

BRAMPTON LOCAL PULSE

From Councillor Santos



Fletchers Creek Blvd Neighbourhoods

Featuring hyper-local updates from
Councillor Rowena Santos

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Local Pulse Online

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Local Heroes

Highlighting a few residents that live in the neighbourhood and are working to make it better



"Knights Table is here to serve our very vibrant and diverse communities. We believe no one should face hunger alone, and every day, we're reminded of what's possible when people come together with kindness, purpose, and hope."

Annie Bynoe, Knights Table - Exec. Director



"We unite to create safer streets, foster community pride, and ensure everyone feels secure in our neighbourhood."

Pritpal Singh Nagra - Community Advocate



"I care deeply about keeping our community safe. This is a team effort and it's great to work with neighbours and Councillor Santos to bring out the best in our neighbourhood."

Andre Ramkissoon - Community Safety Advocate

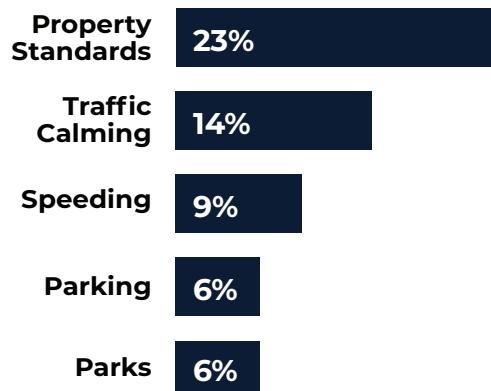


"Active and engaged seniors keeps our city vibrant. Councillor Santos supports seniors to stay connected, active, and involved."

Kulwant Singh Kailey - President Homestead Seniors Club

Top Issues

We monitor service requests in the neighbourhood and proactively address concerns



My team and I work to address issues immediately. I also work with Council to enact longer term solutions, including the Residential Rental Licensing (RRL) program, enhanced bylaw enforcement operations and 360-degree cameras and licence plate recognition technology at problematic intersections.

Report it so we can track it!

The best way to report city issues is online at 311Brampton.ca where you can upload photos. Please note your COBI reference # which you can send to my office for follow-up.



311Brampton.ca

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Councillor Santos serves on the board of the Toronto Region Conservation Authority, prioritizing our environment and projects like Riverwalk. As a Director on the Federation of Canadian Municipalities Board, she advocates for housing affordability, infrastructure, and a fair share of funding from the federal government.



Public Safety

Improving public safety is a top priority for me. I supported the Peel Police budget to hire a historic 300 new officers this year. I also conducted a text survey, and here's what residents shared as top issues:



Pelhum Communications



Crime Prevention Series



Safer Drivers Petition

Communities are safer when we all do our part and improve our personal safety. I organized a crime prevention workshop with Peel Police. Sign up for the upcoming online crime prevention education series based on the live workshop. Please also sign our Safer Drivers = Safer Roads petition.

Road Safety Underway

Community Safety Zones:

Dwellers Rd
Fletchers Creek Blvd

Speed Cushions:

Olde Town Rd

Automated Speed Enforcement (ASE) Cameras:

Fletchers Creek Blvd. NB near Tiller Trail
Fletchers Creek Blvd. SB near Gold Hill Rd.
Dwellers Rd. EB near Fletchers Creek Blvd.

Park Enhancements

Homestead Park

- volleyball nets, soccer nets, court leveling, fencing

Two local parks have been renamed following collaboration between the City's Equity Office and the Indigenous community. Both parks also received fully renovated playgrounds, rubber surfacing and shade shelters.

Whitewash Parkette is now **Mashkiki** [Mash-kee-kee], an Anishinaabe (Ojibwe) word symbolizing connection to the land and the strength of Mother Earth.

Residential Rental Licensing



The Residential Rental Licensing (RRL) Program cracks down on slum landlords and prioritizes safe housing and quality of life. 3,227 units have been licensed as of February 2025. Escalating fines are now in place for repeat offenders for illegal parking, garbage, overgrown grass, and snow removal. By-law Enforcement is now proactively enforcing through unannounced blitzes.

By-law Enforcement

Effective bylaw enforcement is necessary to successfully address issues related to RRL and illegal rentals. As a result of resident feedback, I championed an operational review of by-law enforcement which resulted in:

- Hiring 40 additional officers
- Proactive enforcement in hot-spots
- Prioritization of property standards
- Escalating fines for repeat offenders
- Community standards blitzes
- Improved standard operating procedures

Community Services

We are increasing investments in community services:

- Safety investments to prevent encampments
- Hiring 24 additional firefighters
- Increasing recreation programs by 5%
- Free recreation access for Seniors 65+ years old

Community Note



Animal feces that are left uncleared in parks and other areas pose a risk to your health. Young children are especially susceptible. City's Parklands By-Law 161-83 requires all animal owners to clean animal waste from parkland and boulevards.