

# TANYA COSGRAVE

COUNCILLOR CANDIDATE



*My name is Tanya Cosgrave and I have been a Lions Bay resident for 31 years. Born and raised in this village, Lions Bay was woven into my DNA from birth. I left the village in 1990 to spread my wings. Torn between a passion for music and an affinity*

*for business, I decided to attend Capilano College's business administration program. From there, I started my business TAG Sales Inc. This started as a wholesale sport clothing agency and distribution business and eventually morphed into Peak Golf, a full-service Golf store that my husband Roger runs today. When my children were born, I wanted them to be embraced by this spectacular community. Before we'd even found a home here, I drove my children out to the Lions Bay Playschool. I sat on the Lions Bay Playschool committee as Vice Chair and Chair, during my children's tenure. I was also recruited into the Lions Bay Events committee, where I still volunteer today. I certified myself as a Music Together early childhood teacher and opened a centre here in the village, that still runs at Broughton Hall. I also teach for Westside Music Together in West Vancouver. I currently sit as Vice Chair on the LBCSF board (Lions Bay Community Scholarship Foundation). What a privilege it is to be involved in children's lives from birth through graduation in the village. My name is Tanya Cosgrave, and I am honoured to be running for councillor.*

## PLATFORM

### FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY:

A buzz word for all electoral candidates. But what does it mean to me? In the simplest of terms, understanding the bag of money in, cannot exceed the bag of money out.

- Prioritize and streamline expenses
- Utilize government grants whenever possible

### ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY:

None of our candidates platforms, hopes or dreams for this village will mean anything if a fire wipes us off the map. I would...

- Focus on Emergency Preparedness
- Insist on Fire safety in our forests and on our trails.
- Encourage and resource individual home water collection.
- Find ways to reduce, reuse, and recycle waste as individuals and as municipality.

### COMMUNICATION:

Endeavour to restore respectful communication and resolution between community, staff, council and mayor.

- Hire local when possible and when it makes sense.
- Respectfully listen to all community concerns.
- Build long lasting trust among the citizens of Lions Bay.

## FUTURE

### RESPECTFUL, SUSTAINABLE GROWTH:

Create space for our mature residents, allowing them to age in place and stay within a community they know and love. They are our history and our future.

- Reopen the interim policy 2201 reviewed by our CAO on June 7, 2022 and deferred to the new incoming council, to allow properties to subdivide, potential duplexes or condos to be erected... respectfully and sustainably.

### COMMUNITY CONNECTION:

Encourage and increase volunteerism and community spirit.

- Create a streamlined program to help out neighbours in need.

### MY AGENDA:

*A desire to leave this community healthy and sustainable for the future generations. I will endeavour to leave it better than I found it.*

Serving **YOU**  
My Community

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