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# 01

Provided **630 green job opportunities** for young Canadians in the agriculture and agrifood sector under the Agricultural Youth Green Jobs Initiative.

# 02

Helped dairy processors invest in robotic and other automated systems to improve **farm productivity** through the four-year, \$100-million Dairy Processing Investment Fund, and the five-year, \$250-million Dairy Farm Investment Program.

# 03

Invested \$100 million in agricultural science and research, and hired 75 new agricultural scientists to address emerging priorities, such as **climate change** and **water conservation** to help mitigate biological threats to agriculture.

# 04

Local Food Infrastructure Fund: \$50 million for **local food projects**, including food banks and farmers' markets

# 05

Worked with Farm Credit Canada to reduce the **stigma around mental health** in Canadian agriculture by collaborating with 4H Canada and industry partners to create a national program that supports the mental and physical health of 4H youth, and created a resource for managing stress and anxiety on the farm titled, Rooted in Strength, which has been delivered to every farm in Canada.

# 06

Introduced a new loan designed specifically for **women agricultural entrepreneurs** through Farm Credit Canada in Budget 2018.

# 07

Provided essential support to update the **Canadian Organic Standards** to ensure that production methodologies reflect current practices and technological advances being used by the organic industry.

# 08

Food Waste Reduction Challenge: \$20 million to create a new challenge with funding awarded for the most **innovative food waste reduction** proposals in three sectors: food processing, grocery retail, and food service.

# 09

Invested \$25 million in the Agricultural Clean Technology Program which will contribute to Canada's place as a world leader in **clean agricultural technology**, help farmers develop new and efficient uses of energy, protect our environmental resources, and help mitigate climate change.

# 10

Advancing innovation in Canada's beef sector with a \$14 million federal investment focused on improving the **sustainability of Canadian beef** and forage production, growing beef exports and supplying high quality Canadian beef to people around the world.

# 01

Delivered on our promise to legalize, strictly regulate and restrict access to **cannabis**, in order to better keep it out of the hands of youth, and profits away from criminals.

# 02

Announced new measures which are the first significant reform to the Criminal Code transportation regime in more than four decades, which according to Mothers Against Drunk Driving will **reduce impaired driving** by about 20% annually, saving 200 lives and preventing an estimated 12,000 injuries.

# 03

Made it illegal to sell or give cannabis to a minor or use a minor to commit a **cannabis-related offence**.

# 04

Investing \$108 million to support cannabis **public education and awareness** and our social media and digital campaign has already reached tens of millions of Canadians.

# 05

Reduced **work permit processing times** from three months to less than 30 days for asylum claimants so that they can support their families while a decision is made on their claim. So far, the number of those who crossed irregularly has dropped by 48% when compared to the same time last year.

# 06

Reached 15 million households with our cannabis-related **national mailout**, while our videos have appeared more than 160 million times across social media.

# 07

Whereas the Harper Conservatives cut over \$900 million from both the CBSA and RCMP, we are reinvesting in these agencies to allow them to better detect and intercept would be irregular crossers and maintain the **integrity and fairness** of our asylum system.

# 08

Provided \$86 million to the Canadian Border Service Agency and RCMP to help **prevent illegal firearms** and concealed goods from coming into the country illegally, while providing the necessary resources for firearm investigations.

# 09

Lead a collaborative and comprehensive review of a **potential ban on handguns** and assault-style rifles, while not impeding the lawful use of firearms by Canadians.

# 10

Introduced **Bill C-93** to remove the stigma of a criminal record for people who have shown themselves to be law abiding citizens. This includes waiving pardon wait times and application fees for those convicted of simple possession.

# 01

Doubled funding to **Canada Council for the Arts**, the country's largest arts funder, to \$550 million over five years. Its budget had not been increased since 2006 and a Quarter of these new funds will go to first-time recipients.

# 02

Developing Canadian content and continue support to **create good jobs** in the cultural sector, including for our writers, producers, directors, actors, and crews with an additional investment of \$172 million in the Canada Media Fund.

# 03

Increased investment for the first time in 10 years in **festivals and the performing arts** with more funding to the relevant Heritage program (\$40 million for 2019-2021).

# 04

Supported **Canadian musicians** and the production, promotion, and distribution of Canadian music by reinvesting \$20 million for 2019-2021 in the Canada Music Fund.

# 05

Restored and increased funding to support **CBC/RadioCanada** with \$675 million over five years, allowing them to support and promote Canadian content, and hire reporters in smaller communities.

# 06

Supported **independent journalism** and protecting our democracy with \$595 million, through various measures.

# 07

Invested nearly \$2 billion in **cultural infrastructure** as part of the Investing in Canada Plan, helping communities repair, upgrade, and improve facilities like theatres, museums and creative hubs.

# 08

Supported **Library and Archives Canada** by undertaking the two largest non-defence federal construction projects: the construction of a second collection preservation centre in Gatineau, and the construction of a new home for LAC, colocated with the Ottawa Public Library.

# 09

Tabled the first ever **Indigenous Languages Act**, co-developed with First Nations, Metis and Inuit partners, to ensure that the Government of Canada provides stable, adequate and long-term funding for Indigenous Languages.

# 10

Addressed the specific challenges facing **Black Canadian Youth** by investing \$9 million in the Community Support for Black Canadian Youth.

# 01

Created **two new departments** focusing on Indigenous issues that will increase capacity to implement the existing and future agreements with Indigenous Peoples, following the recommendation of the Royal Commission on Aboriginal Peoples.

# 02

Launched the **National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls**. Our response to the interim report has been substantive, and includes nearly \$50 million in new funding.

# 03

Working with residential school survivors, Indigenous Peoples, provinces, territories and educators to incorporate aboriginal and treaty rights, the history of residential schools and Indigenous contributions into the **school curricula**.

# 04

We have been working with First Nations to resolve **historical grievances** through specific claims, at twice the rate of any previous government in Canadian history.

# 05

December 1, 2018 marked the implementation of the **Sixties Scoop Settlement**, which provides compensation to survivors, and recognizes the harm done when children are taken from their families and communities.

# 06

Alongside representative plaintiff Gary McLean, Reached an Agreement-in-Principle to support **survivors of Indian Day schools**, including a \$200 million investment to support healing, wellness, education and culture, bringing us one step closer to bringing meaningful resolution and righting historical wrongs.

# 07

Established and maintained **bilateral relationships** with the Assembly of First Nations, Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami and the four Inuit Nunangat Regions, the Métis National Council and its governing members, and modern treaty and self-governing First Nations, to develop policy on shared priorities and monitor our progress going forward.

# 08

Took **immediate action** with investments in women's shelters, housing, education, and reform of child welfare.

# 09

Implementing the **United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples**.

# 10

Signed the Métis Nation Housing sub-agreement to **address the housing needs** of the Métis Nation through a \$500 million investment in housing services.

# 01

Implemented a new **non-partisan, merit based** Senate appointments process. So far, 49 Senators have been appointed under this independent new process.

# 02

Passed Bill C-50, providing greater transparency about **political fundraising** events by letting Canadians know who is attending, where and when they are happening, and the amount required to attend.

# 03

Engaged with **social media platforms** to ensure they are responsive to matters relating to election campaigns.

# 04

The Communications Security Establishment released a first-of-its-kind report entitled Cyber Threats to Canada's Democratic Process as part of our continued efforts to engage with our partners to **defend Canada's democratic process** from cyber threats and attacks on Canadian democracy. The Communication Security Establishment recently released an updated version of the report.

