

## John Kovac Councillor, Ward 4 City of Mississauga

John Kovac represents Ward 4 in the City of Mississauga, having been elected as City and Regional Councillor in 2015's municipal by-election. He is the current Chair of the City's Arts, Culture and Heritage Ad-Hoc Committee, Vice-Chair of the City's Public Vehicle Advisory Committee and a member of a multitude of other City boards, committees and working groups, including the Planning and Development Committee and the HLRT Ad-Hoc Council Working Group.

Born and raised in Mississauga, Councillor Kovac grew up in the Rathwood neighbourhood which stretches through Wards 3 and 4. He has an Honours Bachelor of Arts Degree, majoring in History and English Literature from the University of Toronto, St. Michael's College.

Prior to serving as the representative of Ward 4, Councillor Kovac worked for a local area Member of Parliament and also served as political aide to a Member of Provincial Parliament/Cabinet Minister. Recognizing the unique potential Mississauga has as Canada's sixth largest city, Councillor Kovac remains excited by the task of helping oversee the City's transition to a high growth, arts friendly and transit-oriented destination, particularly in the City's downtown core.