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Reference 1 - 0.01% Coverage

Have a big uptown city park

Reference 2 - 0.02% Coverage

Clean up shopping centers along Independence.

Reference 3 - 0.05% Coverage

Add bus routes and or more buses to existing routes. establish more park and ride stations.

Reference 4 - 0.02% Coverage

develop uptown greenways and parks, expand them

Reference 5 - 0.22% Coverage

light rail expansion, especially north. Consider including access to areas such as Lake Wylie, Lake Norman, Davidson. Not supportive of Streetcar - too expensive and same service could be provided more efficiently by busses. Sad that many historic buildings are demolished, losing our charm and history. Need more green space, pocket parks. Enhance foot traffic and retail uptown to make it more attractive for uptown workers

Reference 6 - 0.18% Coverage

A strong transportation system that includes expanded light rail service; strong public schools system that puts diversity and achievement at the top of the list; elimination of segregated housing patterns; low unemployment; balanced allocation of public and private funds to promote expanded green space and other quality of life amenities in all neighborhoods

Reference 7 - 0.03% Coverage

More Parks and wider sidewalks the allow space for biker to share.

Reference 8 - 0.12% Coverage

Charlotte would be a GREEN environmentally friendly city with reduced crime, fewer skyscrapers, and an enormous quantity of trees, trees, trees, and more trees. In 5 years, she hopes fewer trees are cut down with ordinances to enforce same.

Reference 9 - 0.47% Coverage

Equitable distribution of resources for new developments and/or revitalization projects throughout entire city, not select areas truly revitalize being certain to include economical/affordable housing to meet the needs of displaced citizens (to prevent displacement of the citizens) Clean/keep all of CLT beautiful, not just uptown and additional select areas, including Beatties Ford Road and Johnston Road Enhance all areas within the Queen City more sidewalks within tenured areas in addition to new developments look back/review tenured area, neighborhoods, and communities and enhance and bring them forward along with new development Ideal CLT will be wherein diversity neither defined nor controlled by one segment or group of people Ideal CLT avoids the flavor of the month; right now flavor is LGBT community; talking about bathrooms more than anything else. What about other major issues/concerns taking place?

Reference 10 - 0.02% Coverage

better storm drainage system to improve flooding

Reference 11 - 0.04% Coverage

finish greenway connector system; and continue to do stream restoration projects

Reference 12 - 0.07% Coverage

Greenway will extend much further. More attention will be focused on greenway and walking and trying to get people outside and walking/biking.

Reference 13 - 0.19% Coverage

less traffic improved smoother roadways with less pot holes more outdoor parks and activities for children activities in all neighborhoods, not just certain neighborhoods All resources for schools should be equitably distributed versus select schools receiving the majority of resources Improve the quality of teachers; many teachers are not as seasoned as need to be

Reference 14 - 0.03% Coverage

Connect greenway, avoid on street connectors, use rail trails,

Reference 15 - 0.04% Coverage

More eco friendly, more mass transit, lower cost of living and home prices

Reference 16 - 0.01% Coverage

cleaner with more parks

Reference 17 - 0.06% Coverage

-continue to expand light rail, streetcar to new areas -continue to expand greenways -make it a more pedestrian friendly city

Reference 18 - 0.05% Coverage

Improving routes into uptown. Coming into the city looks dirty with trash etc. make those areas better

Reference 19 - 0.18% Coverage

would love to see a metro train operating in all parts of the City, such as the light rail running bi-directional eastbound and westbound, not just northbound and southbound; hopes that Charlotte remains a clean, friendly environment; would love to enjoy Charlotte with little to no traffic or at least with a tremendous decrease in the volume of traffic

Reference 20 - 0.20% Coverage

additional employment activities to open up for whomever desires a job; settle political issues by working together as one unit; improvements within the CMS school system; positive changes with citizens and police organization such that situations become less intense and there is less fear experienced by citizens; more plazas and parks so that people may enjoy environment while eating lunch outside

Reference 21 - 0.04% Coverage

- Very clean City - Plan to move here because the weather is better than other cities

Reference 22 - 0.10% Coverage

expanded use and availability of parks; maintenance and expansion of frequently used parks such as Freedom Park and Romare Bearden; more availability and access to green space to enjoy the outdoors

Reference 23 - 0.09% Coverage

- more businesses - more headquarters, like corporate centers - increase employment opportunities - more parks uptown, like Freedom park within the City - playground for children

Reference 24 - 0.10% Coverage

he hopes to retire in Charlotte, so wants it to be a nice retirement area with amenities and programs targeted to retirees; more park options with easy accessibility; easy access to mountains

Reference 25 - 0.05% Coverage

finish/improve the greenway system (make it easier to travel around the City on the greenway)

Reference 26 - 0.04% Coverage

Healthier environment, better air, controlled development, kids outside, more cycling

Reference 27 - 0.01% Coverage

-Maintain trees on roadways.

Reference 28 - 0.01% Coverage

More open spaces

Reference 29 - 0.03% Coverage

Better localized transportation and larger outdoor gathering spaces.

