

CPAWS Manitoba

Manitoba Provincial Election Questionnaire

DEADLINE TO RESPOND: August 29th, 2023

CPAWS Manitoba is calling on all political parties and candidates in the upcoming provincial election to commit to developing an action plan that will protect 30% of Manitoba's lands and waters by 2030.

Questionnaire

Political Party: New Democratic Party of Manitoba

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- **Will your party commit to producing an action plan that will protect 30% of Manitoba's lands and inland waters by 2030?**

Yes No

Comments:

- *The Manitoba NDP is committed to producing an action plan to protect Manitoba's lands and waters so that Manitoba's lakes, rivers and lands can be properly protected for future generations..*

- **Will your party commit to a 30x30 action plan that permanently protects Manitoba's habitat for polar bears, caribou, ducks and endangered wildlife?**

Yes No

Comments:



An NDP government led by Wab Kinew would commit to working with conservation groups such as CPAWS on research that will help us better understand wildlife and their relationship to the environment. A 30-30 action plan would help preserve existing marshes and waterways in Manitoba. A 30-30 action plan would also ensure that future development takes into account potential impacts on wildlife and recognizes the need to preserve habitats so wildlife can thrive.

- **Will your party commit to a 30x30 action plan that preserves peatlands, wetlands and forests which clean the air we breathe, filter the water we drink, control flooding and fight climate change by storing carbon?**

 Yes No

Comments:

It is vital that we preserve existing peatlands, wetlands and forests. An NDP government led by Wab Kinew would introduce a 30x30 action plan that would help protect our peatlands, wetlands and wetlands for future generations.

- **Will your party commit to supporting Indigenous-led conservation which will help protect 30% of Manitoba by 2030 in the spirit of reconciliation?**

 Yes No

Comments:

A NDP government would commit to supporting and working with Indigenous-led conservation efforts to help protect 30 per cent of Manitoba.

- **Will your party complete the protection process for Manitoba's Areas of Special Interest that will contribute to protecting 30% of Manitoba by 2030?**

 Yes No

Comments:

We commit to working with CPAWS and other important stakeholder groups to develop the plans and protocols necessary to help achieve our 30 by 30 commitment.

