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**CANADIANS ARE GROWING CONCERNED, and our voices are strengthening.**

As every day Canadians are feeling the pinch at the pumps, struggling with putting food on the table and feeling alone in struggling to pay bills, a group of like-minded Canadians are putting their feelings into action. "Since the onset of news blocked on social media, the group decided to go old school with a paper flyer campaign. Our ask is simple - gather to ask basic questions every Canadian is pondering, and for a vote of no-confidence.," says one member of the organizing group. "This ask is in unison with the recently closed e-petition (e-4701) in the House of Commons, which was certified with more than 387,000 signatures".

"We feel the same as so many fellow Canadians; that it feels every day we discover that our federal government does not hold the same values that have held our country in such high regard around the world. We wore a set of family-type values with pride while travelling or simply speaking to people from other countries, and fear that is no longer part of our identity," says one father and coach who, in speaking with members of his community, has heard similar concerns. He feels, "this federal administration has eroded what it means to be Canadian and has become an embarrassment on the world stage."

Our goal is to get general information out to as many Canadians as possible, to those who feel the direction of our country needs to be corrected. Anyone interested in joining Team Canada on January 29th is more than welcome.

The purpose of the demonstration is to invoke our Canadian Parliamentary process and ask Parliament to hold a vote of no confidence in which, upon losing, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau and Deputy Prime Minister Chrystia Freeland must resign their positions and call for a Federal Election within 45 days of their resignation.

There are a few ways that a vote of no confidence can arise: through one of the opposition parties explicitly stating that the House has lost confidence in the incumbent government, through a question posed by the governing party, or through the opposing parties' rejection of

any piece of legislation, such as the budget or the [Speech From the Throne](#) (which establishes the government's plan for the parliamentary session).

Once defeated by the nonconfidence motion, the incumbents will defer to the Governor General for a decision on the next steps. The Governor General will either invite the opposition parties in the House of Commons to try to form a government (by creating a formal coalition or by having parties make agreements to vote together in the House) or dissolve Parliament and call an election.

The focus is to bring Canadians together to make change happen. January 29th at 11 am, we will gather with fellow Canadians at Queens Park to make our voices heard through a peaceful demonstration. We have guest speakers to share their own experiences with those passing by. Speakers include business owners and average citizens, those taking active roles in building solutions for their communities, and their families to better their communities in these challenging times.

Although many issues Canadians face are federally and provincially regulated, and this demonstration could take place in Ottawa, Toronto was a better fit as it has a higher density of our population. Toronto is our financial powerhouse for Canada. We feel it is much easier for the denser population to travel to, so we hope to see you there.

*For more information visit [www.concerned-canadians.ca](http://www.concerned-canadians.ca).*

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