# 05

Passed Bill C-76 to better address the realities of the 21st century. Bill C-76 represents a generational overhaul of the Canada Elections Act and will take steps to make our elections **more accessible, more secure, and more transparent**. Bill C-76 also reverses the changes to the Elections Act that the Conservatives put in place, which impeded Canadians' ability to vote.

# 06

Announced the Government's plan to safeguard the 2019 Federal Election along with the Minister of Public Safety and the Minister of Defence. This plan will help defend Canadian democracy and further **strengthen our electoral systems** against cyber-enabled and other threats.

# 07

Announced the **Right Honourable David Johnston** as our nominee for the independent Leaders' Debates Commissioner. The Leaders' Debates Commission has a mandate to oversee the organization of two leaders' debates, one in each official language, for the 2019 federal election.



# 01

Filling **skilled trades** shortages by investing \$46 million over five years to develop and enhance pre-apprenticeship training.

# 02

Developing a new plan to give **adult learners** the support they need to succeed in the workforce: SkillsBoost, a new \$1,600 per year Canada Student Grant and new flexibilities for EI, is making going back to school within reach for adults who've been out of school for 10 years or longer.

# 03

Passed Bill C-65 to ensure that federally regulated workplaces are free from **harassment and sexual violence**.

# 04

Launched Canada's Youth Policy – created **for youth, by youth** – to help the voices of young people better guide government priorities and actions. This policy will go a long way to lift up diverse youth voices and make sure more young people have the chance to take part in federal decision-making.

# 05

Investing over \$6 billion over six years for Ontario's workers. This means up to **220,000 more workers** in Ontario will have access to training programs, work placements, employer-sponsored training, job search assistance, career counselling, and more.

# 06

Modernized **federal labour standards** to better protect our workers and set the stage for good quality jobs.

# 07

Invested \$46 million over five years for a new program to develop and enhance **pre-apprenticeship training**, starting in 2018-19, with \$10 million per year ongoing. This measure will help Canadians, particularly underrepresented groups such as women, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, and newcomers, to explore the trades, gain work experience, make informed career choices and develop the skills needed to succeed.

# 08

Investing \$9.5 million to conduct research and disseminate knowledge for **women entrepreneurs**.

# 09

To help students better manage the mounting pressure of higher education costs, our government lowered the **floating interest rate** on Canada Student Loans to prime plus 2.5% starting in 2019-20.

# 10

Introduced legislation to **eliminate unpaid internships** in federally regulated sectors to ensure that young Canadians are getting meaningful paid work experience.

# 01

## **Low Carbon Economy Leadership Fund:**

To date, through LCEF, the Government has entered into agreements with 9 provinces and territories and invested in 44 programs totalling over \$819 million that will **reduce emissions** and create clean growth.

# 02

Investing \$1.3 billion over five years, including \$500 million to create a new Nature Fund to **protect species at risk**, expand wildlife areas and sanctuaries, manage protected areas, implement the Species at Risk Act, and establish a coordinated network of conservation areas.

# 03

**Clean Fuel Standard:** Implementing a Clean Fuel Standard that will **reduce carbon pollution** by 30 million tonnes—equal to taking more than seven million cars off the road.

# 04

**EcoAction:** Through the EcoAction Community Funding Program, the Government invested over \$4.3 million in 2018/19 to support 58 **community-based projects** that protect, rehabilitate or enhance the natural environment.

# 05

We introduced **new legislation** for the review of major projects that will: protect our environment, fish and waterways; rebuild public trust and respect Indigenous rights; and strengthen our economy and encourage investment.

# 06

**Phasing out coal:** Phasing out coal power and transitioning to **90% clean electricity**, for cleaner air and healthier communities.

# 07

We signed a historic agreement with the International Civil Aviation Organization in 2017 to address **greenhouse gas emissions** from the aviation sector.

# 08

We negotiated and ratified the Paris Agreement in 2015, and pushed for an ambitious goal to **limit climate change** to 1.5 degrees Celsius.

# 09

**Action on Plastics:** Canada championed international efforts to **reduce plastic pollution** by spearheading the development of the Ocean Plastics Charter at the G7 leaders' summit. And, in November 2018, federal, provincial and territorial environment ministers agreed to a Canadawide Strategy on Zero Plastic Waste to guide actions in order to keep plastics in our economy and out of landfills and the environment. Canada has also committed to invest more than \$100 million to reduce plastic waste in Canada and in developing countries.

# 10

**Methane:** We have put in place regulations to reduce limiting air pollution and **reducing health issues** like asthma by reducing methane emissions by 40% to 45% by 2025.

# 01

Introduced the new Canada Child Benefit that's helping **nine out of 10 families** receive more money every month for groceries, school supplies, and extra-curriculars like music lessons.

# 02

Partnered with Indigenous organizations to co-develop a 10-year, \$1.7 billion **Indigenous Early Learning and Child Care Framework** that reflects the unique cultures and needs of First Nations, Inuit, and Métis children across Canada.

# 03

As part of Budget 2019, introduced legislation recognizing the right of Canadians to access **adequate housing**, while also requiring all future governments to maintain a national housing strategy.

# 04

Expanded EI **parental leave** options to give new parents the choice of taking their benefits over either 12 months or 18 months.

# 05

Established a **National Advisory Council on Poverty** as part of the Poverty Reduction Act, with the responsibility of advising the Government on issues related to poverty.

# 06

Improving access to higher quality **early learning** and **child care** by investing an historic \$7.5 billion over 11 years. The amounts invested over the next three years could create up to 40,000 new spaces for children.

# 07

Created more than 12,000 **new housing units** for seniors, including 5,000 new units through investments in Budget 2016, and 7,000 new units through the National Housing Strategy.

# 08

Introduced the **First-Time Home Buyer Incentive** to allow eligible first-time home buyers to apply to finance a portion of their home purchase through a shared equity mortgage with Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC).

# 09

Created or repaired more than **7,000 shelter spaces** for survivors of family violence.

# 10

Established the **National Housing Strategy**, where at least 25% of investments will be allocated to projects for women, girls and their families

# 01

Put in place a strong plan to **invest in the middle class** and build an economy that works for everyone.

# 02

Strengthening **Canada's AntiMoney Laundering** framework to adopt international best practices, provide new tools for investigators and prosecutors, and support regulatory compliance in the private sector.

# 03

According to the OECD, Canadian families now have one of the **lowest effective tax** rates in the OECD, and the lowest in the G7 – largely thanks to the new Canada Child Benefit and Middle Class Tax Cut.

# 04

Raised income taxes on the **wealthiest one percent**, in order to cut them for nine million middle-class Canadians. As a result, single Canadians now save an average of \$330 each year, with an average savings of \$540 each year for couples.

# 05

Supporting Canadians with disabilities, who face financial barriers while entering the workforce, by increasing the income level at which the **Canada Workers Benefit** is phased out, and increasing the maximum benefit available through the Canada Workers Benefit disability supplement.

# 06

Canadians have created over **1 million new jobs** – about 75% of them full-time – pushing unemployment to historic lows.

# 07

Reached an historic agreement with the provinces to enhance the Canada Pension plan by up to 50%, so Canadians can look forward to a **more secure retirement**.

# 08

Giving small businesses an opportunity to grow and succeed by **lowering the small business tax** from 11% in 2015 to 9% in 2019. Canada now has the lowest small business tax rate in the G7.

