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Your May E-Newsletter Update:

Dear Jeremy,

We've reached the end of May and are now heading into our final stretch of parliamentary sittings before the House rises for the summer. This month has been a busy one as the Liberals continue to try ram through their legislative agenda, which has us sitting late into the night many evenings a week. Meanwhile, they're failing to address anything meaningful, like rising inflation, soaring gas prices, airport delays, Service Canada wait times, continued border closures—and the list goes on. On all of these issues, I assure you that we as Conservatives are continuing to hold the Liberals accountable.

Just yesterday, Conservatives introduced an Opposition Day Motion calling on the government to immediately revert to pre-pandemic rules and service levels for travel. As a result of the Liberals' onerous restrictions on travel, Canadians are experiencing unacceptable wait times at our airports. The restrictions are contributing to additional delays, costs, confusion, as well as acute labour shortages. Shamefully however, the Liberal-NDP Government voted against the motion, effectively opting to continue to make your life difficult.

Earlier this month, I had the opportunity to ask the Minister of Finance why the Government had earmarked \$300 million dollars to continue funding proof of vaccination requirements via the provinces, who have all lifted their proof vaccine requirements. Click the image below to see what she had to say. Conservatives are continuing pressure the federal Government to lift all their vaccine mandates for work and travel.



Click on the image above to watch my question to the Minister of Finance on funding for vaccine mandates

Continued Attacks on Firearm Owners:

This month has also seen the Liberal government continue their attacks on law-abiding firearm owners while pushing through legislation that lets criminals off the hook.

First the Liberals implemented certain measures that were included in Bill C-71, a Bill passed in 2019 that creates a backdoor gun registry. Since these measures came into effect on May 18, 2022, firearm retailers are required to keep records of the sales for 20 years which can be seized by the RCMP at any time under reasonable suspicion, different from the previously required warrant. This is highly concerning as the government's ease of access to records of firearms sales could inevitably result in confiscation.

Now, just yesterday, the Liberals tabled Bill C-21 which is yet another attack on law-abiding firearm owners. Once passed, this Bill will among other things, place a "freeze" on the sale, transfer, and import of handguns in Canada. They are doing this while pushing through Bill C-5, a Bill that eliminates the mandatory minimum sentences for the very heinous crimes the government is trying to prevent.

My colleagues and I will continue to stand up against the Government's

continued attacks on law-abiding firearm owners and will advocate for policies that are actually tough on crime, and deal with the issue at the source: the criminals.

In and Around the Riding:



Speaking a Grade 4 class at the All Saints Catholic School in Swift Current

This past week, I had the pleasure of visiting a few local elementary schools and share about my work in representing Cypress Hills—Grasslands. These students will be our future leaders, caregivers, parents, teachers and trades workers, and responsibly investing in them now is important as one day we'll need to hand over the reins to them.



The 128 Prairie Schooner Navy Corps carrying the colours did us all proud!

I also had the honour of laying a wreath and speak at the unveiling of two new plaques honouring peacekeepers and veterans of Afghanistan at the Cenotaph in Swift Current this month.



Sincerely,



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