

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS (Private Members' Motions) 2016 (29th Legislature, 2nd Session)

Motion No.	Text	Sponsor	Date Debated	No. of Minutes Debated	Disposition
501	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to review current policies and strategies with a view to increasing community capacity to deliver transitional and low-barrier housing for vulnerable Albertans suffering from complex mental and physical health needs.	Ms Drever	March 14, 2016	46	Agreed to
502	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to engage with energy sector workers when developing strategies to diversify Alberta's energy sector and create value-added jobs.	Mr. Rosendahl	April 4, 2016	58	Agreed to
503	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider measures that would further lower the cost of prescription drugs for Alberta's low-income seniors to ease their financial burden and reduce their health care costs.	Ms Kazim	April 11, 2016	58	Agreed to
504	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to affirm its commitment to allowing parents the choice of educational delivery for their children, including home, charter, private, francophone, separate, or public education programs.	Mr. McIver	April 18, 2016 May 2, 2016	57	Adjourned Agreed to on division
505	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to postpone further implementation of its planned \$15 per hour minimum wage target until a comprehensive study on the effects that these increases would have on employment rates and on the prices of goods and services has been completed by the Standing Committee on Alberta's Economic Future.	Mr. Taylor	May 9, 2016	59	Defeated on division
506	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to request that the federal government not implement the moratorium on crude oil tanker traffic along British Columbia's North Coast and that it swiftly approve pipelines such as the Energy East, Trans Mountain, and Northern Gateway in order to increase employment in Alberta's energy sector.	Mr. Loewen	May 16, 2016	60	Agreed to on division
507	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to take steps to increase awareness in Alberta's schools of the effects of cyberbullying.	Mr. Dang	May 30, 2016 October 31, 2016	59	Adjourned Agreed to
508	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly establish a special committee to conduct a review of the current state of affordable housing in Alberta and in conducting its review the committee shall consult with key public, private, and non-profit stakeholders; study attainable home ownership, workforce housing, low-income rental accommodation, seniors' housing, and homeless housing options; and, make recommendations for the creation and implementation of a comprehensive provincial affordable housing strategy.	Mr. Gotfried	November 7, 2016	57	Defeated on division

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509	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to complete and make public a report by August 31, 2017, that evaluates the current equalization formula and outlines the improvements the Government will seek on behalf of Albertans when the Equalization program is next renegotiated.	Mr. Jean	November 28, 2016	60	Defeated on division
510	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to review section 85(1) of the Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Act, and section 25(2)(d)(iii) of Adoption Regulation AR 187/2004, with a view to removing the prohibition on prospective adoptive parents that currently prevents them from advertising and publishing a profile.	Ms Luff	December 5, 2016	45	Agreed to
511	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to increase its efforts to conserve and manage public lands in Alberta's headwater regions to optimize downstream water security for future generations of Albertans.	Mr. Westhead	December 12, 2016	53	Agreed to
512	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly <i>urge the Government to introduce legislation that would establish</i> an Alberta Seniors Charter of Rights that would ensure seniors (a) are given the highest level of dignity, respect, and treatment regardless of their situation; (b) have access to seniors' housing which is safe, affordable, and provides a healthy environment; (c) have access to programs which would help them remain physically active and participate within their communities; and (d) have access to the highest quality of mental health care programs, treatments and support.	Mr. Ellis			
513	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly of Alberta urge the Government to give favourable consideration to requests from municipalities to amend their debt limits to more easily support the construction of affordable housing projects.	Mr. Dach			
514	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to commit to the development of a flood mitigation strategy for the Red Deer River that supports the surrounding community's ability to manage flood conditions.	Mr. Nixon			
515	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly establish a committee to study the feasibility of providing a choice in workplace injury compensation as an alternative to the coverage provided by the Workers' Compensation Board, and report to the Assembly by September 30, 2017.	Mr. Fildebrandt			
516	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to review the Local Authorities Election Act and consider amendments that would allow permanent residents living in Alberta to vote in municipal elections.	MLA Loyola			

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517	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider adopting strategies and policies that promote the development of and support for co-operatives and credit unions in Alberta.	Ms McKitrick			
518	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider introducing “pay-before-you-pump” legislation similar to laws in place in other provinces.	Mr. Nielsen			
519	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider establishing policies and incentive to encourage individuals, businesses, and public bodies to reduce the amount of food they waste.	Mr. S. Anderson			
520	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to explore the feasibility of implementing changes to the Alberta Justice Fine Option Program to include all fines imposed pursuant to the Traffic Safety Act.	Mr. Sucha			