# 09

Celebrating the life of **Viola Desmond**, a Canadian human rights icon who fought against injustice, with a new bank note featuring Desmond, who is now the first Canadian woman to be featured on a regular circulation Canadian bank note.

# 10

Passing the Canadian Gender Budgeting Act to **enshrine gender budgeting** in the government's budgetary and fiscal management processes and require the Government to publish information on the GBA+ impacts of all budget measures.

# 01

Protecting Canada's coasts and waterways with the historic \$1.5 billion **Oceans Protection Plan**, which aims to strengthen partnerships and allow us to better co-manage our oceans with Indigenous communities.

# 02

Invested \$107.4 million under the modernized Fisheries Act to rebuild our **major fish stocks** to ensure that they are healthy and sustainable in the years to come.

# 03

Investing \$21.6 million, starting in 2017-18, to support the **Aquatic Climate Change Adaptation Services Program** and the **Northern Transportation Adaptation Initiative**.

# 04

Protecting, preserving, and recovering **endangered whale species** by investing \$167.4 million over five years in research and actions to help address threats arising from human activities.

# 05

Moving forward with our Provinces and Territories with the development of an Aquaculture Act that will set consistent national standards and ensure we are a global leader in producing **high quality aquaculture projects**.

# 06

Made amendments to Bill C-68 that will further reconciliation by requiring the Minister to **consider Indigenous knowledge** under the Fisheries Act for all fish habitat related decision. C-68 will also allow the government to enter into agreements with Indigenous governing bodies

# 07

Took concrete actions to help the endangered Southern Resident Killer Whale by introducing **new fishery management measures** to protect their preferred food source and reducing disturbance to whales while they eat.

# 08

Increased the proportion of **protected marine and coastal areas** from 1% in 2015 to over 7.5%, surpassing our goal of 5%.

# 09

Furthering the **protection of eight at-risk species**, including two whale and three fish species, by signing eight Critical Habitat Orders under the Species at Risk Act.

# 10

Helping **protect our coasts and marine life** with the \$75-million Coastal Restoration Fund under the Oceans Protection Plan.

# 01

Made the defence of the **rules-based international order** central to our foreign policy.

# 02

**Successfully signed** the Canada-European Union Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA), the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP), and the Canada-United States-Mexico Agreement (CUSMA).

# 03

Canada led the creation of the Group of Eminent Experts investigating **human rights in Yemen**.

# 04

We have committed over \$3 billion to building greater **peace and stability in Syria and Iraq**, including funding to protect the most vulnerable populations in the region.

# 05

Reaffirmed our commitment to strengthen the **strategic partnership** between Canada and Japan, and agreed to strengthen strategic dialogue between the two countries.

# 06

Pledged over \$300 million in **humanitarian funding** and announced a 3-year aid and development strategy as a response to the crisis in Myanmar.

# 07

Negotiated a **new NAFTA deal** that safeguards more than \$2 billion a day in cross-border trade and tariff-free access for more than 70% of Canadian exports, and will improve opportunities for Canadians.

# 08

In August 2018, the Canadian Armed Forces' helicopter Aviation Task Force to the **UN mission in Mali** became operational.

# 09

Launched **Canada's National Action Plan for the Implementation of the UNSC Resolutions on Women, Peace and Security 2017-2022** in November 2017

# 10

Took a leadership role in the **creation of the Lima Group** (a group of countries of the hemisphere focused on returning Venezuela to democracy).

# 01

Reformed the House of Commons to foster greater accountability, openness, transparency and **enhanced democracy**, making Parliament more relevant to Canadians.

# 02

**Changed Question Period** to make the government and the Prime Minister more accountable. In April 2017, the Prime Minister's Question Period (PMQP) was created. On Wednesdays, the Prime Minister answers every question posed by opposition members from coast to coast to coast.

# 03

Ensured Liberal MPs have a strong voice in the House of Commons by **permitting free votes**, except in matters of confidence, election promises, or protections guaranteed by the Charter of Rights and Freedoms. As members of the government caucus, our MPs are better able to represent the voices of their constituents in Ottawa.

# 04

Worked with cabinet colleagues to pass legislation to help make workplaces in federally regulated industries, and on Parliament Hill, **free from harassment and sexual violence**. This means Parliament, the federal government, and federally regulated employers will be leaders in creating safe and inclusive workplaces for Canadians. Additionally, all the Liberal caucus members participated in online and in-person training sessions on harassment provided by the House of Commons.

# 05

Collaborated with the Senate to improve Parliament as the Prime Minister uses a new **merit-based appointments** process to modernize the Senate and make it less partisan. More than half of the Prime Minister's 49 new Senate appointments are women.

# 06

Ended the **improper use of omnibus bills** and prorogation through a change in the Standing Orders. The Speaker now has the power to split bills for the purpose of voting, allowing MPs to vote for some parts of a bill and against other parts if they do not reflect their own priorities. Also, the government must now justify in writing to the House of Commons the reasons for having prorogued Parliament.

# 07

Made Parliament **more family friendly** and helped encourage the next generation of women to run for office. The government now schedules votes immediately following Question Period rather than later in the evening when possible and the House sitting calendar is tabled prior to the summer adjournment. In the newly-opened West Block of Parliament, there is now a family room which includes a nursing chair, a crib, and a diaper-changing table. Parliament also passed our government's legislation to allow Parliamentarians to take maternity and parental leave.

# 01

**Updated Canada's Food Guide** to strengthen our recommendations on healthy food choices and healthy eating behaviours.

# 02

Giving more Canadians **better access to home, community, and palliative care services** that will help them stay and receive care in their communities with an historic \$6 billion investment over the next 10 years.

# 03

In Budget 2019 the Government proposes to work with provinces, territories and stakeholders to establish a national strategy for high-cost drugs for rare diseases. Budget 2019 proposes to invest up to \$1 billion over two years, starting in 2022–23, with up to \$500 million per year ongoing, to **help Canadians with rare diseases access the drugs they need.**

# 04

In 2018 - invested \$6 million over three years in Pallium to **increase capacity to deliver palliative care in communities** across the country. Pallium Canada's Learning Essential Approaches to Palliative Care (LEAP) program will focus on strengthening palliative care capacity for providers, communities and systems.

# 05

**Improving access to treatment services** through an Emergency Treatment Fund of \$150 million matched by provinces and territories.

# 06

To help Canada move to a more **coordinated and effective approach to organ donation and transplantation**, Budget 2019 proposes to provide Health Canada with \$36.5 million over five years, starting in 2019–20, with \$5 million per year ongoing, to develop a pan Canadian data and performance system for organ donation and transplantation, in collaboration with provincial and territorial partners. This will help to improve consistency and quality in data, allowing more donors and recipients to be effectively matched in order to ensure Canadians have timely and effective access to organ transplant care.

# 07

Since 2017: the Government has committed over \$350 million in funding toward a **comprehensive public health emergency response** to the opioid crisis.

# 08

Enhanced the **delivery of culturally appropriate substance use treatment** and prevention services in First Nations and Inuit communities.

# 09

Proposed regulations that will **lower prices for public drug plans and drug prices** for Canadians.

# 10

Passed Bill S-5, the Tobacco and Vaping Products Act, to **protect young people** from nicotine and tobacco use.



# 01

Responsibly **growing immigration levels** to 350,000 by 2021 72% of the growth by 2021 is in economic programs.

# 02

Launched the **Global Skills Strategy** to bring highly-skilled workers, attract entrepreneurs and support job-creating businesses in growth industries.