Reference 30 - 0.04% Coverage

lots of natural areas, maybe camping options (did not elaborate)

more parks

Reference 31 - 0.03% Coverage

would like to have "food truck city" like Portland, more greenways

Reference 32 - 0.08% Coverage

-continue to support public transportation (light-rail, street car, buses, walking trails) -improve air quality -promote Charlotte as a tourist attraction

Reference 33 - 0.06% Coverage

Cleaner City; put God back in schools; Black on Black crime (We (Blacks) need to own that and offer solutions)

Reference 34 - 0.13% Coverage

Have a Beach, more to do close by, more shopping close to neighborhoods, more entertainment, more people, major league soccer and baseball, clean water, separate bathroom per sex, better economy and more money for all, fresh food, healthier restaurants

Reference 35 - 0.09% Coverage

More trees, more green, have people be open, considerate, with good communication and dialog

between people of all ages and races, have everyone bring their opinion table,

Reference 36 - 0.05% Coverage

Protect green space, plan development well, best schools so that people are willing to come to Charlotte

Reference 37 - 0.05% Coverage

More green inattentive, more bike lanes, sidewalks, etc. less car dependent, lower carbon foot print,

Reference 38 - 0.09% Coverage

Better version of now, environmentally conscious, less car dependent, good schools, uptown shopping with flourishing retail, accepting of LGBT and diversity in general,

Reference 39 - 0.06% Coverage

Contain urban spread and be more bike friendly. Would like to see more bike lanes and greenways paths to get around town.

Reference 40 - 0.22% Coverage

She's excited about the changes taking place in the University Area with the JW Clay Streetscape project and the I-85 North Bridge coming in. She likes that there will be access to the greenway and will be more walkable like the South End has become. She would like to see more entertainment options and thinks that having more retail in uptown will boost business and foster expansion of smaller restaurants and more entertainment.

Reference 41 - 0.08% Coverage

Neighborhood equality for prices and crime expand the city but keep the charm good place to work, raise a family, clean big city, small neighborhoods

Reference 42 - 0.04% Coverage

Improved connectivity of greenways Light rail completion Tennis complex

Reference 43 - 0.09% Coverage

He wants it to stay the same EXCEPT he wants more green infrastructure and architecture. He is from Pittsburgh, PA and they utilize the sun and wind more so than down here.

Reference 44 - 0.06% Coverage

Greenery among new construction Maintain park initiatives Get past politics and just be a great city
No more breweries

Reference 45 - 0.04% Coverage

Healthier and more active due to more engagement with the natural environment.

Reference 46 - 0.04% Coverage

stop building condo / apts. downtown...improve roads, clean the city up

Reference 47 - 0.05% Coverage

cleaner cut suburbs / ideal to have actual trees instead of cutting them down to make more houses

Reference 48 - 0.09% Coverage

get all greenways connected, more public access to lake norman, elect new governor- current one is an embarrassment, go back to college for education instead of money maker

Reference 49 - 0.10% Coverage

More people living uptown. Makes it cheaper for everyone to afford to live uptown. Less cars on Street and less pollution. Band the trees or spray again for cankerworms. They are awful this year.

Reference 50 - 0.07% Coverage

Better infrastructure, improved (shortened) commute times. Stop so many housing developments, we are losing all of our green space.

Reference 51 - 0.06% Coverage

I would like to see more places for people to go to get outdoors and enjoy nature. More parks with lots of ponds and trees.

Reference 52 - 0.01% Coverage

Beautiful with low crime

Reference 53 - 0.02% Coverage

Keep trees, It makes Charlotte Unique

Reference 54 - 0.03% Coverage

increase ratings in schools, safer parks for children

Reference 55 - 0.04% Coverage

A cleaner city where people can easily get around with being forced into using a car.

Reference 56 - 0.04% Coverage

More organic gardening; transportation; better places for children to have access to.

Reference 57 - 0.05% Coverage

Maybe a bigger city but nothing like Atlanta. I would love some sort of waterway uptown like San Antonio!

Reference 58 - 0.06% Coverage

HB 2 will be repealed. New Governor. More green space - in uptown and south park. More sports playing fields.

Reference 59 - 0.08% Coverage

Have Light-Rail completed and extended even more; Keep image of being a clean city with beautiful landscape and architecture; Progressive path has continued

Reference 60 - 0.05% Coverage

Create more bike ways making it safer to ride to work. Expand the greenways where possible.

Reference 61 - 0.06% Coverage

See a greener Charlotte. See less unemployment.

More parks and the replanting of the trees destroyed in over building.

Reference 62 - 0.10% Coverage

Constituent is concern with new train transportation coming up. It will be cheaper, criminals will travel to commit crimes in other parts of the city. Constituent hopes for clean and safe Charlotte

Reference 63 - 0.02% Coverage

No \$250.00 fee for business trash

Reference 64 - 0.05% Coverage

More green space Extended greenway south. More small parks. (Pocket parks - my words, not hers)

Reference 65 - 0.03% Coverage

a green City feel with historic and neighborhood charm preserved

Reference 66 - 0.02% Coverage

lower taxes and less pollution

Reference 67 - 0.09% Coverage

A clean, friendly, environmentally responsible, safe, family friendly exceptional educational opportunities, support from the community for the police, less traffic and congestion

Reference 68 - 0.09% Coverage

Better traffic patterns, more parks/greenways, police ride through all neighborhoods; not just the bad ones, more visibility of elected officials-not just during election years..

Reference 69 - 0.05% Coverage

more green space and more sidewalks etc. to make it easier to get around via ways that are not in the car

Reference 70 - 0.09% Coverage

I would love to see Charlotte still as a CLEAN world-class, Would love to see schools and neighborhoods equal in housing and schools and not so segregated as we are in 2016.

Reference 71 - 0.03% Coverage

Likes the direction the city is heading with parks and beautification

Reference 72 - 0.08% Coverage

More family friendly; less condos and apartments and more open space where are all welcome; want the smaller, homier feel of Charlotte back that once was

Reference 73 - 0.08% Coverage

Completion of the greenway and Cross Charlotte Trail. Completion of the light rail. Expand collection services to composting (like in Portland Oregon).

