



# MANITOBA ELECTION GUIDE

Abortion	<u>Ensure access to abortion services across the province, including non-surgical abortion options</u>	<u>Improve access to abortion services.</u>	No campaign commitments.	No campaign commitments.
Euthanasia & Palliative Care	No campaign commitments.	No campaign commitments.	<u>Expand the palliative care program to ensure Manitobans in their last year of life can live in dignity.</u>	No campaign commitments.
Independent Education	No campaign commitments.	No campaign commitments.	No campaign commitments.	No campaign commitments.
Fundamental Freedoms & Restorative Justice	<u>Develop and fund a restorative justice program as an alternative to the traditional justice system</u>	No campaign commitments.	<u>Pass anti-SLAPP legislation to protect freedom of speech by Manitobans and media outlets by shielding them from lawsuits designed to intimidate or silence legitimate public debate.</u>	<u>No more pandemic lockdowns</u>
Sexual Exploitation	No campaign commitments.	No campaign commitments.	<u>Establish a registry that will require all businesses that operate within the province to disclose the full ownership of their businesses to help law enforcement and other agencies to make sure that companies are not used for human trafficking.</u>	No campaign commitments.
Sexuality Orientation & Gender Identity	<u>Ensure that LGBTQ2S+ individuals have access to appropriate and informed mental health services</u>	<u>Provide supports to keep two-spirited peoples safe.</u>	No campaign commitments.	<u>Enshrine parental rights into the Public Schools Act so that parents would be notified if their child claimed a new gender identity at school.</u>
Family & Childcare	<u>Increase the number of child care spaces and ensure that the cost of child care exceeds no more than 10% of household income.</u> <u>Provide funding for contraception planning.</u> <u>Prioritize keeping at-risk youth with their extended families.</u>	<u>Bring in "real" \$10-a-day child care all year with flexible hours.</u> <u>Make prescription birth control free.</u>	<u>Fund necessary capital and resources for promised child care spaces and expand \$10-a-day child care to school age children.</u>	<u>Create 642 new child care spaces and expand \$10-a-day daycare to include in-service days and summer holidays.</u> <u>Increase the Fertility Treatment Tax Credit to 50%.</u>
Fiscal Responsibility	No balanced budget promise. <u>Require the public release of a full costing of all significant new government initiatives before they are implemented.</u>	<u>Balance the budget by the end of their first term (+/- 2027)</u>	No balanced budget promise.	<u>Balance the budget by 2025.</u>
Income Assistance and Taxation	<u>Introduce a Basic Income funded by the removal of selected tax credits (including spousal tax credit, the caregiver tax credit, and family tax credit).</u> <u>Reduce the bottom income tax bracket from 10.8% to 9.56%, reduce the middle bracket from 12.75% to 11.5%, and increase the top bracket from 17.4% to 19.0%.</u>	<u>No tax increases</u>	<u>Implement a provincial guaranteed dignified income (Mincome) for people with severe physical or mental disabilities and for seniors.</u> <u>Raise the Basic Personal Exemption for income tax so that everyone earning less than \$120,000 per year would pay less in income taxes but eliminate it for individuals making more than \$300,000 so that they pay more income taxes.</u>	<u>Cut income tax rate for the lowest tax rate from 10.8% to 5.4%.</u> <u>Increase the charitable donation tax credit from 10.8-17.4% to 20-25%.</u>