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  - a. We want our taxation system to both benefit families and business and if it's not currently working, we need to revisit it and any policy that doesn't work for that matter. I do believe that any major decision needs to be look at through an economic development/burden lens. Decisions made in silos don't usually benefit the masses.
  - b. A Conservative government believes that one of the biggest natural resource opportunity is a national energy corridor. "A new Conservative government will appoint a blue ribbon task force to provide recommendations within six months of its establishment on how best to proceed. We will then work with the provinces and Indigenous peoples, who will both share in the prosperity this project will provide, to realize this vital coast-to-coast link." – Andrew Scheer
  - c. A Conservative government is committed to reducing regulations for business, assigning a Minister that will report directly to the PM for small business and ultimately clearing the runway of red tape so business can get ahead. As far as what interprovincial trade barriers would I most like to see lifted...that answer would be all of the ones that are barriers to NB businesses getting ahead and having full access to the Canadian market.
2.
  - a. My vision for growing our population provincially and regionally is one of economic prosperity and immigration. We need to ensure that our laws at the border are both efficient and effective. We need to focus on economic development to try and reverse the outmigration of our youth and trades people.
  - b. Fredericton can do a better job of attracting and retaining newcomers by developing an integration strategy that covers both cultural needs, educational needs and labour market needs. A Federal government can assist this by partnering and providing support to the local partners.
  - c. Yes I support these measures
3.
  - a. Balancing the budget is high priority for the Conservative Party of Canada.
  - b. I think the federal equalization systems needs to be improved with increased transparency and accountability and I believe having measurable targets and outcomes are the only way to ensure this.
  - c. I think given the state of where our province is as it relates to our aging population, it is something that we should definitely look at.
4.
  - a. Human rights needs to be a priority. Mistreatment of the LGBTQ+ community in Iran and other countries and China's mistreatment of the Muslim community needs to be addressed. In an era where countries are starting to elect populists who ignore the rule of law, Canada needs to be a voice. We also need to strengthen our ties with International Partners such as reclaiming Canada's role with NATO and NORAD and the Commonwealth. To show leadership abroad, we must show respect to our allies and strength to our adversaries.
  - b. Yes, in the case of a minority government, there isn't any party I would not work with.

c. True consultation needs to happen between First Nations and the Federal Government at all levels. On a provincial level, reconciliation cannot happen without true history being taught in our schools.

5. a. Climate change is an urgent problem. I believe real change needs to come from a personal accountability perspective. I also believe that the Federal government needs to hold the biggest polluters accountable and not let them off the hook with carbon credits. Taking the climate fight global also needs to be a priority because unless countries like China and India don't start to lower their emissions, we will be fighting a losing battle.
- b. A Conservative plan for a safer Canada calls for strengthening background checks for gun licenses and make it a crime to provide a firearm to anyone who has been prohibited from owning them. No, I don't feel that there should be different rules for urban and rural areas.
- c. I feel that we have seen an increased negative political climate recently because I feel personal accountability has taken a back seat. I have seen it as a candidate. Just because I have stood up and put my name on a ballot doesn't give people the right to name call, say degrading things and make abusive comments. We need to remember to be kind, ignorance is not an excuse and treat everyone how we want to be treated.