Reference 74 - 0.04% Coverage

Less "crowded". Less, or better handled, traffic. More parks and green areas.

Reference 75 - 0.08% Coverage

A friendly city, cleaner, citizens heard more, departments of Charlotte come out into community more. Handouts for communities in English and Spanish.

Reference 76 - 0.09% Coverage

Better public transportation. Traffic is a nightmare would like to see it get better not worse. Use less cars in 5 years. Continue to increase green spaces and increase tree save.

Reference 77 - 0.04% Coverage

More transportation options and more plans to improve water and air quality.

Reference 78 - 0.03% Coverage

Encourage more public/community spaces. More green space.

Reference 79 - 0.08% Coverage

Working in Charlotte but probably moving out to the suburbs to raise a family; would like to see continued investment in public schools and greenways

Reference 80 - 0.08% Coverage

She plans to stay in Charlotte to raise her family; she looks for continued investment in parks, tree canopy, school system to improve; politicians to get along better

Reference 81 - 0.09% Coverage

Anticipates being in Charlotte and raising a family; would like to see continued investment in greenways, outdoor activities, improvements in road conditions and bike lanes

Reference 82 - 0.04% Coverage

Higher sustainability, improved air quality, continue integrated urban planning...

Reference 83 - 0.01% Coverage

Lots of nature trails.

Reference 84 - 0.11% Coverage

Maintain and expand green space More public transportation More small business support for local business Support for local agriculture and farmers markets, bring surrounding farmers into the city to sell goods.

Reference 85 - 0.04% Coverage

More greenspace. Greenway would be expanded - like plans for 26 miles? More walkability

Reference 86 - 0.07% Coverage

Bike Trails everywhere (ones where people won't get killed). Example: you can ride a bike from Arlington to the Capital and never be in the street.

Reference 87 - 0.05% Coverage

Uptown should create and have a large central park. Some open space and green must be kept uptown.

Reference 88 - 0.05% Coverage

Vibrant. Work, live, play without a need for a car. More alternate transportation options. More parks.

Reference 89 - 0.04% Coverage

continued growth but instead expansion is outward; increase green space.

Reference 90 - 0.05% Coverage

Increase in mixed use outside of uptown area; increased growth in business to more parts of Charlotte

Reference 91 - 0.05% Coverage

A cleaner city, and wants blighted homes to be taken care of, especially in a gentryfing neighborhood.

Reference 92 - 0.17% Coverage

More greenery and green spaces Charlotte is one of the South's "best kept secrets" - looking forward to people finding that out A signature Charlotte event - a music festival, sporting event, etc that is something we did, not something that was just hosted here (ie DNC) - something internally grown that puts Charlotte on the map

Reference 93 - 0.14% Coverage

He loves Sugar Creeek greenway and hopes to see more areas like that connecting together. Light rail and public transportation crucial to growth of the city. Hopes there is preservation of historic buildings and store fronts and the city doesn't get overrun by development.

Reference 94 - 0.04% Coverage

More trees and plants everywhere; Figure out how to accommodate growth

Reference 95 - 0.02% Coverage

A community with a lot of green space.

Reference 96 - 0.11% Coverage

He would like to be able to catch a bus or streetcar or lightrail anywhere in the city. he is interested in having a real-time bus tracker to make it easier to use. He would like to see more parks available in the city.

Reference 97 - 0.03% Coverage

More parks. Added lane (s) on I-77. Lower property taxes.

Reference 98 - 0.06% Coverage

Keep extending light rail; good for outlying areas. Need little parks and open spaces. Construction is a pain, but needed.

Reference 99 - 0.09% Coverage

Wishes Charlotte would stay much the same, not grow much more and not get too "business-y". Would like to see more large parks and walking areas. Wishes apartments weren't so expensive.

Reference 100 - 0.13% Coverage

Focus on keeping downtown clean - cleanliness and recycling. Educate young kids to take care of their City. Mentioned another state that has a rich educational focus on environmental consciousness to foster environmental stewardship for a generation.

Reference 101 - 0.02% Coverage

A City that still values its "green space"

Reference 102 - 0.14% Coverage

Better growth planning. Right now a lot of development is focused on corporate business offices and would like to see more progress on the greenway, pedestrian access to restaurants, and extension of light rail. Transit to Huntersville would be very important along 77.

Reference 103 - 0.05% Coverage

To be a city that has made the part of uptown around the bus station feel safer and look cleaner.

Reference 104 - 0.03% Coverage

A city with lots of trees and parks and that isn't polluted.

Reference 105 - 0.02% Coverage

More parks and bike lanes that are safe.

Reference 106 - 0.04% Coverage

Smarter and more esthetic building developments. Lets save some trees!

Reference 107 - 0.12% Coverage

Loves green space/parks and doesn't want to loose what we have as the City grows/changes. Would like to see a really large lot around Bank of America stadium for tailgating (right now people are tailgating in various smaller lots.

Reference 108 - 0.13% Coverage

Charlotte is growing and she is happy about that. Would like to see more apartment complexes, house, stores and restaurants and coffe shops.Keep more green space and nature or it won't be Charlotte anymore. More public transportation open late night past 1 am.

Reference 109 - 0.03% Coverage

Charlotte is much safer for both the people and the environment.

