

Edmonton-Calder PC's set nomination date

Edmonton — January 25, 2011— Clayton Smith, President of the Edmonton-Calder Progressive Conservative Association issued the following statement on the surprising announcement by Premier Ed Stelmach earlier today that he will be stepping down as Premier.

“I would like to thank our Leader for his tireless service to Alberta over the last two and a half decades and in recent years as Premier. He has served our province with honour, humility and most importantly, a genuine concern for this Province and its people.”

“He served Alberta during the most difficult economic turmoil in recent memory. Through those difficult times he never wavered in his commitment to Alberta. He served in the job with true heart and always put concern for others above himself.”

“On behalf of our MLA, Doug Elniski, and the Association, I wish the Leader, his wife Marie, and his family all the best and thank them for their time, their commitment, and their personal sacrifices for Alberta.”

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