Town Hall.**