

Hi there,

It's important to have police available to support the public in enforcing the law when it comes to harmful criminal activity.

When it comes to basic human rights, such as the enforcement of restricting local businesses in Montreal and Quebec to represent themselves in French dominantly is, quite a ridiculous resource of money considering the circumstances were faced with now. It's just a language we wouldn't lose our Montreal culture, English is Part of our cultural identity just as much as French is. We need to focus on welcoming bilingualism in our cultures and disassemble the aggression built up with the idealism of a preserved French culture. We have cheese curds, bagels inclusivity and franglais, that's what our culture is.

Hearing about numerous education buildings not having had governmental support the reparations of a global pandemic, there should be more efforts put into actual support for civilians rather than superficial initiatives such as painting the walls of a highway blue (20) without repair to celebrate an establishment anniversary.

Therefore, I present a few ideas of how police funding can be reallocated towards more impactful public services.

- more public funding of housing initiatives for the homeless, supporting lgbtq+, refugees and
- investing funds into stabilizing the economy by making housing more accessible and affordable despite lower income areas.
- actually fixing the roads
- invest more time in urban planning to Ensure budget isn't wasted with incompatible additions to city infrastructure, such as having to rebuild bridges after spending 11M dollars on one.

If funding is better allocated to the services who need it most, we can get more people off the streets, cleaned up, working and contributing to a stable economy. Right now the support is improving but it's not strong enough, there is a housing crisis and condo developments aren't helping.

Thanks for reading.