

It's time to start a thoughtful conversation here in Calgary about integrating energy development and environmental protection. Our economy and our quality of life depend on getting both right.

It's time to strengthen our democracy, by openly discussing the important issues facing Calgary and our country. To build a secure future for our environment, our city and our economy, we need to show respect for divergent opinions on energy and environmental issues, not squash debate.

It's time to elect a progressive entrepreneur to represent Calgary Centre in Ottawa. I will work hard for values that matter to Calgarians, like being fiscally prudent, socially progressive and environmentally responsible at home and abroad.



Calgary is ready to take a big step forward.

Our city can be a global leader in integrating energy development and environmental stewardship. We can be a 21st century hub of diversity and innovation in a wide range of fields.

For that to happen, I believe Calgary Centre needs a progressive entrepreneurial voice in Ottawa.

The time is now, and I'd be honoured if you chose me for the job.



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It's time!

Let's send a progressive entrepreneurial voice from Calgary Centre to Ottawa.



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We can be international leaders on energy and the environment.

Calgary is at an important crossroad. We have become an energy capital on the global stage, and we got there through the ingenuity and the entrepreneurial drive of Calgarians. We have the opportunity to build from our energy resources base to create enduring prosperity. However, this brings with it a responsibility to protect the natural environment including the climate, fresh water, wilderness and wildlife.



Mexican President Felipe Calderon greeting Harvey Locke when they opened the 9th World Wilderness Congress in Merida, Mexico in November 2009

The oilsands are a huge source of wealth that any society would develop if it could mobilize the capital and skill that we can; they are also a source of major environmental impacts which do not go away by denying that problems exist. Critics of the oilsands will not go away through government-sponsored efforts to silence them. We need to engage people in our own country and overseas in a discussion that leads to good outcomes for the economy and the environment. My goal is to establish Calgary as a global leader in both energy exports and innovations in environmental protection.

To read more on my thoughts on the integration of environmental and energy priorities, check out Canada West Foundation's new book: *Catching a rising Tide: A Western Energy Vision for Canada*, or my article *The Nature of the Climate* which I co-wrote with a leading Australian climate expert.

Arts and culture are essential to building a great city and diverse economy.

Real leadership for Calgary Centre also means confronting the challenges of our young people, and our arts and cultural sector. We need a 21st century vision for Calgary that attracts the young and talented, and makes our city an exciting place to work and play. The arts are essential to building a great city, not a luxury. It is not enough for the federal government to lay back and dribble out funds grudgingly. A commitment to arts and culture will diversify our economy, increase tourism, keep young people here and improve everyone's quality of life.

It's time to face up to our environmental, economic and social challenges in an integrated way.



“The natural and cultural environments are the context for all human life including our economic and social development. It’s time to embrace this basic reality and act accordingly.”

– Harvey Locke

I will work hard to:

- ▶ **Restore funding for scientists** to study our fresh water, fisheries and climate. Now more than ever we need to base our development decisions on scientific facts, rather than ignoring them or trying to make them go away.
- ▶ **Ensure that a predictable and coherent investment framework** is in place to guide important investment decisions and to determine the right level of foreign investment. No more arbitrary and abrupt cancellations of income trusts and foreign purchases.

▶ **Provide enthusiastic federal leadership for arts and culture.** Our city has a vibrant arts culture but the federal government needs to show up too. The federal government should play a role in creating an enabling environment for emerging artists at the grassroots creative level. Leading cultural institutions are important to the quality of life of Calgarians. The under-funded Glenbow Museum needs federal support to be all it should be and there should be enthusiastic federal leadership for new capital projects like the National Music Centre.

▶ **Provide hope and opportunities for Calgary’s young people,** by committing to fairness across generations. That includes guaranteeing the viability of the Canada Pension Plan, realigning the percentage of tuition students pay to the same levels that were paid by baby boomers when they went to school, supporting a diverse arts and culture scene, and creating a wide range of employment opportunities.

Calgary Center is the heart of our city. We need to consciously build a great city where people choose to settle, set up small businesses and thrive. This means making Calgary a place where people who grew up here want to stay, as well as attracting talent from all over the world. Intelligent policies that serve young people and support arts and culture are essential investments, not luxuries. We also must ensure there is help for those who are struggling and strive to build a fair society. Calgary can lead the way.

We need to open up debate and restore respect for democracy.

Real leadership requires listening to different points of view.

Calgary Centre voters can send a positive message to Ottawa; it's time for reasoned discussion and debate.

I will represent the innovative and open approach of people in Calgary Centre and add some fresh ideas into the mix. I ask you this: is this government's performance so good that it should have a monopoly over Calgary's voice in Ottawa? I don't think so. I will stand up to Omnibus Bills, midnight deal cancellations

and the arbitrary use of power. Electing yet another Conservative to do whatever the Prime Minister's office decrees will not provide a fresh voice.

“To me, the job is to support the Prime Minister in whatever way that he thinks.”

– Joan Crockatt, Globe and Mail
September 13, 2012

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I will focus on things that matter to Calgarians, which includes being fiscally prudent, socially progressive and environmentally responsible, at home and abroad.

We live in one of the most dynamic cities in North America, with incredible people, passion and potential. Yet we are increasingly frustrated in our efforts to diversify markets for our products. We cannot move forward by blocking out the legitimate concerns of others. Instead, we must develop coherent strategies that will allow access to markets in Asia and North America while enhancing the natural environment.

Calgary is a global exporter of energy and innovations. Now we must lead on environmental stewardship as well. Integrating energy and environment challenges



Harvey and his wife Marie-Eve

is not just doable, it is essential for our future as a dynamic city and a prosperous country. I was born and educated here and I've worked all over the world. I have a good track record for getting things done and a reputation for fairness. My family has pioneer roots in Calgary. I also speak French and Spanish. I will bring a uniquely progressive voice from Calgary to Ottawa.