

# Natural Resources



# Who will #Get2Yes?

## Isn't that BC's strength?

British Columbia has the great fortune of abundant natural resources, including forests, critical minerals and metals, and oil & gas. In communities across the province, these industries are the backbone and most significant economic driver.

## What's changed?

Under Premier David Eby, the NDP has shifted – all that matters is meeting their own self-imposed greenhouse gas reduction targets, even if it harms the B.C. economy, and cripples our responsible resource development.

The NDP's plan to slash emissions is called CleanBC, and they tout it at every turn – but what they don't tout is their own economic numbers.

According to the NDP's own modelling, implementing the CleanBC agenda will smother economic growth to the slowest pace on record – and by 2030, will make BC's economy \$28 billion smaller.

**This will have direct and material effects on economic prosperity, affordability, job security, and your paycheque.**

## Wait, what? Why?

Why would the NDP knowingly set prosperity back more than a decade, **putting thousands of British Columbians out of work** and drive countless small businesses to ruin? To reach their own emissions reductions targets, at any cost.

It's like trying to lose weight by eating absolutely nothing for a month. Yes, you'll lose weight. No, you won't be healthier. There has to be a better way.

## Okay, my job doesn't depend on natural resources – me and my family should be safe, right?

The economy affects everyone and everything. For comparison, you might remember the 2008-2009 global financial crisis. It didn't just hurt the financial sector; economic growth slowed down to 1.6%. The NDP's own projections show **CleanBC will be substantially worse, slowing economic growth down to 0.4%.**

That means catastrophe for businesses and workers in every sector and every community, pushing countless businesses already struggling over the edge, and forcing others to let employees go.

The NDP know their plan will savage the economy. They've decided those family-supporting jobs are acceptable losses.

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