

NDP Convention 2021 Draft Resolution: Stop Carbon Intensive Projects

Title: Stop Carbon Intensive Energy Projects
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WHEREAS scientific consensus predicts that [humanity has until 2030 to drastically reduce greenhouse gas emissions](#) to prevent global warming of 2°C above pre-industrial levels and avoid catastrophic climate outcomes; and

WHEREAS in 2019 Canada ranked [9th worldwide in cumulative](#) greenhouse gas emissions and [4th in production/export of oil](#);

Therefore BE IT RESOLVED THAT the NDP oppose all carbon intensive energy projects, including those already in development such as Coastal GasLink pipeline and Site C dam; and

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the NDP condemn and oppose projects that violate Indigenous rights and sovereignty; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the NDP propose a Federal Jobs Guarantee as the cornerstone to a just recovery while transitioning to a zero-carbon economy. A Jobs Guarantee would aim to provide well-compensated unionized work in healthcare, at-home care, education, childcare, green energy (e.g. solar, wind, geothermal), and nationalized electric public transit manufacturing.