

JOBS & THE ENVIRONMENT

The Conservative plan for
clean land, clean air & clean water.

**WE MUST FIGHT
CLIMATE CHANGE
AND PROTECT THE
ENVIRONMENT,
BUT WE CAN'T DO
IT ON THE BACKS
OF WORKING
CANADIANS.**



LEN WEBBER

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A PLAN FOR ALBERTA AND FOR CANADA:

Constituents,

There is no question that all Canadians want clean land, clean air and clean water. However, while we share a common goal in achieving this, we all have different thoughts on how we get there.

In less than six short years the Liberal government, in the name of the environment, has driven this country to the brink of a national unity crisis. Regions of the country have been pitted against one another like never before.

The federal Liberal government, with the support of the NDP, has waged a war against the heart of the Alberta economy and hard-working Albertans.

Albertans are some of Canada's strongest supporters of the environment, but Albertans also realize a responsible environmental policy can include an

environmentally-friendly and sustainable resource sector.

Canada, more than ever, needs a change in federal government. This will not happen without a strong Conservative environmental plan. Our plan is extensive and can be read in its entirety at www.lenwebber.ca.

Debate will take place on this plan as it should and I look forward to hearing from you on it. In the future, there will be an election and Canadians will have different plans to choose from. I hope you take the time to read our plan and make an informed decision.



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LOW CARBON SAVINGS ACCOUNT:

Very little of the plan has been reported in daily media other than this initiative on carbon.

Unlike the Liberal carbon tax where revenues flow to government, this plan places a price on carbon but money flows to a personal savings account **you control** and can spend on things like bus passes, or energy efficient upgrades to your home.

This eliminates the government taking tax dollars from Canadians living in the suburbs and rural parts of the country and

transferring rebates to residents in downtown Toronto.

This levy resembles other programs Albertans are already familiar with such as an environmental charge on things like cartons, bottles and cans where consumers get a personal rebate.

Unlike the Liberal plan where all dollars go to Ottawa, the Low Carbon Savings Account gives **you control** over how you and your family reduce your environmental impact. It puts you in control.

MORE RENEWABLE NATURAL GAS

Natural gas will continue to be an important fuel for years to come. That is why it is important to reduce the climate impact of the natural gas we burn to heat our homes. When organic waste (like rotting food or cow manure) decomposes, it releases biogas into the atmosphere. That raw biogas can be captured and purified to create renewable natural gas (RNG). My Conservative colleagues and I support requiring that 15% of the natural gas we use be renewable natural gas by 2030.

CARBON CAPTURE, UTILIZATION & STORAGE

The federal government could make our world-class energy sector even cleaner by introducing a tax credit to rapidly accelerate the deployment of Carbon Capture, Utilization and Storage. This would also maintain Canadian technological leadership in this critical area and ensure Canada's energy sector is one of the world's cleanest. At the same time, Canada would be poised to attract additional research and innovation.

Canada must get full credit for the positive contributions our forests and agriculture make on absorbing carbon in any international agreement
Canada signs on to.

Canada's farm families must not be unfairly punished with carbon taxes that fail to recognize their role in providing us with a safe, sustainable and reliable food source.

YOUR OPINION COUNTS!

Should Canada tax oil imports from countries that have lower environmental standards than Canada?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unsure

Do you support the idea of Low Carbon Savings Accounts instead of a carbon tax?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unsure

Should the government offer tax credits to accelerate investment in carbon capture and storage?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unsure

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When it comes to addressing the concerns of Canadians...

What do you think of the job the
Conservative caucus is doing?

☐ EXCELLENT
☐ GOOD
☐ POOR

What do you think of the job
the **Liberal** caucus is doing?

☐ EXCELLENT
☐ GOOD
☐ POOR

What do you think of the job
the **NDP** caucus is doing?

☐ EXCELLENT
☐ GOOD
☐ POOR

What do you think of the job your Member
of Parliament **Len Webber** is doing?

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SUPPORT CANADA & TAX FOREIGN IMPORTS:

We could produce enough energy to supply our own needs, but a lack of pipelines and infrastructure means we import significant oil and gas.

We can support our environment and our oil and gas industry at the same time through better government policies.

The world will need oil and gas for some time to come, but it does not need to come from countries with weak environmental laws, non-existent human rights legislation and from regimes that use the profits to fund wars against their own people.

It is not fair that our energy industry is forced

to compete against foreign producers who enjoy reduced costs because they don't care about their environment, their workers or their communities. We need to protect responsible producers that invest in cleaner technologies.

The Conservatives propose to eliminate this unfair advantage by imposing a Carbon Border Tariff on energy products from countries that do not meet or exceed Canada's strict standards. This will ensure a level playing field for our domestic energy workers.

If we do not impose such tariffs, we are effectively giving foreign producers a discount for not meeting the Canadian standard.



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