Reference 110 - 0.65% Coverage

Mass transit must continue to develop momentum. There needs to be a greater push for mixed use instead of just apartments. Walkability needs to continue to progress through traffic-calming/streetscape projects. Monroe Road and Independence Corridor solutions need to be pushed because they serve a real need. She perceives that frontage road on Independence is a sign of City corruption. That space is best used as a park or light rail corridor. Planning as exhibited by growth today is disjointed and shows a lack of overall vision of Council and City. Existing

infrastructure needs to be better maintained city-wide. She perceives that Myers Park gets special priority on roadway repaving. Rama Road is desperate need of traffic calming. There are schools on that road but no parent allows children to walk to school because cars travel too quickly. Focus needs to shift toward maintaining various attractions/hubs while encouraging responsible development in surrounding areas. Charlotte needs to be more walkable. Would like to see Charlotte work with utility companies to bury utilities. She has lived through many, many hurricanes while on the coast in Florida, but experienced more power outages here due to poorly placed poles too close to traffic and vulnerabilities to ice storms.

Reference 111 - 0.02% Coverage

more light rail, maintain growth, new parks

Reference 112 - 0.07% Coverage

Passes for residents of nearby counties to use light rail to get to Charlotte. Expanded greenways, green spaces and more bike lanes.

Reference 113 - 0.04% Coverage

to keep growing without losing being friendly, clean and progressive.

Reference 114 - 0.06% Coverage

It's general; but, a cleaner safer and more opportunistic city for ALL of its citizens, especially those who pay taxes.

Reference 115 - 0.07% Coverage

More open green spaces like greenways and parks; Better access to parks and greenways for people in all parts of town; Manage growth

Reference 116 - 0.03% Coverage

major league baseball team, no more DNC's and more parks

Reference 117 - 0.09% Coverage

Focus on keeping the City pretty i.e. remove trash on the road. Keep trees & parks nice for us to show visitors. Campaign to care for our city. Public money for the above.

Reference 118 - 0.08% Coverage

Growing & Active. Like the bike trails & Charlotte Cross Trails to be completed and being utilized by

all residents. Keep the different types of buildings.

Reference 119 - 0.04% Coverage

smart growth. save the green space we have but continue to develop in a responsible way

Reference 120 - 0.19% Coverage

Connect the City with sidewalks and bike lanes so that we can be less car dependent, with investments across the City (University area seems left out presently), have public schools and teacher pay that people feel good about, where great teachers are actively recruit and retained, hve clean water and clean air, support culture, and have an express route to the beach

Reference 121 - 0.52% Coverage

the leading eco city promoting both small and local businesses a pioneer in ecology, research, clean energy, renewable energy a greener place that supports health life style choices with an emphasis on walking and biking being primary forms of transportation partnered with the best transportation system in the world a place with great education, with strong support of schools and teacher pay high enough to lure the best teacher to Charlotte a place that continues to offer opportunities and programs to kids and families so that Charlotte is a place that is both great to grow up in and live in long term, a place people want to be due to things like quality of life and education a place with clean, renewable energy, without nuclear energy and the threat of a nuclear disaster a desegregated place where people of all colors embrace their neighbors instead of ignoring them due to the color of their skin or their appearance an open minded place that embrace others and the culture they bring to Charlotte

Reference 122 - 0.22% Coverage

A place people want to live, a place that people continue to want to come to, a place that offers affordable housing, abundant parks, restaurants and neighborhoods that are improving, especially those neighborhoods that are currently run down. Build the city intentionally for safe biking and so that it is super bike friendly to the point that people want to bike instead of use their car. A place that simply has more "good stuff".

Reference 123 - 0.20% Coverage

Well funded schools with solid foundation and great education for kids, pedestrian friendly, more neighborhood parks which could be a way to encourage citizens to meet one another, promote history in Charlotte, more mass transit with trains north along I-77 and better, more efficient transit, with better connectivity, better roads, and better funding from the state to support these things

Reference 124 - 0.23% Coverage

easy access to public transportation that works effectively and provides a timely transportation choice, quality schools with good teachers/good teacher pay, trust teachers not testing to determine student

performance, have good options for the mentally ill and homeless, community gardens, use business kiosks with restrooms and waterfountains in parks to support small, local businesses and help offset the cost of park amenities and maintenance

Reference 125 - 0.07% Coverage

Wants to see better public transportation More events @ parks A better way to view events, in a comprehensive digital way across the area

Reference 126 - 0.15% Coverage

excited for BLE to open, hopes to see the transit system evolve into world-class with residents using all modes. And Eastland mall site to be redeveloped into something great. He offered up: freedom park-style park, new school, large open meeting space for residents with computers, library

Reference 127 - 0.18% Coverage

Charlotte is moving in the right direction. Greenspace is important. There have been 2 new park openings in 1 year, that is good! High density development and greenspace integrated in. More public transportation and more Bike ridership increase. Infrastructure must keep pace with growth. The Lavines are amazing. Charlotte should be a leader.

Reference 128 - 0.03% Coverage

A clean city with improved environmental initiatives

Reference 129 - 0.07% Coverage

More green areas; keep property taxes down; don't build the redline to Mooresville..this would run past her house and it's not needed.

Reference 130 - 0.07% Coverage

more use of the light rail; people recycling more; hopes to get involved politically & influence other young people to do the same

Reference 131 - 0.04% Coverage

Smaller. Because with growth comes crime, overcrowded schools, pollution and crime.

Reference 132 - 0.07% Coverage

Keep city clean, clean up bad neighborhoods, more police presence in rough neighborhoods to turn them into good neighborhoods.

