

Dear Friends,

**Today you have a time-sensitive opportunity** to support federal Liberal leadership candidate Joyce Murray, a dedicated advocate for sustainable food policy – with a plan to defeat Stephen Harper in 2015! (**video below**)

**Joyce is committed to the development of healthy, safe and environmentally viable food systems**, and a thriving food production economy in Canada. As a Member of Parliament, she joined the call of the UN Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food for urgent action to mitigate widening gaps in Canada’s food security. And she raised her three children on homegrown organic produce from her big garden in Burnaby!

**As a new MP in 2008 Joyce consulted widely on the merits of a comprehensive National Food Policy for Canada.** She believes that respect for transparency and consumers freedom of choice includes labeling products’ GMO content, as is the case in Europe. Her November platform launch centered on her vision of a Sustainable Society for Canada, one that allows future generations the opportunities we have enjoyed - including access to healthy local food.

**Now it's our turn to support Joyce.** I ask that you please join me in supporting Joyce to become the next leader of the Liberal Party of Canada.

**What can you do?** First, you can **sign up as a “supporter” [here](#) before March 3rd so you can vote for her** online or by phone in April. Even if you are not a member of the Liberal party, you can sign up as a supporter for free, and participate in choosing the new Liberal leader. And of course your donation to help with Joyce’s campaign is welcomed!

**Second, please forward this letter and [this video](#)** through your networks and encourage them to sign up supporters for Joyce before March 3rd as well. Please contact us by emailing [joyce@joycemurray.ca](mailto:joyce@joycemurray.ca) or visit [www.joycemurray.ca](http://www.joycemurray.ca) for more information.

Thank you very much for acting on this request.

Sincerely,

***The Joyce Murray Leadership Campaign Team***

VIDEO: [Want to Defeat Stephen Harper? This is the First Step](#)

POLICY: [A New National Policy: Safe, Secure, and Sustainable Food for Canadians](#)

STATEMENT: [MP Joyce Murray reinforces Top UN food security envoy calls for a Canadian National Food Policy](#)

MEDIA: [Joyce Murray's Multi-Green Vision for the Liberal Party](#)