

Question #1 - Are you in favour of rebuilding the infrastructure of roads, buildings and highways that currently exist in the province and, if so would you be in favour of a Fair Wage Policy to ensure that the competition for work is competition that focuses on something other than the wage rate?

The Alberta Party recognizes that investing in infrastructure is a critical part of Alberta's economic future. Our policy process has not vetted a "Fair Wage Policy" and therefore we do not have an explicit answer. We can say that the Alberta Party does believe that value for money is important when it comes to public sector spending. Reviewing how this policy would enhance value for Albertans is something we would consider.

Question #2 - Is your party in favour of allowing one step certification in the case of an unfair labour practice or where the union has demonstrated a significant majority support?

In the case of an unfair labour practice or a significant majority the Alberta Party would support a one-step certification.

Question #3 Does your party favour the enactment of Right-to-work Legislation in the Province of Alberta?

No.

Question #4 Does your party support the provisions of the Skilled Trades and Apprenticeship Education Act (STAEA) and, if so, will you commit to making sufficient resources available to ensure compliance with the provision of the Act and existing regulations?

The Alberta Party supports the skilled trades and apprenticeship however we have not undertaken sufficient research to fully answer this question.

Question #5 Would your party be prepared to update the Common Employer laws in our Province so that they might be brought into line with the Canada Labour Code?

The Alberta Party will always support considering updates to laws that potentially impact employees and employers. We have not fully considered what bringing our legislation into line with the federal code may have so we can only commit to a transparent, collaborative process to review and update.