

## YOUR 3 CITY COUNCILOR CANDIDATES

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# YOUR VOTE COUNTS!

**Get out and vote! On Election Day (October 20, 2025), voting stations are open between 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. Advance voting is from October 6 – 11.**

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### Kourtney Penner (Independent)

[cortlaborate.ca](https://cortlaborate.ca)

Penner was elected Ward 11 councillor in 2021. She is a past president of the Haysboro Community Association. Penner says she is seeking re-election to expand projects implemented in her first term, such as free transit for children under 12. She also says the city continues "to struggle with political binaries and division" and wants to provide accountable leadership that works across partisan lines.

### Rob Ward (Communities First party)

[robward11.ca](https://robward11.ca)

Ward is a marketing manager who ran in Ward 11 in the 2021 election, placing second with more than 10,000 votes (Penner won with 10,889). Ward is chair of the Willow Park Charitable Golf Classic. An outspoken opponent of blanket rezoning, Ward says city hall needs "a more balanced approach" to redevelopment. He is campaigning on "common sense governance" and cutting wasteful city projects.

### Alex Williams (The Calgary Party)

[alexwilliamsyyc.ca](https://alexwilliamsyyc.ca)

Williams is a professional podcast editor and co-founder of Calgary Transit Riders, an initiative to advocate for "safer, more accessible, and more efficient public transportation" throughout the city. Williams has also volunteered with More Neighbours Calgary, a housing advocacy group. He says his vision is a city "where council delivers on the basics—the things that make a real difference in our daily lives."

# WARD 11

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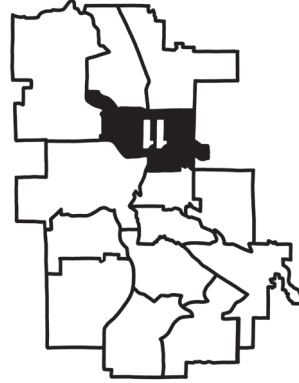
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102,435  
(2021)

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11