# 03

Led the world in responding to the largest refugee crisis since WWII by **welcoming 60,000+ Syrian refugees**.

# 04

Ended **two classes of citizenship** and restored the principle that a Canadian is a Canadian.

# 05

Signed new **Youth Mobility Agreements** with Australia and Portugal, expanding travel, work and study opportunities for Canadian and international youth.

# 06

Invested \$78.6 million in Budget 2019 to **improve visa processing**.

# 07

Introduced **“X” gender** as an option on passports to support diversity and inclusion.

# 08

While the previous government cut funding for refugee healthcare, which the courts called “cruel and unusual” treatment, in Budget 2019 our government enhanced the **Interim Federal Healthcare Plan**, which asylum claimants will continue to have access to.

# 09

Updating the Citizenship Guide to be more **reflective of Indigenous history** and of Canadians’ diversity.

# 10

Revising the **Citizenship Oath** to be in line with the Truth and Reconciliation Commission’s recommendations.

# 01

Since November 2015, **85 longterm drinking water advisories** have been lifted from public systems on reserve. Work is underway to end the remaining 58 long-term advisories and prevent further short-term advisories from becoming long-term. Current as of May, 2019.

# 02

Signed and established the Anishinabek Education Agreement – the largest First Nations education agreement in Canada’s history—which will **return control over education** to 23 First Nations communities in Ontario.

# 03

Invested in **176 health infrastructure projects** that are now completed and 31 which are underway. These projects include building or repairing nursing stations, health centres, drug and alcohol treatment centres, and Aboriginal Head Start on Reserve facilities, in 164 First Nation communities.

# 04

Working to ensure the **security and well being** of Indigenous women and girls by supporting a network of 42 – soon to be 46 – shelters on reserve.

# 05

Co-developed, with Indigenous peoples, new legislation to reduce the number of Indigenous children and youth in care and **improve child and family services**.

# 06

In January 2019, the Government of Canada and the Assembly of First Nations, after extensive engagement with First Nations, announced a new **co-developed policy and funding approach** for First Nations kindergarten to Grade 12 education on reserve, starting April 1, 2019.

# 07

Since July 2016, more than **218,000 requests** have been approved under Jordan’s Principle for vital health, social, and educational services (includes speech therapy, educational supports, medical equipment, mental health services) since April 2019.

# 08

Invested \$118.2 million over 5 years, to further support capacity for **essential mental health services**, including on-the-land activities and culture-as-medicine.

# 09

For First Nations housing on reserve alone, we have committed more than \$1 billion with over **16,100 housing units** being built, renovated or lots serviced since Budget 2016, benefitting 443,000 people in 568 communities.

# 10

Approved 256 additions to reserves, adding over **170,000 acres** to reserves.

# 01

Established the Canada Infrastructure Bank, which uses federal funds to **attract private sector investment** in transformational infrastructure projects that are in the public interest.

# 02

Invested in **2557 km** of new and upgraded highways and roads.

# 03

Ensuring that unspent infrastructure funds from older, inactive programs are **transferred to municipalities** through the Gas Tax Fund to support local infrastructure priorities.

# 04

Launched the Smart Cities Challenge, a competition that provides funding to winning proposals from communities across Canada that use **technology and data to improve people's lives**. The 20 finalist communities have been selected and are working on their final submissions. The winners will be announced in late spring 2019.

# 05

Funded the purchase or refurbishment of more than **8000 new and refurbished buses**.

# 06

Funded **284 water or wastewater projects** in 154 indigenous communities (est. 171,509 total residents), of which 100% or 284 are either underway or completed.

# 07

Completed more than **1370 wastewater projects**.

# 08

Contributing \$1.15 billion towards the **Ottawa Light Rail Transit Stage 2 Project** to better connect the east, west, and south areas of the city, improve commutes, and keep the air we breathe cleaner.

# 09

Launched the Disaster Mitigation and Adaptation Fund, a 10-year, \$2 billion national program designed to help communities better withstand current and **future risks of natural hazards**. Hundreds of millions of dollars have now been rolled out for projects across the country.

# 10

Approved more than **4,800 projects** across the country—that's more than four times what the previous government approved in the last five years of their mandate.

# 01

Introduced the Innovation and Skills Plan to build a **foundation for success and global competitiveness** by championing ingenuity and embracing change and disruption. The Plan is a major redesign of the innovation policy landscape in Canada.

# 02

Announced over \$400 million in support for the **auto sector** in Ontario.

# 03

Reached an agreement with the provinces and territories on the principles of a **Canadian broadband strategy**. In Budget 2019, we made an ambitious new commitment to ensure every single household and business in Canada has access to highspeed internet of 50 Mbps download and 10 Mbps upload by 2030.

# 04

Took action to **protect the data and personal information** of Canadians by introducing new rules under the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA) to ensure Canadians can have confidence that their data is safe and their privacy is respected.

# 05

Investing in a **growth and innovation network** along the Waterloo–Toronto–Ottawa corridor by bringing together three top innovation hubs: Communitech, MaRS Discovery District, and Invest Ottawa. Together, they will implement the Scale-Up Platform to help innovative companies grow more quickly and create 18,000 high-quality, skilled jobs

# 06

Invested in the Innovation Superclusters Initiative that will **accelerate innovation** and incent collaboration on ambitious market-driven proposals. This unprecedented collaboration across sectors will create 50,000 new middle-class jobs across the country and grow our economy by \$50 billion over ten years.

# 07

Allocated \$1.3 billion in new funding to Canada's six Regional Development Agencies (RDAs) to build a strong foundation for **sustained and inclusive regional growth**. The regional growth strategies—three of which have been announced to date—lay to the strengths of the RDAs as conveners in regional economic ecosystems. Since we took office, the RDAs have supported over 4,800 projects and 2,000 communities; leveraging over \$5.7 billion in investment.

# 08

Announced over \$2.5 billion in investment in Canada's **space sector**.

# 09

Announced the **Prosperity and Growth Strategy for Northern Ontario** (PGSNO) to deliver the Innovation and Skills Plan in a way that makes sense to local communities, businesses, and people.

# 10

Creating or maintaining over **65,000 jobs** through \$1.12 billion in contributions to 39 Strategic Innovation Fund projects announced to date.

# 01

Taking action to **break down trade barriers** between provinces and territories, which makes up almost 20% of Canada's annual GDP, or almost \$370 billion.

# 02

Making **building codes available for free**, and working to standardize them across the country. Having one set of rules means that a sector that employs nearly 1.4 million Canadians can be more competitive and can focus on growth and creating more jobs.

# 03

Invested \$14 million over five years, starting in 2019-20, to the **Canadian Space Agency** to identify opportunities where space, health and Indigenous partners could work together to develop approaches and innovative technology solutions to address challenges common to both deep space and remote health care environments.

# 04

Agreed with provinces and territories to work to develop **harmonized standards** in trucking sector and facilitate the trade of alcohol between provinces and territories.

# 05

Eliminated the only remaining **federal barrier to trade** in alcoholic beverages within Canada, taking the first step to give Canadians better access to Canadian products without restrictions.

# 06

Implemented the Safe Food for Canadians Regulations which allow **greater market access** opportunities for Canadian food products exported abroad and reduced the unnecessary administrative burden placed on businesses by replacing 14 sets of regulations with one.

# 07

Accelerating amendments to the **Energy Efficiency Regulations** for certain household appliances, so they align with the broader North American market.

