

**MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS (Private Members' Motions) 2012-2013 (28th Legislature, 1st Session)**

<b>Motion No.</b>	<b>Text</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Date Debated</b>	<b>No. of Minutes Debated</b>	<b>Disposition</b>
<b>501.</b>	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to explore options for providing support to municipalities that experience significant local road deterioration due to heavy industry/resource truck traffic, with the goal of ensuring these roads are adequately maintained and available for all to use.	Dr. Starke	October 29, 2012	58	Agreed to
<b>502.</b>	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to maintain the current maximum limit on long term care accommodation fees and that the same maximum limit continue to apply to accommodation funded by the Affordable Supportive Living Initiative.	Mr. Mason	November 5, 2012	57	Defeated
<b>503.</b>	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to construct new school facilities, in collaboration with municipalities, school boards, and other stakeholders, which would function as schools during the day but have the ability to offset operational expenses by partnering with compatible public and private enterprises such as, but not limited to, libraries, daycares, and recreational facilities.	Mr. Fraser	November 19, 2012	54	Agreed to
<b>504.</b>	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to implement a policy to eliminate public funding to private schools.	Mr. Hehr	November 26, 2012 December 3, 2012	58	Adjourned Defeated on division
<b>505.</b>	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation to amend the Alberta Bill of Rights to ensure that all Albertans have an inalienable right to full, fair, and timely compensation with recourse to the courts when a new government initiative negatively impacts the value of their property.	Mr. Strankman	March 11, 2013	58	Defeated on division
<b>506.</b>	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation which would do the following: limit spending increases to no more than population growth plus inflation; prohibit the introduction of a budget that proposes a cash deficit; allocate half of all cash surpluses to the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund; and, amend the appropriate legislation to suspend the practice of spending the interest generated by the Fund until it reaches an amount of at least \$200 billion.	Mr. Anderson	March 18, 2013	60	Defeated on division

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507.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation to repeal the Alberta Land Stewardship Act (formerly known as Bill 36) and replace it with a land-use framework that better protects the rights of landowners and respects the role of locally elected and accountable municipal councils.	Mr. Stier	April 8, 2013	60	Defeated on division
508.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to <i>mandate that Alberta Health Services report length of stay data for all emergency departments across the province on a weekly basis.</i>	Mrs. Forsyth	April 15, 2013	58	Defeated on division
509.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to establish a working group to review whether adequate policies are in place for urban communities with regard to oil and gas development.	Ms Jansen	April 22, 2013	57	Agreed to
510.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to reinstate a competitive tax credit regime for supporting the film industry in Alberta rather than the current grant system.	Mr. Pedersen	May 6, 2013	50	Agreed to
511.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to complete a report, to be tabled in the Assembly, which examines <i>various strategies utilized around the world that enhance the viability of rural communities and to help retain rural families.</i>	Mrs. Kubinec	May 13, 2013	58	Agreed to
512.	Withdrawn				
513.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to promote and assist in the establishment of heritage language schools to help ensure that all Alberta students can study an extracurricular language to better prepare them to be global leaders of tomorrow.	Mr. Luan	October 28, 2013	50	Agreed to
514.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to continue its commitment to the creation of a world-class Capital Region River Valley Park by working with the City of Edmonton to implement its Ribbon of Green Concept Plan, which would connect all of the river valley parks into a single, continuous, protected park.	Mr. Xiao	November 4, 2013	59	Agreed to
515.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to <i>establish a working group to review whether decisions made by the Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan and the Out-of-Country Health Services Committee are ensuring that there is adequate coverage for Albertans for their legitimate out of province health care.</i>	Mr. Anglin	November 18, 2013	59	Defeated on division

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516.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to explore the feasibility of providing funding for preliminary work on school playgrounds, such as drainage, and for basic playground equipment, such as a swing or slide, as part of the capital funding for any new school facilities that include grade levels from kindergarten to Grade 6.	Mr. Jeneroux	November 25, 2013	54	Agreed to
517.	Withdrawn				
518.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to develop and implement a program encouraging Albertans to invest in, and make use of, renewable and alternative energy technologies in the province in order to strengthen Alberta's leadership in energy innovation and greenhouse gas reductions.	Ms Calahasen	December 2, 2013	57	Agreed to
519.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to examine the value of adopting a data exchange standard that will enable the secure exchange of authorized information within the Government as well as between the Government of Alberta, other provincial governments, their agencies, and the federal government.	Mr. Young			
520.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to ensure that the Government's social policy framework and poverty reduction initiatives include the principle that regardless of whether the human services are delivered by government, not-for-profits, or private contractors, there will be a requirement that compensation for human services providers involve consistent, fair wages reflecting the skills and training of employees.	Mrs. Sarich			
521.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to take the steps necessary to ensure every Albertan has a family doctor.	Dr. Sherman			
522.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the <i>Federal Government to introduce legislative amendments that would prohibit sex offenders who have been convicted of crimes against children from maintaining residences or going to any place near a school, playground, child care facility, or any other location where children are known to frequent.</i>	Mr. Saskiw			
523.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation to amend section 115 of the Gaming and Liquor Act to allow peace officers the ability to impose a fine in addition to detaining intoxicated persons.	Mr. Fox			

