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**BUDGET 2016 SUPPORTS CANADIANS**

Dear Friends & Neighbours,

The summer weather is a reminder of how lucky we are to live in a beautiful city where many, myself included, enjoy biking to work, walking, or taking transit on a regular basis. On June 18th I was pleased to attend the launch of the Liberal Government's very first finalized Infrastructure Agreement, a deal with British Columbia to fund \$900 million in public transit improvements. The Government of Canada will contribute a full 50% toward "shovel-worthy" projects to modernize and expand transit services in BC.

Broadway is a very busy transportation corridor, so the \$12 million allocated for planning and design of better public transit along Broadway is welcome news. As the project moves forward, proper consultation with Broadway merchants and local residents will be absolutely crucial to creating the best possible outcome, and I will work to make sure that happens.

This summer will be busy with a number of local public events and festivals. I look forward to chatting with you at a neighbourhood gathering or one of our MP Policy Cafés in various neighbourhoods around Vancouver Quadra. Please check my website for details.

Have a fun and safe vacation!

Best regards,

*Joyce*  
Joyce Murray, MP Vancouver Quadra  
Parliamentary Secretary to the President of the Treasury Board



Getting ready to march in Point Grey  
Fiesta Days with Rowan and Hannah

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Attending the launch of UBC-AYO Smart Home clean tech collaboration

## BUDGET 2016:

# Investing in clean technology

Accelerating the transition to a low carbon economy to combat climate change is an international priority – and a potential driver of innovation and economic opportunity for Canadians. Canada’s new Prime Minister is positioning Canada to be a leader on climate change and in the fast-growing global clean tech economy. Last year he committed to invest an additional \$20 Billion over ten years in green infrastructure. In Budget 2016 the government announced many measures defining a new “clean growth” industrial policy to help this transition, including:

- \$280 million to support clean tech innovation and development across Canada.
- \$120 million in cleaner transportation & electric charging/alternative refuelling stations.
- \$50 million more for the Tech Fund in Sustainable Development Technology Canada.
- \$86 million for energy efficiency and renewable energy development.  
Renewable energy projects generate more jobs per unit of energy than fossil fuels, and the cost has become comparable.

BC is a leader in “passive house” building standards which in new construction can eliminate the need for heating fuel; electric vehicles are an increasingly viable choice; zero waste has become an achievable industrial objective; and “smart” technologies dramatically lower resource use and waste. With the federal government now on board, Canadian companies can seize the opportunity to be leaders and thrive in this growing global marketplace.



## Your View

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Do you want to be notified of public consultations regarding major public transportation projects affecting Vancouver Quadra?

Yes  No

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