# 08

Invested \$5.1 million over 2 years to the Canadian Economic Development Agency for a Canadian Experiences Fund to **invest in tourism infrastructure**.

# 09

Establishing a Task Force to study post-secondary education in Canada's Arctic and northern regions through an investment of \$1 million, over two years starting in 2019-2020. The Task Force will make recommendations to the federal and territorial governments and Indigenous partners on establishing a robust system of **postsecondary education in the North**.

# 10

Invested \$220 million, over five years, to provide **services to Inuit children** as work continues with Inuit and other governments to improve service delivery.

# 01

Developed and implemented the first-ever **Feminist International Assistance Policy**, revolutionizing Canada's approach to international assistance and setting new global standards in transformative aid.

# 02

Launched a new policy entitled A Feminist Approach: Gender Equality in Humanitarian Assistance. Through this policy, Canada will be taking action to increase the **gender responsiveness of its humanitarian action**, not only because women and girls are disproportionately affected by crises but also because they are powerful agents of change and can strengthen our entire humanitarian responses.

# 03

Investing \$2 billion over five years in the **Feminist International Assistance Policy**, the largest increase to Canadian international assistance since 2002, to promote gender equality and empower women and girls.

# 04

Directing at least 50% of our **bilateral international development assistance** to SubSaharan Africa by 2021-22, as per our Feminist International Assistance Policy.

# 05

Investing \$1.5 billion for **innovative development financing**.

# 06

Established FinDev Canada, Canada's **first development finance institute**. It will make smart investments to promote international development, women's economic empowerment, and climate change mitigation.

# 07

Provided over \$949 million in response to humanitarian needs in 2018. This includes our **humanitarian response** to natural disasters and crises in the Middle East, as well as our support towards Rohingya refugees.

# 08

Announced over \$1.3 billion in new funding for our **whole-of-government Middle East Strategy**, which focuses on stability and long-term resilience.

# 09

Provided \$12 million to help **eliminate landmines** and other explosive remnants of war in affected areas of the world.

# 10

Announced **funding for LGBTQ2+ organizations**. We are dedicating \$30 million over five years, followed by \$10 million annually, in support of LGBTQ2+ organizations and their work to promote human rights.

# 01

Equipping Canadian businesses to **expand into new markets and sectors** with the tools and expertise to succeed with Canada's trade diversification strategy.

# 02

Created more jobs by being one of the first six countries to ratify and implement the **Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for TransPacific Partnership (CPTPP)**.

# 03

Stood firmly behind Canadian **canola farmers** and secured market access for their high quality canola. There was an increase of 17.5% of Canadian canola exports to CPTPP countries for January 2019, year-over-year.

# 04

Implementing the **Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA)** which ensures competitiveness of small and medium-sized businesses with the European Union, including removing tariffs on 98% of the EU's tariff lines.

# 05

Leading three landmark trade missions this year, starting with the **Business Women in International trade (BWIT)** mission, followed by the first-ever ministerial-led LGBTQ2+ mission, and the first-ever mission dedicated to Indigenous business owners.

# 06

Creating jobs for the middle class and those working hard to join it by modernizing **Canada's free trade deal with Israel (CIFTA)**.

# 07

Modernized the CanadaChile Free Trade Agreement that now includes a chapter dedicated to **gender equality and women's empowerment**. The new Canada-Chile Free Trade Agreement came into force on February 5 2019.

# 08

Investing \$867 million to support workers and **communities affected by unfair duties** from the United States, which will diversify our forest products and international markets, and facilitate access to a range of financial services for our producers on commercial terms.

# 09

Supported more than 1,200 Canadian small and medium-sized enterprises with 1,500 projects to **expand their markets and increase export activities** in more than 110 markets around the world through the \$100-million expansion of the CanExport program.

# 10

Investing \$147.9 million over five years toward the **International Education Strategy**, with \$8 million per year ongoing to help Canadian post-secondary students gain the skills needed to succeed in a global economy and to attract the best and brightest international students to Canada.

# 01

Enhancing access to justice and **improving outcomes for Canadian families** by investing \$77.2 million over four years to support the expansion of Unified Family Courts. This will create a more streamlined process for those who rely on court services for issues such as separation, divorce, support, and custody disputes. This funding supported the creation of 39 UFC judicial positions in Alberta, Ontario, Nova Scotia, and Newfoundland and Labrador.

# 02

Introduced Bill C-78 to **support families facing divorce and separation**. This legislation will reduce costly litigation, improve dispute resolution, and increase access to justice while always putting children's interests first.

# 03

Introduced a new **Supreme Court appointment process** that is open, transparent, and sets a higher standard for accountability.

# 04

Introduced a new, open, transparent, and **merit-based appointment process** to appoint judges.

# 05

Introduced new legislation to fulfill our promise to move forward with **comprehensive criminal justice reforms** and address the over-representation of Indigenous people and other marginalized groups in our justice system.

# 06

Issued the **Indigenous Litigation Directive** which will guide the Government of Canada's legal approaches, positions and decisions taken in civil litigation involving Aboriginal and treaty rights, and the Crown's obligation towards Indigenous peoples. It emphasizes the importance of resolving conflicts expeditiously and collaboratively, reducing the use of litigation and the courts.

# 07

Introduced **Bill C-75**, which will keep communities safe, respect victims, hold offenders to account, and address delays. Our Government has taken critical steps in cooperation with our provincial and territorial partners to comprehensively address this issue and bring about a necessary culture shift within the criminal justice system.

# 08

Strengthening laws to punish more severely those who **drive while impaired** by alcohol and drugs.

# 09

Passed Bill C-51 to **clarify and strengthen sexual assault laws**, to ensure that victims of sexual assault and gender-based violence are treated with the utmost respect.

# 10

**Modernized the judicial process**, an important step towards ensuring that our judiciary reflects Canada's diversity



# 01

Committed to strengthening the **Canadian Armed Forces** by growing the Regular Force to 71,500 members and the Reserves to 30,000. After a decade of Conservative neglect, our Government is proud to be taking action to grow and strengthen our Armed Forces. Our Government and the entire leadership of the Canadian Armed Forces are committed to building a Defence Team with values of diversity, respect and inclusion.

# 02

Renewed our **commitment to advance democracy, human rights, and the rule of law** in Ukraine, by extending our military training mission in Ukraine until March 2022.

# 03

Helping to bolster the **safety and security of Jordan**, its citizens, and the region. In 2017, we announced our intent to support the construction and rehabilitation of a road along Jordan's northern border with Syria. We are proud to be able to say that shovels are now in the ground.

# 04

Providing **stable, predictable, and realistic long-term funding** by supporting our military with an increase of over 70% in defence spending.

# 05

Announced a \$1.5 million contribution in **emergency assistance** to support humanitarian organizations responding to the aftermath of the earthquake and tsunami in Indonesia in October 2018.

# 06

Acquiring **88 fighter jets** to replace the aging CF18 fleet through an open and transparent competition. This competition will ensure we get the right aircraft at the right price, while creating job opportunities for Canada's middle class and those working hard to join it.

# 07

Ended Canada's **combat mission in Iraq and Syria**, as promised in the 2015 election.

# 08

Continuing to lead a multinational battle group in Latvia, and extending our commitment to 2023. We are **increasing the number of deployed troops** from 450 to 540 in contribution to NATO's deterrence and defence posture to deter Russian aggression and assure peace and stability in Europe.

# 09

Launched the Positive Space Initiative within the Canadian Armed Forces to **promote a safe and inclusive work environment** for all, regardless of their sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression.