Reference 133 - 0.05% Coverage

-Finish the cross trail greenway - more city investment/development of the West side of Charlotte

Reference 134 - 0.02% Coverage

Maintain and expand greenspace

Reference 135 - 0.21% Coverage

Expand the greenway to create a 'Cultural Trail' that comes through the city/uptown like the one in Indianapolis. Add more stops to the bike sharing. Parking - installed credit card parking meters with software that allows people to install an App on their smartphones that gives an alert when the meter is getting low and allows people to pay more from their phones to add time to the meters (Indianapolis does this also).

Reference 136 - 0.10% Coverage

More progressive in transportation options and clean up trash around the city. Some of the exits, example: airport and Billy Graham Parkway are littered with trash and it reflects poorly on the city.

Reference 137 - 0.02% Coverage

More parks, more affordable housing.

Reference 138 - 0.05% Coverage

More green space; retain older buildings vs. tearing down; more transportation options; reduced traffic

Reference 139 - 0.03% Coverage

cleaner streets ordinance for upkeep of parking lots

Reference 140 - 0.25% Coverage

a vibrant lively city in uptown walkable bike-able and retail at the street level. A 24 hour uptown with shopping and things to do at any time of day on any day of the week; keep adding parks, green space and connect the greenways; make biking less scary with protected and connected lanes and paths; fully connected transportation airport to trains to buses, to commuter rail to light rail to street cars - multi modes all connected and all over; focus on Human connectivity and develop to human scale

Reference 141 - 0.07% Coverage

Provide more opportunities and continue to beautify the city. Build more urban areas like Noda and Southend to promote small business owners.

Reference 142 - 0.07% Coverage

More free activities, upgrades in park systems (renovating old and building new), no more "roundabouts" built that cause traffic accidents.

Reference 143 - 0.12% Coverage

stop developing all the land and start working on preserving the trees more - they think we are too quick to take down trees and put up condos or apartments and they would like us to start trying to save trees (especially the larger ones)

Reference 144 - 0.11% Coverage

An investor in rail infrastructure Focused on small business opportunities especially in NoDa and Southend Keeping the cool areas cool Not building stupid office buildings Protecting and promoting more green space

Reference 145 - 0.03% Coverage

a vibrant place to live; also likes the cross charlotte trail idea

Reference 146 - 0.03% Coverage

More connected, cross-charlotte trail, more light rail (red line)

Reference 147 - 0.13% Coverage

- Becoming a more progressive City - Make light rail more robust - bring more companies here - maybe an In and Out Burger - Other businesses - Build up old roads - Make Infrastructure more sustainable - Do not cause negative impact on environment

Reference 148 - 0.08% Coverage

Unknown we keep putting up buildings everywhere...we are going to lose our green and uniqueness...wind up looking like every other city. Houses are on top of houses.

Reference 149 - 0.05% Coverage

trucks that can perform leaf removal, more incentives to keep good educators in the system

Reference 150 - 0.02% Coverage

Better streets, parks, and education.

Reference 151 - 0.03% Coverage

More greenways, public transit, playgrounds uptown for children.

Reference 152 - 0.06% Coverage

cleaner roadways, utilize weather & outdoor opportunities - create more experiences & places like the white water center

Reference 153 - 0.01% Coverage

Keep looking so pretty

Reference 154 - 0.02% Coverage

Maintain the clean appearance of downtown.

Reference 155 - 0.06% Coverage

A city that is clean and less crime. He continues to move further out of the city's boundaries to get more peace and quiet.

Reference 156 - 0.02% Coverage

Ideal in 5 years -more green space

Reference 157 - 0.06% Coverage

Green, walkable (accessible), connected, engaged. Recognized as most welcoming, open and progressive city in the Southeast.

Reference 158 - 0.08% Coverage

1. Wants Charlotte to still be clean 2. Wants everyone to have the opportunity to succeed regardless of race, religion, where they live, income, etc.

Reference 159 - 0.16% Coverage

nix development of business residential and green space become high tech innovation city provide incentives to residence to reduce pollution (for example incentive for driving electric vehicle) preservation of farm land expand local farmer's market around city establish additional museum (for example Asian art museum)

Reference 160 - 0.10% Coverage

Thinks it's great the way it is; would like only a little more growth, not too much (particularly outward growth); would like it to be a clean city with its identity intact; not like Atlanta.

Reference 161 - 0.05% Coverage

True uptown shopping options, more greenways and more extensive hospital and healthcare options

Reference 162 - 0.07% Coverage

More greenways, fields, parks and recreation facilities More places to play More mass transportation (South End to Park Rd., Park Rd. to Uptown)

Reference 163 - 0.12% Coverage

Would like to see the continued growth, but controlled, maintaining some green space please! We are a city of trees! Embrace the historic buildings more restoration and utilization. Affordable, good housing options for the poor and elderly.

Reference 164 - 0.03% Coverage

Make that park over I 277. Have light rail to airport.

Reference 165 - 0.05% Coverage

More walkability. More plazas or parks for gathering Less homelessness More affordable housing

Reference 166 - 0.15% Coverage

Very walkable with greenway connections and a variety of housing options in all geographic areas of the city. Tax credits to grocery stores who go into Food Deserts. Greenways connected to schools and attention paid to schools as an economic development tool or deterrent for communities

Reference 167 - 0.14% Coverage

Would like for the Panthers to win the Super Bowl, would like for the city to stay clean, and poverty to be improved in town. Would also like for safety to be improved.

Wants there to be a lower crime rate with a still clean city. Wants more transportation options in 5 years.

Reference 168 - 0.14% Coverage

Community with lots of transit options. Wants Charlotte to get better prepared to deal with the environmental affects of population growth. Support sustainability and environmental initiatives.

Increase resources for schools. increase density of residential in uptown.

