# INFLATION CRISIS





### NDP/Liberal Coalition Continues to Fuel the Inflationary Crisis

In January, I wrote to you sharing my concern that under the NDP/Liberal government, inflation was soon expected to reach a 30-year high at 4.7%.

Since then, its gotten much worse.

In June, Statistics Canada warned that inflation has reached 7.7 per cent—a 40 year high.

The NDP/Liberal response? A promise to spend even more taxpayer money.

This flawed economic approach ignores the most basic principle of economics: that spending during an inflationary crisis will only fuel inflation further.

Conservatives will continue to propose solutions that support Canadians and lower inflation.

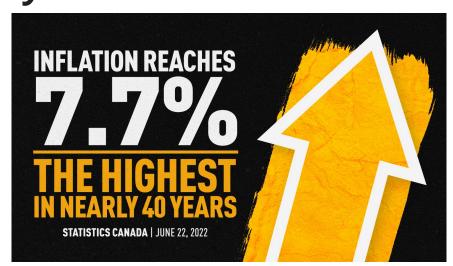
We are calling on the Liberals to immediately:

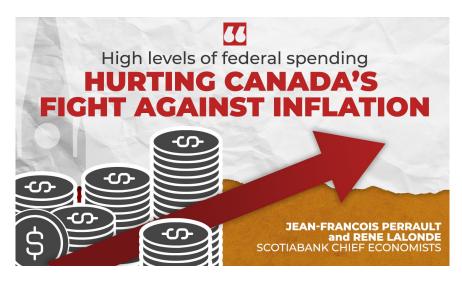
- Suspend the GST on fuel;
- Remove the tariff on fertilizer;
- Repeal the carbon tax;
- Reduce spending and end inflationary deficits;

Conservatives will not support the NDP/Liberal inflation agenda.

In your service,

Arnold Viersen, MP





### **Constituent Survey**

Has inflation impacted your cost of living?	As your MP, am I on the right track?
Yes No Not sure	Yes No
Top 3 costs that have increased for you (gas, food, travel, housing etc)	Name
1	Address
	Town
2	Postal Code
_	Email
3	Cellphone

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## Inflation is Hurting Canadians

Inflation is costing the average Canadian up to an additional \$4000 this year alone.

- Food is getting more expensive, <u>up 9.7 per cent in just the last year</u> the largest increase since 1981.
- o Gas prices are at <u>record-highs</u> reaching more than \$2 a litre everywhere in Canada with an exception in Alberta due to the UCP's suspension of the provincial gas tax.
- o Housing prices continue to reach new records, after already <u>doubling</u> since Justin Trudeau became Prime Minister.





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