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“During summer, it stinks in Longueuil” - Jean-Marc Léveillé

Longueuil, August 23, 2021 — The team of Longueuil Citoyen - Équipe Jean-Marc Léveillé sees it every day in its door-to-door, garbage collection has become a problem for citizens, especially during heat waves. The candidate for Mayor, Jean-Marc Léveillé, proposes to increase the frequency of garbage collection during the summer to solve the problems of odors and vermin that accumulate.

“The change to the garbage collection every two weeks was a hasty decision and poorly deployed in Longueuil. One just has to pass through the neighborhoods to feel the fruit of the decision. Obviously it was a well-intentioned mistake, but now we need to correct the situation. Clean and safe streets for everyone, this is what we want for our city and this is what I will deliver if I am elected mayor on November 7”, said Jean-Marc Léveillé.

For the latter, however, there is no question of going back on the objectives of reducing waste that goes to landfill. But faced with the apparent rigidity of the City in the management of garbage collection, Jean-Marc Léveillé wishes to offer more flexibility to citizens, especially the elderly, the disabled, vacationers, large families, families with babies and daycares, during the summer period which is more conducive to nuisance caused by garbage.

“We can very well reduce our waste and collect it well. It’s a matter of common sense”, concluded the mayoral candidate.

Lévis, Pointe-Claire, Saguenay and Shawinigan are four examples of cities in Quebec that have also had to introduce a summer garbage collection to meet the needs of their citizens.

Longueuil Citoyen's electoral platform is available on the party's website: <https://longueuilcitoyen.com/english/notre-programme/>