Reference 169 - 0.11% Coverage

Expanded road that don't allow traffic to take over. Not a fan of the toll road. Would like to see incentives for hybrid cars on toll roads - like a discount. Incentives to reduce cost of using toll road. Maintain tree canopy.

Reference 170 - 0.10% Coverage

More public transportation - loves the light rail and wants more lines. Excited about the Cross Charlotte trail. More community events around local business and local markets (like King Dr, 7th St, etc).

Reference 171 - 0.09% Coverage

Well connected transit, less dependence on cars, parks, keep improving attractiveness for businesses and diversity, great schools, organized sport, pro soccer, summer Olympics

Reference 172 - 0.16% Coverage

Continue growth, replant trees and landscape to keeps Charlotte green and the tree canopy in place, focus on greening of charlotte, add west side shopping and grocery, help encourage groceries, and markets with fresh food throughout the city, no food islands, neighborhood grocers, reduce crime, improve cms and teacher pay

Reference 173 - 0.06% Coverage

Mass transit for the masses to get to work throughout the city, no car needed, more green space, parks and library support

Reference 174 - 0.01% Coverage

Clean of dog poop and gum.

Reference 175 - 0.04% Coverage

Affordable mixed use housing that is clean and well kept across the city.

Reference 176 - 0.12% Coverage

Freedom for alternative dwelling, especially affordable ones, including changing codes and regulations to allow tiny house, shipping container homes, solar and rain water collection, etc to accommodate affordable and off grid living opportunities

Reference 177 - 0.16% Coverage

Preservation of green space, transportation improvements, efficient and affordable and convenient transit, streets that don't clog, bike lanes, medians, small business, walking to stuff without the need for a car, biking, walk ability, more money for trees, tree care, tree preservation, and better landscaping city wide

Reference 178 - 0.14% Coverage

-continue focus on greenways/trails -redevelop Marshall Park -restaurant incubator (provide space for small and new restaurants to try new concepts before opening elsewhere and getting financial backing) -Close off Avenue of the Arts once a month for art shows/festivals

Reference 179 - 0.04% Coverage

Don't become Chicago - it is dirty and has a lot of crime. Feels safe in Charlotte now

Reference 180 - 0.08% Coverage

Light Rail to the N,S,E,W out lying areas. Add uptown retail shopping, add uptown rooftop food and bars. Expand the greenways and add more parks where possible.

Reference 181 - 0.10% Coverage

keep on keeping on. It's good where its at now. We could flip the energy useage like in denmark with more wind. there could be more greenspace around ballantyne, build it like freedom park.

Reference 182 - 0.04% Coverage

more trees, less traffic, pro baseball, less congestion in the uptown area.

Reference 183 - 0.05% Coverage

Improving neighborhoods, more outdoor recreation opportunities, more greenways, a wider I-77

Reference 184 - 0.05% Coverage

More green ways complete (more funding and momentum) with more access to those greenways.

Reference 185 - 0.24% Coverage

more support for schools. worried about the school system. More support for teachers. make sure infrastructure keeps up with populations. Keep it clean. Don't turn into another big dirty city. Make sure park system grows with population. More farmers markets and support for local agriculture. Improve bus system coverage for routes from uptown to outer towns. Make sure resources are directed

to poorer neighborhoods - as much as they are directed to the rich neighborhoods.

Reference 186 - 0.03% Coverage

zoning/police/garbage collection all good; city is clean.

Reference 187 - 0.03% Coverage

Clean environment Improved transportation Widen Lawyers Rd

Reference 188 - 0.03% Coverage

bigger, with more parks and a complete cross charlotte trail.

Reference 189 - 0.09% Coverage

Extend greenway system. Redo John Belk 277 intersection with 77 South. More parks. Better schools to attract business. Concerned there is not enough low end housing. Rail to LKN.

Reference 190 - 0.01% Coverage

More parks and trails.

Reference 191 - 0.04% Coverage

- She wants Charlotte to be a more beautiful city - A friendlier Charlotte - Less crime

Reference 192 - 0.19% Coverage

Solve the transit problem! Water will probably be a critical issue that will need to be addressed. Growth along I-77. Not sure if toll roads are the answer to what we need. The parks & recs need to be expanded more. Get the youth outside and away from their electronic devices! Expand the trails more. Overall would like to see more conservation with our natural resources.

Reference 193 - 0.04% Coverage

less traffic going into uptown/more roads, etc. clean parks and more organized events

Reference 194 - 0.02% Coverage

more outdoor activities, clean parks and roads

Reference 195 - 0.05% Coverage

More accepting of immigrants and their families and continue to be the beautiful city it is

Reference 196 - 0.01% Coverage

More greenway trails.

Reference 197 - 0.15% Coverage

walkable and bike friendly, Clean up area between UNCC and uptown, Decrease human trafficking, increase public awareness about social issues and injustice, make sure its safe to walk - more crosswalks and signs and road signage for pedestrians. More green area and more support for schools

Reference 198 - 0.14% Coverage

Has seen lots happen in 8 years. Likes to see active neighborhood groups; Police Chief came to his community to speak. Would like to see more parks, and more concerts; Charlotte still does not get touring groups like Atlanta/Greensboro. Like to see more Magnet Schools.

Reference 199 - 0.13% Coverage

Have less traffic congestion; more long ter planning: zoning board of adjustment is out of control; unintended consequences; Need to crack down on development, with minimum lot sizes, fewer new apartments, keep more trees, and more thoughtful traffic assessment.