# 10

Launched the Canadian Centre for Cyber Security, for which Budget 2018 committed \$155 million. This new Centre will provide Canadian citizens and business with a **trusted place for cyber security** to meet the cyber security challenges of today and tomorrow.

# 01

Expanded the Liaison Officer program, which **helps small unincorporated business owners** understand their tax obligations. Businesses across Canada can now request visits on demand.

# 02

Launched the **CRA BizApp** in January 2018, which allows small business owners to check balances owing and make payments from any mobile device anytime and anywhere.

# 03

Quadrupled the funding of the **Community Volunteer Income Tax Program** (CVITP), and introduced a year-round dedicated help line for volunteers. The CVITP assists vulnerable Canadians with tax filing and access to the benefits and credits to which they are entitled.

# 04

Ensured that all Canadians, including persons with disabilities, receive the benefits that they are entitled to from the Canada Revenue Agency by **reinstating the Disability Advisory Committee** that was disbanded by the Harper Conservatives. Our government also allowed Nurse Practitioners to certify the application forms of their patients.

# 05

Protected sensitive taxpayer information by **enhancing security measures** at the Canada Revenue Agency through an investment of \$30 million over five years.

# 06

Undertook a new initiative in 2016-2017 to **proactively contact Canadians** who were potentially eligible for tax benefits but were not receiving them and continued it in subsequent years.

# 07

Introduced the **File my Return** service for Canadians with a low or a fixed income and whose situation remains unchanged year-to-year. Eligible Canadians are able to file their income tax and benefit return by answering a series of short questions through an automated phone service.

# 08

**Translated communications products** in several Indigenous languages; and in partnership with Service Canada, the CRA conducted in-person visits in over 700 First Nations communities throughout the country between September 2016 and February 2019 to share important.

# 09

Put an end to the Harper-era political activities audit program and **allowed charities to pursue their charitable purposes** by engaging in non-partisan political activities and in the development of public policy.

# 10

Committed over \$1 billion in our four federal budgets to further help the CRA crack down on **tax evasion and aggressive tax avoidance**.

# 01

Providing funding to support **Indigenous-led economic development** in Canada's forest sector, through the Indigenous Forestry Initiative (IFI).

# 02

Approving major projects, including the expansion of the NOVA Gas pipeline system, the Line 3 replacement project, Woodfibre LNG, and the Ridley Island Propane Terminal, and supporting projects like Keystone XL. These projects will help get **Canada's resources to market** and support good, **middle class jobs** in the process.

# 03

Announced \$1.6 billion to **support oil and gas workers** and boost competitiveness. This package is supporting petrochemical projects that will get more value for our products, leverage billions in new investment, and create jobs.

# 04

Making additional investments worth more than \$250 million in Budget 2019 to **support innovation and diversification** and ensure Canada's forest sector can continue to innovate and grow.

# 05

**Supporting clean energy**, and creating jobs along the way through a \$100 million investment in Smart Grids. We have agreements in place for smart grid projects located in Ontario, Quebec, NB, Saskatchewan, Alberta and Yukon.

# 06

Investing in our **clean growth future** with a historic \$40 billion investment in the LNG Canada facility, which will create 10,000 jobs at the height of construction, is a perfect example of how our approach is working.

# 07

Investing billions to support a **clean growth economy** that will reduce emissions and generate well-paying jobs for Canadians and future generations.

# 08

Extending the **Mineral Exploration Tax Credit** for an additional five years to help junior exploration companies raise the capital they need to succeed in finding the mines of tomorrow and provide good, well-paying middle class jobs for Canadians.

# 09

Investing over \$1 billion to make our homes, communities and workplaces more energy efficient than ever before. This will save Canadians money while helping them **fight climate change**.

# 10

Announced that businesses would be able to immediately write off the full cost of specified clean energy equipment. Expected to benefit about 900 business, this will help create a market for clean energy companies to invest in Canada and develop **new technologies, cut emissions, and create jobs**.

# 01

Advancing our National Security Legislation, Bill C-59, to **keep Canadians safe and protect our rights**. It provides our security agencies with the clear constitutional and legal framework they need to do their work effectively; creates a comprehensive expert review body for national security and intelligence across the entire government; and fixes problematic elements of the previous government's Bill C-51.

# 02

Creating a **National Human Trafficking Hotline** and developing a new national strategy to combat it.

# 03

Announced the formal establishment of **Firefighters' National Memorial Day** on the second Sunday of each year.

# 04

Issued a Ministerial Direction more clearly forbidding the disclosure of information that could **result in torture or mistreatment**.

# 05

Advancing cultural change in the RCMP to ensure a **modern, inclusive, safe and healthy workplace**. We announced an Interim Management Advisory Board to provide expert external advice on the management and administration of the RCMP, and to guide the foundational changes. We appointed the first permanent female RCMP Commissioner and gave her a mandate to reform its culture.

# 06

Launched a National Action Plan to combat the disproportionate impact of **Post Traumatic Stress Injuries on public safety personnel**. It supports research, prevention, early intervention, stigma-reduction, care and treatment for all types of public safety personnel, all across the country.

# 07

Launched the RCMP's **National Missing Persons DNA Program**. While not a solution for all cases, it will be a valuable tool for police to help bring closure to loved ones

# 08

**Investing in mental health** and supporting the reintegration of previously-incarcerated Indigenous offenders, legislation on administrative segregation, policy changes and other measures, we are making important steps to address the needs of the most vulnerable in the federal correctional system—and there's more to do yet.

# 09

Quadrupled funding for communities at risk to protect themselves from hate-motivated crimes, helping protect all **Canadians' right to be free** to practice their faith and culture without fear.

# 10

Introduced Bill C93 to **provide pardons** for simple cannabis possession with no fee and no wait time, allowing them to remove the stigma of a criminal record.

# 01

Working with our partners to **improve the Phoenix pay system** so that public servants are paid properly for their important work

# 02

Building a **world-class procurement system** that drives value for money while advancing our government's socioeconomic objectives, while simplifying the procurement system for suppliers and client departments, and delivering better results for Canadians

# 03

Established a **national advisory committee** of experts from key organizations for disability and seniors' issues, to advise on the development, implementation, and promotion of enhanced accessible mail delivery programs.

# 04

Expanded the activities to the **Enabling Accessibility Fund** with an investment of \$77 million over ten years, starting in 2018-19. This expansion gives more Canadians with disabilities the opportunity to participate fully in their communities and the labour market.

# 05

Supporting the **rehabilitation and ongoing maintenance** of National Capital Region crossings, including the Chaudière and MacDonald-Cartier bridges by investing up to \$80.4 million over 10 years

# 06

Working to increase the **participation of women-owned enterprises** in federal procurement by 50%.

# 07

**Launched Better Buying**, a comprehensive plan to make federal procurement processes simpler, more efficient and more accessible for all Canadian suppliers and buyers. It also includes solutions to increase the participation of under-represented groups and Indigenous-led businesses in federal procurement.

# 08

Introduced the **first-ever Federal Accessibility Legislation** in Parliament. The Accessible Canada Act represents the most significant advancement in federal disability rights in 30 years. It will proactively identify, remove and prevent barriers in a number of priority areas so that all Canadians – regardless of their ability – can fully participate in society.

# 09

Approved nearly **800 accessibility projects**, including almost 500 new paratransit buses and improvements to 81 existing transit facilities to make them more accessible to all Canadians.

