



PLATFORM 08

RESPECT FOR OUR NEIGHBOURS

Working together to get things done.



A Positive Path Forward
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Burned bridges. Lost opportunities.

When Langley stops showing up, the money and the decisions go elsewhere.

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Neighbouring municipalities we share borders, roads and common challenges with: Langley City, Surrey, Abbotsford, Pitt Meadows and Maple Ridge.

SHARED BORDERS

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First Nations to work with on issues of concern to our residents: Kwantlen, Katzie, Semiahmoo and Matsqui.

RELATIONSHIPS THAT MATTER

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A standing working group of three councillors and three trustees, plus a meeting with the School Board at least once a year.

COUNCIL AND SCHOOL BOARD

Langley Township doesn't exist on an island. We share borders, roads, and common challenges with the City of Langley, Surrey, Abbotsford, Pitt Meadows, and Maple Ridge, and we depend on working relationships with the School District, Fraser Health, TransLink, Metro Vancouver, the provincial and federal governments, and their various agencies.

Burned bridges and political vendettas cost taxpayers money. Respectful relationships bring home opportunities, transit service, infrastructure dollars, and grants. Langley Strong will rebuild those partnerships – showing up, speaking respectfully, and working together to get things done for Langley.

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How Langley Strong will restore respect for our neighbours

- 01** Rebuild and enhance working relationships with the City of Langley and Fraser Health – starting with shared services that save money on both sides.
- 02** Build a regional alliance with our municipal neighbours to press the Province and TransLink on improving roads and adding transit to the corridors choking us all.
- 03** Reopen honest, respectful, forward-looking conversations with TransLink and the provincial and federal governments so Langley stops leaving opportunity, grant money and infrastructure dollars on the table. Treat every level of government as a potential partner in making Langley better, and bring those dollars home.
- 04** Meet with the Langley School Board at least annually, and create a working group of three councillors and three trustees to keep lines of communication open.
- 05** Work with the Kwantlen, Katzie, Semiahmoo, and Matsqui First Nations on issues of concern to our residents. In an era where court and political views of Indigenous rights and title are shifting rapidly, it is more important than ever to have good relationships with Indigenous leaders. Langley Strong is committed to protecting private property rights and publicly-owned Township lands, and to advancing reconciliation through relationship and shared prosperity.
- 06** Show up. Return the Township to the gathered tables of organizations and charities where information is shared and decisions about services in Langley get made, instead of leaving an empty chair.

OUR COMMITMENT

Our Langley Strong commitment

SHOW UP AND DO THE WORK

Grant money flows to the councils that show up and do the work, not the ones that pick fights.

PLAY ON THE SAME TEAM

Our kids play on the same teams as kids from Langley City and Surrey – our governments should be able to play on the same team too. Working together gets more done.

BURNED BRIDGES COST MONEY

Every burned bridge with TransLink, Victoria and Ottawa is money Langley taxpayers end up covering themselves.

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