



**FREDERICTON  
CHAMBER  
OF COMMERCE**  
— The Voice of Business —

364 York Street, Suite 200  
Fredericton, NB  
E3B 3P7



### **Fredericton Chamber of Commerce *Questions that Count* for the 2020 New Brunswick Election**

1. What are your top three priorities that you will make happen during your term if elected?
2. What opportunities do you see arising for the Fredericton Region as a result of the pandemic? How can we capitalize on these opportunities?
3. The private sector, especially small business which is the engine of the economy was severely impacted by the pandemic, how will your government support the recovery of our economy?
4. Prior to the pandemic, an aging and declining labour force was a top concern of businesses in our region. Immigration will be more challenging in the short-term – how can government help labour force participation in the province?
5. What natural resource development opportunities are most important to growing the New Brunswick economy? How can government help move these industries forward?
6. The Fredericton Region has been building expertise and capacity in cyber security over the course of several decades. What role can government play in ensuring we remain a global leader in this sector?
7. How should New Brunswick handle a second wave of COVID-19 in New Brunswick? What are the appropriate metrics to trigger another public health shutdown?
8. What are your views on the New Brunswick's 10-year education plan and Green Paper? How do you intend to ensure consistency in the province's education plans?

\*Responses can be returned to Morgan Peters at [advocacy@frederictonchamber.ca](mailto:advocacy@frederictonchamber.ca). As noted in my email, we plan to have all of the responses posted by 8 September 2020, which will give about a week before the election. We may send out a short press release on this date as we will be starting our Leaders' Series that day as well.