

FROM THE ROOTS UP: INVEST IN OUR COMMUNITIES

We're tackling real challenges in Canada, and people in Peel Region will face those issues more than most. Tariffs could have a significant impact on the 42% of Peel workers employed in sectors directly impacted by trade. Waitlists for subsidized housing exceed 20 years, and regional services cannot meet the needs of 4 out of 5 households who need housing help. As one of Canada's leading destinations for newcomers, 60% of whom are racialized, cuts to settlement funding mean our community services are stretched thin, jeopardizing the social safety net.

In situations like this, Canadians come together, and our elected leaders need to step up. We are asking candidates to commit to an approach that builds the foundation of our economy from the roots up.

PLEDGE FOR CANDIDATES

1. I will support tariff relief plans that include funding for local nonprofit organizations that deliver community services in Peel.
2. I will support investment in new housing that includes allocations for affordable and deeply affordable nonprofit housing.
3. I will work to provide funding for settlement agencies that is sufficient for the needs of the people brought into the region and who currently reside here, so newcomers have the tools to succeed in their work and contribute to our economy.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Riding: _____

Party: _____

Please reply by April 9th. Results will be shared with the public.