Reference 200 - 0.03% Coverage

Increase environmental friendliness, more bike lanes

Reference 201 - 0.04% Coverage

Greener downtown. Better integrated housing. More mass transportation.

Reference 202 - 0.04% Coverage

More affordable housing available Continuing to cultivate beautiful landscape

Reference 203 - 0.28% Coverage

- Constituent thinks we're already on the way to an ideal Charlotte - Corporate housing uptown for more business executives - Win back business from South Carolina with business incentives - Control apartment growth and promote information on home ownership - revitalize older areas but resources and economic development projects to create growth - entice new industries to charlotte - Constituent stressed that she wanted to maintain big business but not lo lose the green space and trees in urban areas. She specifically said to mimic Austin.

Reference 204 - 0.08% Coverage

- more public transportation - more retail/grocery options uptown - easier to navigate construction uptown - continue to maintain and grow green space

Reference 205 - 0.06% Coverage

Eradicate canker worm, bike friendly city, more greenways Much easier to travel around the city without a car

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Reference 1 - 0.09% Coverage

A denser tree canopy, better management of development.

Reference 2 - 0.04% Coverage

Continue to remain clean

Reference 3 - 0.33% Coverage

Use Dallas as a model for moving traffic around the City Improve the challenges of the schools system Provide best policing of the growing population Improve access to riverways, waterways

Reference 4 - 0.30% Coverage

Provide better public transportation Provide more open green spaces Help the homeless with more job, mental health and housing opportunities Move the transit center (?)

Reference 5 - 0.24% Coverage

Do not make this a small Atlanta Preserve the history of the City Keep a good balance between the old and new Charlotte Preserve the trees!

Reference 6 - 0.19% Coverage

Develop more greenspace A city with more single family housing and not as many apartments Build more hotels

Reference 7 - 0.12% Coverage

Be sure to keep the trees and ensure the physical beauty of Charlotte

Reference 8 - 0.17% Coverage

No tolls Professional hockey team Conserve water so that water bills don't go through the roof

Reference 9 - 0.22% Coverage

Better transportation times and continued clean city with more and more to do related to events and parks and walking trails.

Reference 10 - 0.14% Coverage

more parks. better housing & more accessible housing for low income and disabled.

Reference 11 - 0.16% Coverage

Build more diversity More bike and walking trails More places like NoDa and Plaze/Central

Reference 12 - 0.07% Coverage

more public beaches less amoebas at USNWC

Reference 13 - 0.09% Coverage

more parks/vegetation less traffic better schools

Reference 14 - 0.17% Coverage

more expansion of downtown better agriculture less pollution CMS improvement - higher standard

Reference 15 - 0.28% Coverage

cleaner neighborhoods; less homeless people and animals; improved security, safer atmosphere - more space between homes/neighborhoods (not on top of one another)

Reference 16 - 0.18% Coverage

- Southeast light-rail line should be built - Good traffic flow on I-485 - Clanton Park revitalization

Reference 17 - 0.16% Coverage

1. More green space 2. Improved transit 3. Fewer apartments 4. Expand cultural offerings.

Reference 18 - 0.08% Coverage

Even cleaner and more beautiful than it is now.

Reference 19 - 0.10% Coverage

more open but shaded park like setting area for walks etc.

Reference 20 - 0.15% Coverage

more parks and greenways greater variety of ethnic restaurants more diversity of people

Reference 21 - 0.13% Coverage

The homeless issue has been dealt with and east Charlotte is a bit cleaner.

Reference 22 - 0.25% Coverage

Continue to improve schools and lower the crime levels. She also mentioned making the parks more beautiful and have more activities for the kids

Reference 23 - 0.23% Coverage

better bikeway trails, greenways, walkability. Streets need to feel like home. Provide better education, mental health opportunities.

Reference 24 - 0.11% Coverage

better jail system, make a better environment for good hygiene

Reference 25 - 0.17% Coverage

Less crime Less traffic congestion Better schools Lower taxes Stop cutting down all the trees

Reference 26 - 0.21% Coverage

Improve the transportation connections from work to home and the places I go to have fun. Need better greenway connections.

Reference 27 - 0.16% Coverage

more walkable City, integrated community, and greenway connection to the City and light rail

Reference 28 - 0.10% Coverage

more trees and better apartment buildings near the Eastside

Reference 29 - 0.21% Coverage

Finish the Kilborne sidewalk Project, keep the trees and increase the amount of trees. we need to not be like Miami or NY

Reference 30 - 0.07% Coverage

clean, safe city with great roads and parks

Reference 31 - 0.13% Coverage

would like for the taxes to go down and for Charlotte to be a safe, clean city

Reference 32 - 0.20% Coverage

Continue to keep green space and parks. Keep the close in neighborhood nice. A city with more unique neighborhoods.

Reference 33 - 0.13% Coverage

Add greenways where ever possible, they really add so much to the city.

Reference 34 - 0.19% Coverage

Make the city even greener Bring the Olympics but only if we can support it Super Bowl Pop up beer gardens

Reference 35 - 0.16% Coverage

slow down on building and maintain some of the wooded areas, too many trees being cut down.

Reference 36 - 0.42% Coverage

Clean up Independence. Develop smartly. Diversity of business. Follow Durham's lead on diverse growth. More thought on architecture. Charlotte demolishes old buildings, therefore we don't have many buildings with good/nice architectural look.

Reference 37 - 0.24% Coverage

doesn't want charlotte to change much other than the items listed above (improved public transportation, greenway system, and more bike lanes)

Reference 38 - 0.13% Coverage

Less condos and apartments, more parks, less removal of old neighborhoods

Reference 39 - 0.10% Coverage

small, controlled growth...and conserve some green space

Reference 40 - 0.46% Coverage

Honestly, I don't know. Less crime? Better schools? More green space? My little family plans to move out of the city in the next five years because we are frustrated by the increasing vandalism & thefts in our neighborhood and the elementary school we are sourced to.

