

Healthy city

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Election program D66 Eindhoven

Living in the city of the future

D66 will work on making Eindhoven a future-proof city. A city that makes its strengths even stronger, a city in which it is good to live, work, and recreate. In short, we strive for “living in the city of the future”.

»» Healthy city

The people of Eindhoven take control of their own health. Prevention is an important aspect in this regard. D66 Eindhoven wants to stimulate a healthy life. We work together with universities and hospitals to stimulate innovations in health care. D66 Eindhoven will face the major financial challenge in the (health) care sector and will work on solutions. It is important for us that everyone can live in their own environment for as long as possible, with much attention to personal needs.

In the Eindhoven of the future, everybody participates and every person counts. It does not matter who you are, where you come from or what your opinion is. We accept these differences, and we do not allow distinction, exclusion or discrimination. We believe in the inner strength of people, so the government should not interfere unnecessarily, however we reach out to the individuals and/or families in need. We always look at the abilities and possibilities of each individual. In the city of the future, you feel at home in Eindhoven. The wide and varied range of sports and cultural facilities contributes to this.

Everyone contributes to our beautiful city in their own way: you take your chances, you develop your talents. Education, sports, culture are among other things the areas where you take those chances and where you continue to develop yourself. To ensure everybody has equal chances for self-development, D66 Eindhoven wants to clear the bumps in the road.

»» Lively city

The city of the future is also a vibrant and lively city. Owners of shops and restaurants may decide on the opening hours of their business themselves. They add value to the city, however, they must make sure that they cause no obstacles for other people to live and work in the city center. Our museums and theaters are well-known in Eindhoven and far beyond. Sport is available for all inhabitants of Eindhoven on all levels, but we are definitely also supporting top sporting events. Professional and amateur sports go hand in hand.

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Eindhoven is also a busy and enterprising city. D66 Eindhoven is committed to a strong circular economy that connects well to our technology - design - knowledge profile. The big companies will adapt to this new sustainable future, for many start-ups this is already their second nature. Eindhoven is able to attract entrepreneurs and new companies. After all, Eindhoven is a good place to live and work. We also attract the employees for these companies to Eindhoven, through an attractive, high-quality and versatile selection of metropolitan facilities.

» Sustainable city

The number of inhabitants of Eindhoven increases. This increase can be supported towards the future by using sustainable building techniques and much attention to energy issues and the related carbon footprint. The city will more and more be a mix of urban functions. Living, working, recreation are not separated, but increasingly mixed in all areas. Mutual respect and understanding are essential. Therefore, in the future, you will not find heavy industry in our city center. Sustainability and viability are central to the growth we are going to make.

Regarding the accessibility of Eindhoven, sustainability and slow traffic - like pedestrians and cyclists - are the top priorities. The city remains well accessible by public transport and for local traffic. We commit ourselves to good accessibility that goes hand in hand with sustainability. We aim for green mobility, cycling and walking. We aim for a good traffic flow and sufficient parking facilities in the city center. We are preparing for the future with good public transport, self-driving cars, a train station in Acht and a good access of Eindhoven airport.

We cannot predict how big the city of the future will be. Municipal boundaries are under pressure. For D66 Eindhoven it is important that change comes together with improvement. We want to work together and combine our forces with other municipalities. Merging of municipalities or shifting responsibilities to regional partnerships is also a possibility. Brainport will remain a strong economic region in which the Eindhoven Metropolitan Region ensures a strong network. Our relationship with the national government, the province and the European Union is good.

For the plans that D66 Eindhoven has for the city of the future, we will use the power of the people as much as possible. That power is immensely large. Nevertheless, we also realize that help must be provided by the municipality for those who are in need and unable to arrange it themselves. It is important that the assistance and actions



D66 Eindhoven will work on a future-proof city. A sustainable, vibrant, social city. A nice city to live and work in. A city that has a good relationship with its own inhabitants, our neighboring municipalities, the national government, the province and 'Brussels'. A city that grows in a sustainable way and offers opportunities to entrepreneurs. The growth of the city may never go at the expense of the environment. That's the way D66 Eindhoven wants to shape the city of the future.

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