

Tony Caterina for Mayor Edmonton, Oct. 20, 2025

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I would like to sincerely thank Amarjeet Sohi for his public service and wish him all the best in his future endeavours.

That being said, this is undoubtedly the best outcome for the city of Edmonton. The fact is, he has proven to be a weak leader as our mayor. Out-of-control spending and large tax increases year after year during his tenure have hurt Edmontonians. Many areas and the way the city is being run are broken. Mayor Sohi is leaving Edmonton in worse shape than when he began.

While he enjoyed many positive and cheerful meetings with his good friend Justin Trudeau over the past three and a half years, there has been an ongoing series of conflicts between the mayor and our provincial government. Mayor Sohi didn't build a strong, professional relationship with the Alberta's leaders, and this has harmed Edmonton in numerous ways. For example, at the end of October 2024, Mayor Sohi hired a consultant—an ex- Conservative MP—to lobby the provincial government for more funding in the 2025 provincial budget. The cost wasn't disclosed to the public because it fell below the \$250,000 disclosure threshold. Additionally, Mayor Sohi launched a website urging Edmontonians to pressure Alberta MLAs for more money. This was his job to do. The website went live without city councillors even knowing it was in the works—a clear sign of poor teamwork and leadership.

The provincial government has also sidelined him deliberately. They've launched new initiatives, naming appointed councillors at public events, without informing the mayor in advance. Some examples are provided in the links below.

Edmonton needs a reset; it needs a strong leader. As the next mayor of Edmonton, I am the best person for the job. I will get Edmonton back on track and fix the areas that are broken.

As for Tim Cartmell? Sorry, he's essentially the same as Amarjeet Sohi. They voted the same way 88.7% of the time. While appearing on Real Talk, Ryan Jespersen asked, "What's another area where you'd say you're dramatically different from Amarjeet Sohi? What's one thing you see very differently than he does?" Tim's response? "Uh, well, I don't know that we see it differently. My approach is different."

They are the same person! Do Edmonton voters want to continue down this same path?

Vote Tony Caterina for Mayor on October 20, 2025.

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Background story links;

*Mayor Sohi and Councillor Cartmell voting together 88.7% of the time. Sept 2021

<https://edmontonjournal.com/news/local-news/data-highlights-voting-patterns-coalitions-among-edmonton-city-councillors>

*Nixon accuses Sohi of 'bizarre decision' on homelessness while vacationing in Hawaii. Jan. 12, 2024

<https://edmonton.ctvnews.ca/nixon-accuses-sohi-of-bizarre-decision-on-homelessness-while-vacationing-in-hawaii-1.6723824>

*Edmonton social issue task force unveiled by UCP, but Sohi says city was shut out. Dec 14, 2022.

<https://edmontonjournal.com/news/local-news/edmonton-social-issue-task-force-unveiled-by-ucp-but-sohi-says-city-was-shut-out>

*Edmonton Mayor Sohi picks fight with province Oct 08, 2024

<https://edmontonjournal.com/opinion/columnists/keith-gerein-edmonton-mayor-amarjeet-sohi-second-term>

*The City of Edmonton hires lobbyists to pressure the province. Oct. 25, 2024

<https://www.msn.com/en-ca/news/other/the-city-of-edmonton-hires-lobbyists-to-pressure-the-province-calgary-doesn-t-bother/ar-AA1sWsCL>

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