Reference 41 - 0.15% Coverage

more parks, even more street trees, continue maintaining a clean city with good roads.

Reference 42 - 0.08% Coverage

known for it's environmentally-conscious growth

Reference 43 - 0.84% Coverage

A city of many neighborhoods – where diversity is the norm, where children of all races and socio-economic status get a good education. Many options for public transportation. Maintain great parks and green spaces. Offer opportunity for all people to earn a living wage. A city where people feel (and are) safe. A city where people of many different faiths (or of no faith) come together for understanding and work for the good of all. A city without gender bias. A city with heart.

Reference 44 - 0.22% Coverage

Better transportation from SC to NC and from University Area to uptown. Need to reduce pollution by having better transit system.

Reference 45 - 0.85% Coverage

More mixed use for more diversity. More services for people with special needs. Need to consider the aging population - we have lots of single family homes, however we need to design for people with special needs or who are functionally dependent. More transportation for elderly. Planning needs to be intentional and offer what is needed in the market place. Livability is the currency & life-blood of the city and leads to retention of people. More greenways and parks at/near strip malls.

Reference 46 - 0.24% Coverage

More arts focused, more fitness oriented, less commercial and retail, less auto traffic, more transit, more bike facilities more greenways

Reference 47 - 0.08% Coverage

Family friendly, safe, green space preserved

Reference 48 - 0.38% Coverage

A great place to work and experience the outdoors. A transportation systems that effectively moves goods as well as people. A city with little crime. An education system that provides great schools for our children.

Reference 49 - 0.14% Coverage

Address the issues that I raised earlier, plus more land for parks/green ways.

Reference 50 - 0.13% Coverage

Better transportation and roads. Continue to plant new trees on our main roads

Reference 51 - 1.10% Coverage

improvements in transportation. We are losing control of traffic congestion because of the rapid growth of the areas surrounding the city of Charlotte, especially other counties, and the commuting from those areas. Transportation also affects air quality - need to cut the emissions from vehicles to maintain air quality. Our area needs to remain livable! I would like for us to remain progressive in spite of the general trend in NC now to try to cut back on services, education, and human rights. I want us to be a community of problem-solvers who work together and compromise, not partisans who argue and take intractable stands

Reference 52 - 0.01% Coverage

Cleaner

Reference 53 - 0.16% Coverage

better roads; water/sewer service in remote areas; library access in rural areas; more parks

Reference 54 - 0.10% Coverage

more urban development; more parks, walking/biking trails

Reference 55 - 0.14% Coverage

More recreational areas like downtown parks and greenways into lower income areas.

Reference 56 - 0.22% Coverage

Wants to make sure that we don't cut down all the trees and that Charlotte continues to be an affordable City for working people.

Reference 57 - 0.39% Coverage

Much like Atlanta, he wants Charlotte to be more connected with parks and trails, and transit, so that you don't have to drive everywhere to even go to the grocery store. He used to live in NY and he really misses that lifestyle.

Reference 58 - 0.13% Coverage

connected cul de sac neighborhoods though serious of paths and greenways.

Reference 59 - 0.41% Coverage

I can see the City having much more outdoor spaces especially trails. The City itself will grow so I can imagine a couple more skyscrapers going up. It will continue to be push to be one of the best places to live for growing a family.

Reference 60 - 0.11% Coverage

a good place to raise a family (education system, parks, etc.)

Reference 61 - 0.19% Coverage

Less crime, more revitalization of abandoned areas, more pet friendly areas, more green areas and less crowding.

Reference 62 - 0.44% Coverage

A place where I can afford to live moderately. Would like to be able to go to school and work without having to worry about money. Also Charlotte would ideally have more parks - what it has not is good but could be better and accessible to more people.

Reference 63 - 0.31% Coverage

Charlotte will initiate greener initiatives related to transportation. There would be more affordable living options and more job opportunities for those in the liberal arts field.

Reference 64 - 0.12% Coverage

Cleaner city throughout, not just in the more wealthy parts of town.

Reference 65 - 0.20% Coverage

Can use light rail to get more place Green-friendly - Reduce carbon footprint. Finish cross charlotte trail-greenway

Reference 66 - 0.15% Coverage

More mass transit; Better parking in NODA (in general); More completed greenway system.

Reference 67 - 0.07% Coverage

More connected greenways in the south.

Reference 68 - 0.23% Coverage

More parks and open space like the new First Ward Park. It's a nice, open design. Older parks can feel more closed in and secluded.

Reference 69 - 0.01% Coverage

clean

Reference 70 - 0.04% Coverage

A clean place to live

Reference 71 - 0.12% Coverage

A City that offers a huge amount of parks and activities to people.

Reference 72 - 0.14% Coverage

Tree preservation continues. Cool places like Midwood, NoDa that are walkable.

Reference 73 - 0.11% Coverage

More common areas, green areas, walkable areas without driving

Reference 74 - 0.12% Coverage

Clean up uptown a bit, more opportunities for musicians to perform

Reference 75 - 0.12% Coverage

greenway connection to span all of charlotte - north/south/east/west

Reference 76 - 0.25% Coverage

improve the roads and the traffic; add more park and rec facilities - more parks and pools...Charlotte is lacking this when compared to other Cities

Reference 77 - 0.04% Coverage

More parks, land trusts