A better way



Options for cutting costs without attacking public services

Review private contracts

Review all contracts with consultants and private contractors to assess the real cost and value to the province, and end these contracts if they are found not to be efficient.

Cut the number of MLAs

Eliminate the three new MLAs the Sask. Party government added to the Legislature at a combined cost of roughly \$700,000 per year.

Roll back pay hikes for political staff

Reverse the 74 percent payroll increase that Premier Brad Wall gave to his Executive Council staff between 2009 and 2016.

Ditch costly megaprojects

Stop wasting hundreds of millions of dollars on costly megaprojects – like the Regina Bypass, which is being built by a French corporation.

Stop selling public assets

Stop selling revenue generating public assets, like liquor stores. The government's current liquor privatization plan will <u>cost Saskatchewan \$115 million</u> in the first five years alone.

Boost corporate taxes

Increase taxes on those who can afford it, like large, profitable corporations. Just a modest increase could net millions and still keep us competitive with other provinces and countries.

Get more from our resources

Increase the royalties that big corporations pay to exploit our province's non-renewable resources, like potash, uranium, and oil. These resources belong to Saskatchewan people, and once they are gone, the corporations will leave, and we will be left with nothing. Stash some of the revenue away in a Heritage Fund for when that day comes.

Stimulate the economy

Maintain decent public sector wages so families continue to pay taxes and stimulate local economies with their purchases.