



**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 5**

**FIFTH SESSION, FORTIETH LEGISLATURE**

**PRAYER**

**10:00 O'CLOCK A.M.**

On motion of Mr. GAUDREAU, Bill (No. 200) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Safer Traffic Conditions for Cyclists)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (sécurité accrue pour les cyclistes), was read a First Time and had its purposes outlined.

Pursuant to Rule 26(1), Mr. EWASKO, Ms. HOWARD and Messrs. WISHART and RONDEAU made Members' Statements.

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mr. EWASKO – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government and the Minister of Health to ensure that the Beausejour District Hospital and Primary Care Centre have a primary care physician available on weekends and holidays to better provide area residents with this essential service. (W. Klann, J. Martens, D. Martens and others)

Mr. SCHULER – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge that the Provincial Government improve the safety at the pedestrian corridor at the intersection of PTH# 206 and Cedar Avenue in Oak Bank by considering such steps as highlighting pavement markings to better indicate the location of the shoulders and crosswalk, as well as installing a lighted crosswalk structure. (T. Dokken, H. Clarke, J. Derksen and others)

The House resumed the Interrupted Debate on the Proposed Motion of Ms. LATHLIN:

THAT the following address be presented to Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor:

We, the Members of the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba thank your Honour for the gracious speech addressed to us at this Fifth Session of the Fortieth Legislature of Manitoba.

And the proposed amendment moved by Mr. PALLISTER as follows:

*THAT the motion be amended by adding at the end the following words:*

But this House regrets:

- a) That the Provincial Government has refused to listen to Manitobans who are tired of broken promises such as the commitment to balancing the budget by 2014 without raising taxes; failing to respect the right to vote on tax increases and not recognizing that Manitobans want a change for the better; and
- b) That the Provincial Government has failed to recognize Manitobans are paying more and getting less due to an average family in Winnipeg having to pay more than \$3,200 in additional provincial taxes than a comparable family living in Regina, yet front line services like health care and education being ranked last in the nation; and
- c) That the Provincial Government has failed to acknowledge that self-promotion and wasteful government spending has caused the provincial debt to double since 2008 requiring Manitobans to pay more than \$800 million in debt interest charges which threatens Manitoba's future as that money cannot be invested to protect essential frontline services, reduce health care wait times or improve education results for our children.

As a consequence of these and many other failings, the Provincial Government has thereby lost the trust and confidence of the people of Manitoba and this House.

And the debate continuing on the amendment,

And leave having been denied to have the matter remain in the name of Ms. ALLAN,

And Mrs. DRIEDGER, Hon. Mr. NEVAKSHONOFF and Mr. WISHART having spoken.

And Hon. Mr. ALLUM speaking at 12:30 p.m. The debate was allowed to remain in his name.

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The House then adjourned at 12:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Monday, November 23, 2015.

Hon. Daryl REID,  
Speaker.