

Good morning. My wife and I went for some Christmas shopping downtown this past weekend and were more than shocked to see a fairly wide range of tents and makeshift dwellings in the town square across from the Quebec mall and spilling into lanes and sidewalks. I understand the challenges of homelessness and addiction but surely we can't allow the downtown to be over run this way, the way we've seen other parts of the city. We won't be going back under these circumstances. What's being done to rectify the mess downtown? Do you want to preside over the decay of such a beautiful and important element of Guelph's vibrancy?

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