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If I were mayor, my main focus would be making Cedar Falls a cleaner city with less garbage, finding efficient and more eco - friendly ways to get around town, and providing more support for our youth before and after school.

My first order of business as mayor of Cedar Falls will be to form a committee of volunteers to help make Cedar Falls a cleaner city. There is garbage on our sidewalks, our roads, and ditches. It affects not only our tourists and residents, but also affects our environment as it travels to rivers and streams.

My second order of business as mayor will be to create more transportation options for our tourists and residents, with electric scooters available for rent throughout the city. While an upfront cost is associated, the long - term income would benefit the town and reduce emissions from cars.

My third order of business as mayor will be to create a youth support group before and after school. I have friends whose parents work everyday, all day, and some are less fortunate than others. For the parents who work early and late, the standard drop - off times leave kids and parents stressed, often with children left with no other option but to wait for their ride. The solution is to create a youth support group with one or two counselors, allowing students to arrive early and stay late in a supervised environment, providing additional opportunities to interact, share their day, and discuss challenges in a supportive environment.

To conclude, my focus is completely and entirely on Cedar Falls. I have lived here my whole life, and it means so much to me as it made me who I am. Cedar Falls is a wonderful place to grow up in, and it's time we embraced it.