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524.	Withdrawn				
525.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce amendments to the Occupational Health and Safety Act to protect paid farm workers while continuing to exempt family members and other unpaid labourers.	Dr. Swann			
526.	Withdrawn				
527.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation to enhance the consumer protection afforded purchasers of condominiums and the accountability of condominium builders, contractors, and developers.	Ms Blakeman			
528.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to implement a grant program that will provide funds to plan, build, maintain, or upgrade major community facilities whose funding requirements are in excess of the level of targeted grants provided by the Community Facility Enhancement Program.	Mr. Dorward			
529.	Withdrawn				
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531.	Withdrawn				
532.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to work with the Alberta Recycling Management Authority to expand the list of electronic appliances that are eligible under the Alberta Electronics Recycling Program to include a more comprehensive range of electronic appliances, including smaller household items.	Mr. Lemke			
533.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation requiring the use of protective headgear when operating all-terrain vehicles (ATVs) on both public and private land.	Mr. Kang			
534.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to table in the Assembly a clear plan to set a maximum fee for child care at a rate affordable for low- and middle-income families while ensuring child care providers have funding available to provide high-quality care.	Ms Notley			

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535.	Withdrawn				
536.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to conduct a review of the provision of meals to seniors in public facilities to ensure not only that they have adequate nutrition but that the quality and appearance of the meals meet a minimum standard respecting the seniors' dignity, with a report of this review to be tabled in the Legislature no later than April 15, 2013.	Mrs. Towle			
537.	Withdrawn				
538.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to immediately suspend construction of the Western Alberta Transmission Line until the criminal investigations into Altalink's parent company, SNC Lavalin, are completed and that the Government initiate an updated, thorough, and independent assessment of Alberta's electricity needs.	Ms Smith			
539.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to establish an organ and tissue donor registry for the Province of Alberta.	Mr. Webber			
540.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation to amend section 50 of the School Act, with the intent that patriotic instruction or exercises become mandatory for all students.	Mr. Cao			
541.	Withdrawn				
542.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to recognize Irlen Syndrome as a learning disability and ensure that schools have the necessary resources available to test all children for the disorder.	Mrs. Jablonski			
543.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to review the fairness of requiring seniors to take the fully computerized DriveAble test under the threat of losing their licence, given that some have limited or no computer skills.	Mr. Rowe			
544.	Withdrawn				
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546.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation that will mandate random audits, quantifiable objectives, and documented outcome reports for all Government-funded organizations involved with homelessness, group homes, assisted-living residences, and long-term care facilities.	Mr. Wilson			
547.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation requiring all publicly funded post-secondary institutions to provide each student a full, total costing of his or her tuition at the beginning of each school year to show how much the taxpayers assist in funding post-secondary education.	Mr. Bikman			
548.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to implement full-day kindergarten.	Mr. Eggen			
549.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to require all new oil sands developments to have plans for upgrading bitumen in Alberta.	Mr. Bilous			
550.	Withdrawn				
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553.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to make available for individuals receiving services under the Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan an annual accounting of medical expenses incurred by those individuals.	Ms Johnson			
554.	Withdrawn				
555.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to study the advantages and disadvantages, as part of the review of the Municipal Government Act, of granting municipalities the right to sell bonds directly to the public and granting tax incentives to Albertans who hold such bonds.	Ms Fenske			

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556.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to examine the feasibility of removing the matching funding requirement from the Community Facility Enhancement Program in relation to grant applications for children's play structures in order to ensure that all communities, regardless of their financial status, are eligible.	Mr. Quadri			
557.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider the total costs for the administration of disaster relief programs as compared to the total payout amounts for such programs to ensure both claimants and the taxpayer receive value for money.	Mr. Barnes			
558.	Withdrawn				
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561.	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation to eliminate the implementation of mandatory school fees in public, separate, and public charter schools.	Mr. McAllister			