# 10

**Committed to hiring** at least 5,000 persons with disabilities over the next five years.

# 01

Announced our commitment to get 95% of Canadian homes and businesses connected to internet speeds of at least 50/10 Mbps by 2026 and 100% by 2030, **no matter where they are located** in the country.

# 02

The creation of the new **Universal Broadband Fund**, with up to \$1.7 billion over 13 years to build on the success of the Connect to Innovate Program by extending backbone infrastructure to under-served communities, as well as securing new low-latency Low Earth Orbit satellite capacity to serve our most rural communities.

# 03

Working with the Canada Infrastructure Bank to identify ways to apply its **innovative financing tools** to stimulate private sector investment in high-speed internet infrastructure in unserved and under-served communities

# 04

The introduction of the **Accelerated Investment Incentive**, which is allowing telecommunications companies write off a larger share of the costs of new capital assets in the year the investment is made, providing a benefit that they are committing to expand rural connectivity.

# 05

Developing a Canadian **rural economic development strategy**, through consultations with Canadians in all provinces and territories, on how best to foster economic development in our rural and remote communities through a whole of government approach.

# 06

Supported the Minister of Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship on the rollout of the **Rural and Northern Immigration Pilot**, which will help spread the benefits of economic immigration beyond our large urban centres and address the demographic and economic challenges facing smaller communities.

# 07

Announced a one-time **doubling of the gas tax** to \$2.2 billion in Budget 2019. This will flow directly to municipalities, which will allow them to tackle their infrastructure deficits, and overcome barriers to getting short term priority projects underway.

# 08

\$1.7 billion over 13 years: to establish a new **national highspeed program**, the Universal Broadband Fund.

# 09

**Target:** 95% of households and small businesses will have **access to the Internet** at a speed of at least 50/10 Mbps by 2026, and 100% by 2030, no matter where they are in the country.

# 01

Made the **largest investment in history** in Science – more than \$10 billion to support Canadian scientists and researchers!

# 02

Invested \$80 million to help establish 8 new Canada Excellence Research Chairs to further Canada's reputation as a **global centre of excellence in science**, research and innovation.

# 03

Committed \$3.8 million, in response to the Truth and Reconciliation Call to Action 65, to **develop an Indigenous research plan** that identifies new ways of doing research with First Nations, Métis and Inuit communities, including strategies to grow the capacity of Indigenous communities to conduct research and partner with the broader research community.

# 04

Providing \$30 million over five years to enable Canadian sports organizations to promote **accessible, ethical, equitable and safe sports**. This funding will go a long way to ensuring a higher standard and keeping sport safer for Canadian families, athletes and coaches.

# 05

**Supported our athletes** on the road to the PyeongChang 2018 Winter Olympics with over \$2 million towards hosting 19 international sport events in Canada in the fall of 2017, as well as nearly \$20 million in the fall of 2017 to enhanced excellence funding for winter sports.

# 06

Investing \$210 million to **improve equity and diversity** among Canada Research Chairs, one of the country's most distinguished research programs, to ensure all Canadian researchers have an opportunity to succeed and no talent is left on the sidelines. Results have been historic: 50.3% of nominations being women; 4.2% of chair holders being Indigenous peoples.

# 07

**Supporting indigenous sport** by providing up to \$1.7 million to add box lacrosse to the 2021 Canada Summer Games that will take place in Niagara, Ontario.

# 08

**Completed 112 community and recreational infrastructure projects**, with 99 more in progress, to provide 164 First Nation communities with new playgrounds, youth centres, and sports fields.

# 09

Provided \$16 million for **Special Olympics Canada** to sustain its empowering movement, which supports more than 45,000 children, youth and adults in Canada with intellectual disabilities participate in sports.

# 10

Developed the Canadian Guideline on Concussion in Sport to support **prevention and safe management of concussions**.

# 01

**Supporting community-based projects** that support Canadians living with dementia and their families with a \$20 million investment.

# 02

Started **targeted outreach to seniors**, raising the uptake of Old Age Security (OAS) and Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS). This will ensure more Canadians receive the benefits to which they are entitled.

# 03

Supporting community programs that **help seniors stay involved** in their community through the New Horizons for Seniors Program. To date, 3,700 community-based projects and 50 pan-Canadian projects have been approved.

# 04

**Restored age of eligibility** for Old Age Security and the Guaranteed Income Supplement from 67 to 65.

# 05

**Increased the Guaranteed Income Supplement** top-up by up to \$947, helping 900,000 vulnerable single seniors gain greater financial security. This has lifted 57,000 vulnerable seniors out of poverty.

# 06

**Supporting better home care and mental health care** with \$11 billion in new targeted funding over the next 10 years.

# 07

**Supporting caregivers** with the new Caregiver Credit and Employment Insurance caregiver benefits.

# 08

**Proactively enroll seniors** aged 70 and up into the CPP if they are not yet enrolled. This is expected to help 40,000 seniors.

# 09

Investing \$50 million to support the implementation of **Canada's first ever National Dementia Strategy**, to continue to support those living with dementia and their caregivers.

# 10

Budget 2019 commits \$35 million to **support First Nations seniors on reserve** to maintain their independence and stay in their homes and communities



# 01

Lowered the small business tax from 11% in 2015 to 9% in 2019. Canada now has the lowest small business tax rate in the G7.

# 02

Investing \$20 million in over 216 **women-owned or women-led growing companies** across Canada to help them grow.

# 03

Investing \$85 million to **create national and regional ecosystems** of support for women entrepreneurs to help double the amount of women entrepreneurs by 2025.

# 04

Investing \$9.5 million to create a **Women's Entrepreneurship Knowledge Hub**, spearheaded by a consortium of universities to help collect data on women entrepreneurs.

# 05

Investing \$1.4 billion through the **Business Development Bank of Canada's Women in Technology** venture capital fund.

# 06

Established an **Expert Panel on Women's Entrepreneurship** to provide advice to the government on advancing women's entrepreneurship.

# 07

As a part of the government's **Export Diversification Strategy**, invested \$10-million, as a part of the government's Export Diversification Strategy, in the Trade Accelerator Program (TAP), to get thousands of small and medium-sized businesses exporting.

# 08

Investing \$450 million in **venture capital investments** to ensure that Canadian business owners including women-owned businesses and clean tech businesses can access the capital they need to grow.

# 09

Investing \$14 million in Futurpreneur and **helping thousands of young entrepreneurs** achieve success.

# 10

Working with provinces and territories to **simplify services for business owners** with the Business Registry Search (BRS) pilot in Nova Scotia, Quebec, and Ontario.

# 01

Hosted a series of **cross-country roundtables with front-line tourism stakeholders** who voiced their support for a government that is actively engaging with them as they try to expand the sector and bring it much needed credibility and jobs.

# 02

Launched the new Federal Tourism Strategy in May 2019. The strategy will be the most comprehensive and all encompassing, whole-of-government approach to tourism that Canada has ever taken. The focus will be to **empower communities to grow their economies** and create jobs through tourism and to work more closely with industry to find new ways to invest in tourism.

# 03

Initiated a review of the **Official Languages Act** to modernize it so that it can continue to serve Canadians and give them the tools to meet the challenges of the 21st century.

# 04

Restored of the Francophone Mobility program to **increase Francophone immigration** to minority communities.

# 05

**Added additional points** in the Express Entry program for Francophone immigrants.

# 06

Welcomed a **new record number of international visitors** for two years in a row. In 2018, 21.13 million tourists came to the country, up from 20.8 million in 2017. The previous record was 20.1 million established in 2002.

