# LANGLEY—ALDERGROVE CONSERVATIVE ELECTORAL DISTRICT ASSOCIATION

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The Langley—Aldergrove Conservative EDA Board of Directors for 2014

### Mark Warawa retains his nomination for the CPC EDA

On the close of nominations for the Conservative Party Langley Electoral District Association it was announced that Mark Warawa was once again acclaimed as the candidate for next year's federal election.

Mark will be the candidate for the newly formed EDA of Langley--Aldergrove. While he does lose Langley City from his previous riding, he will add a significant segment of new members as his eastern boundary now includes everything west of Mount Lehman Road south of the freeway.

These changes give Mark a much larger geographical riding and he pledges to serve all of his constituents with the same dedication that has seen him elected and re-elected to four consecutive terms since June of 2004.

"I am grateful for the continued support of members like you who generously give of your time and finances to further the Conservative cause," says Mark. "We have a great Conservative team in Langley—Aldergrove and I'm excited for what we can accomplish together."

With the election scheduled for 2015, now is the time to make yourself known to Mark and the EDA. Call, email, or send us regular mail to let us know Mark can count on your support.



## May Day Parade in Fort Langley

Te lined up in the cold and rain for the start of the May Day Parade. Things did not look promising. With coats on and umbrellas held aloft, we started down a quiet side road in downtown Fort Langley. Just as we turned the corner on to Glover Road, the clouds parted and the sun came out. The rain stopped and we were bathed in glorious sunshine. Appreciative crowds, who had lined the streets three and four deep in spite of the inclement weather, showed their community spirit and enjoyed the colourful, musical spectacle. Everything from marching bands and community group floats to horses and antique tractors drew continuous applause.

MP Mark Warawa, accompanied by more than a dozen enthusiastic supporters, marched near the head of the parade waving Canada flags and spreading good wishes to all. The smiles and waves we received from the sidewalk crowds indicate how truly popular Mark is in his hometown and why he continually draws such tremendous support at election time. This is a great event and we encourage all to join with fellow EDA member and volunteers for events like this (any one of the 3 parades we have each year, from Victoria Day to Christmas!).

Aldergrove Fair Days parade is happening on July 19th and this promises to be another wonderful opportunity to get involved. (Please leave a message at 604-534-1160 to "March with Mark" and be sure to bring your children or grandchildren!)

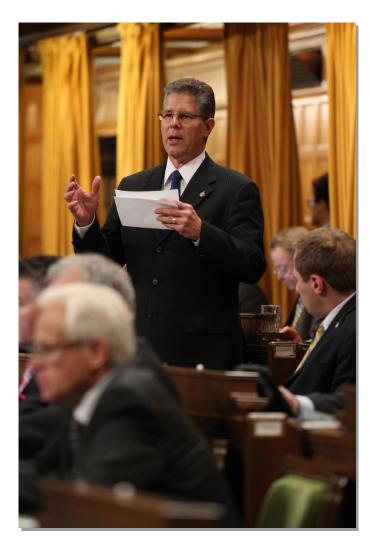








### Mark in the House of Commons



On May 29, 2014, Mark delivered a statement in the House of Commons on Trinity Western University's Law School proposal:

"Mr. Speaker, in 2016, Trinity Western University will open the first private, faith-based law school in Canada.

"Canadians were shocked to hear that the Law Societies in Ontario and Nova Scotia voted not to certify Trinity's law graduates for practice in their province.

"The reason is not because of Trinity's highly respected academic standards. No, these law societies voted against Trinity because they did not like Trinity's Christian Code of Conduct for students that choose to attend. This is a dangerous attack on religious freedoms in Canada, and this affects us all.

"Canada is a country known for human rights and religious freedom. The intolerance demonstrated by these law societies tarnishes Canada's international reputation, making it hypocritical for Canada to speak out internationally when our own religious freedoms are under attack from within.

"I call on the Ontario and Nova Scotia law societies to do the right thing and stop their attack on our religious freedoms."

# Mark in the Community



Willoughby Community Hall ribbon cutting



Ribbon cutting of the new 196 St overpass with City of Langley Mayor Schaeffer



### **Meet Michael Pratt**



Michael



Hello, I'm Michael Pratt. Currently, I'm a Grade 11 student at Brookswood Secondary, and am a proud member of the Langley EDA Board of Directors.

This is my second year on the Board, and it's been a wonderful, as well as educational, experience. Being a teenager and sitting on a Board with all adults definitely helps me to learn people skills that I couldn't acquire at a public high school. That's one of the main reasons I enjoy being on the Board of Directors so much. It also helps keep me in the loop with what's happening in Canada's political landscape, in a way that media might not be able to give me.

I'd like to one day get more involved in politics (after all, my initials are MP!), and so being on a Board with such friendly, helpful people is a great tool for me for the future.

I'm grateful to each of you who voted Conservative in the last election, because without you, there'd be no Board for me to sit on! Thank you very much.

### **Langley Canada Day Celebrations**



On June 30<sup>th</sup> and July 1<sup>st</sup> your Langley EDA will be ringing in Canada's 147<sup>th</sup> birthday at the Langley Event Centre with our traditional booth setup. This year Canada Day coincides with the 4 Day Langley International Festival and we will be celebrating with Bingo games, trivia contests and meet and greet with our MP, Mark Warawa.

We need lots of volunteers for this fabulous fun-filled event. From set-up to take-down, we need to have the booth manned with Bingo callers, card checkers and just people who love to be a part of a great event.

We would greatly appreciate anyone who can give us an hour or two of their time. You won't be bored as there is just so much going on. Call or send us an email.

This is an opportunity to promote Mark and the CPC to your friends and neighbours. Come on out and join us!



### Support Mark Warawa and Invest in Canada's Future!

On June 30<sup>th</sup> and July 1<sup>st</sup> your Langley EDA will be ringing in Canada's 147<sup>th</sup> birthday at the Langley Eve. If we take a minute to look ahead to 2015, we'll see a number of really positive things happening in Canada.

The budget will be balanced, we'll add more jobs to the 1 million-plus that have already been created in Canada since the recession, and we'll be able to keep even more of our hard-earned money in our own pockets.

But don't forget...2015 is also an election year.

We won't just let our positive record speak for itself or believe that we'll win the election easily. It's going to take hard work, planning, dedication, and effort from coast to coast to coast if we're going to elect another Conservative majority government.

But it's worth it.

It's worth it because lower taxes, balanced budgets, more jobs, and more freedom matter to Canadians like you and me.

If we don't win, we're looking at higher taxes, a budget that will have to "balance itself", fewer jobs, and more government interference in our lives.

With so much at stake and just over one year to prepare for the next election, we need to get a move on.

The campaign starts now.

Would you please help re-elect Mark Warawa by making a contribution? Your tax deductible donation goes a long way to ensuring we have a good MP and a good government that doesn't take your tax dollars for granted.

Please send your financial contribution today! Thank you very much for your continued support.

Remember that 100% of your donation will go towards the re-election campaign!

Up to 75% of your donation is eligible for a tax credit. Tax receipts will be issued at the end of the year.

### We accept Visa/MasterCard/AMEX or Cheque:

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