# 07

Launched the mobile application and site of the **Francophone Heritage, Cultural and Tourism Corridor** to stimulate tourism and discovery in our communities.

# 08

Gave priority to organizations that offer **opportunities to official language minority communities** through the Canada Summer Jobs Program in 2018.

# 09

To protect the French language and create opportunities for Canadian producers, our government will invest \$14.6 million over five years to **create, develop, launch and operate a new digital platform** for global Francophone audiences through TV5MONDE.

# 10

Policy change at the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Exclusive hiring of **bilingual officers on Parliament Hill**.

# 01

Introduced Bill C49, which allows shippers to get fairer rates and the transportation of Grain by rail to **move at a much better rate.**

# 02

Urged the railways to do better, and they responded by buying **bigger, more efficient hopper cars.**

# 03

Delivering the transportation network all our hard working producers deserve by **improving the fluidity of the supply chain** and we are addressing key bottlenecks with our National Trade Corridors fund.

# 04

Standing up for Canadian travellers and ensuring that they are **treated with fairness** and respect by amending the Transportation Modernization Act.

# 05

Put forth new abandoned and derelict vessel legislation that will ensure that **polluters will pay for their mess**, not middle-class Canadians.

# 06

Developing the best approach to delivering a **safe, secure, efficient and reliable** passenger rail service in Canada.

# 07

Proposed funding to replace VIA Rail's cars and locomotives for use in the Windsor-Quebec City Corridor, ensuring that VIA Rail's rolling stock in the Corridor will remain **safe and comfortable, and generate fewer greenhouse gas emissions.**

# 08

Ensuring that middle-class Canadians can play a major role in the clean economy by offering incentives to purchase more **zero-emission vehicles.**

# 09

Budget 2019 is **providing a purchase incentive** of up to \$5,000 to make zero-emissions vehicles more affordable for Canadians.

# 10

Announced \$130 million in new investments in **recharging and refueling infrastructure for electric vehicles.** That is in addition to the \$180 million already provided in budget 2016 and budget 2018.

# 01

Completed **targeted regulatory competitiveness reviews** of high-growth agriculture/agrifood, transport, and health/biosciences sectors; adopted a new Cabinet Directive on Regulation that strengthens stakeholder engagement throughout the regulatory lifecycle, and introduced the first annual regulatory modernization legislation to remove outdated, redundant and duplicative regulations and reflect modern realities.

# 02

Gave Canadians the ability to access information about the **government's greenhouse gas emissions** for the first time on Open Data Portal.

# 03

Set an explicit target to divert at least **75% of plastic waste from federal operations** by 2030 and committed to eliminate the unnecessary use of single-use plastics in government operations, events, and meetings.

# 04

Established the **Canadian Digital Service** to partner with federal departments to improve digital services offered by the Government of Canada.

# 05

Helped develop and bring into law **historic pay equity** that will ensure that women and men in federally regulated workplaces, including the federal private sector, the federal public service, Parliamentary workplaces, Prime Minister and Ministers' offices, receive equal pay for work of equal value.

# 06

Launched the **Directive on Automated Decision-Making** that sets out the responsibilities of federal departments using Artificial Intelligence, so that Canadians can understand when, why and how Artificial Intelligence is being used by their government.

# 07

Being the **model for sustainability** with Greening Government—we are on track to reduce the government's own greenhouse gas emissions by 40% by 2030 and by 80% by 2050. Emissions from government operations fell another 4% in 2017-18 from 2016 and are now down 32% from 2005 levels.

# 08

Starting this year, 75% of new light-duty administrative fleet vehicle purchases will be zero-emission vehicles (ZEVs) or hybrids, with the objective that the **government's administrative fleet comprise at least 80% ZEVs by 2030**. In the 2018-2019 fiscal year, all new executive vehicle purchases were ZEVs or hybrids.

# 09

**Completed collective agreements** for almost 200,000 public servants.

# 10

Passed legislation to **increase government transparency** and openness, and enhance citizens' trust in our government.

# 01

Invested over \$10.25 billion, over the past 4 years, into **better care, support, and services** for Veterans and their families.

# 02

Introduced a **new tax-free Caregiver Recognition Benefit** of \$1,000 a month paid directly to a Veterans caregiver, which replaces the less generous Family Caregiver Relief Benefit.

# 03

**Supporting Veterans facing mental health illnesses** by investing \$17.5 million to establish a Centre of Excellence on PTSD, which will provide research, education and the development of best practices for Veterans' mental health.

# 04

Additionally, of the more than 700 new we hired coast-to-coast-to-coast in our goal of delivering a higher standard of service and care for our Veterans, **roughly 100 are located in Ontario.**

# 05

Through the **Veteran and Family Well Being Fund**, we are investing in 7 innovative projects in Ontario to help with things like transition, mental health and homelessness, totaling an investment of more than \$2.7 million.

# 06

Launched a **Joint Suicide Prevention Strategy with National Defence and Veterans Affairs** to reaffirm our ongoing commitment to supporting mental health.

# 07

Expanding eligibility for the **Education and Training Benefit** so that members of the Supplementary Reserve can access the Benefit (up to \$82,000 for post-secondary education and training programs.)

# 08

Providing \$25 million to fund the **Canadian Institute for Military and Veteran Health Research (CIMVHR)**, which brings together 1,700 researchers in 43 Canadian universities and other partners all working to improve how we care for members of the military, veterans and their families.

# 09

Veterans Affairs Canada is **supporting more than 39,900 Veterans** and their families in Ontario with greater benefits and services.

# 10

Since 2015, we have committed more than \$2.5 million to 208 **commemorative projects** in Ontario.

# 01

Enabling **community action to tackle systemic barriers** impeding women's progress, while recognizing and addressing the diverse experiences of gender and inequality across the country with an investment of \$160 million in Budget 2019, in the Women's Program. By 2023-24, the Women's Program will be funded at an unprecedented level of \$100 million annually.

# 02

Addressing the **unique needs and persisting disparities** among LGBTQ2+ Canadians by investing \$20 million in capacity building and community-level work of service organizations.

# 03

Supporting the work of Equal Voice to eliminate barriers that contribute to the **under-representation of women in politics**, including the Daughters of the Vote project, to encourage more young women to consider a career in politics or public life.

# 04

Launched the **Gender-Based Violence Knowledge Centre** to coordinate federal actions under the three pillars of Canada's first ever Federal Strategy to Prevent and Address Gender-based Violence.

# 05

Launched the **National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls**.

# 06

Created the Indigenous Women's Circle to advise the Minister of Status of Women on ways of **addressing systemic inequalities** that disproportionately impact Indigenous women and girls.

# 07

Supporting women entrepreneurs and the growth of their businesses by **removing barriers to their success** by investing close to \$2 billion in Canada's first Women Entrepreneurship Strategy with the goal to double the number of women-owned businesses by 2025.

# 08

Giving parents more flexibility when balancing work and parenthood by introducing the **EI Parental Sharing Benefit**, starting in July 2019, that will encourage equality in childcare, improve distribution of family and home responsibilities, and reduce discrimination by employers.

# 09

Teaching one million kids and teachers to code through our **CanCode program**, including young girls to encourage them to pursue careers in science, technology, engineering and math.

# 10

**Ensuring that our policies and programs serve Canadians of all backgrounds** by putting a gender and diversity lens (GenderBased Analysis + or GBA+) in the development of our policies and programs.