



Karen Casey

- Strong connection to Colchester North
- Family home in Bass River
- Resident of Valley
- **MLA** - elected 2006
- re-elected 2009
- **Legislative Experience** 2006 - present
- **Cabinet Experience** 2006 - 2009
 - Minister of Education
 - Minister of Health
- **Education**
 - Teacher's College
 - Mount Saint Vincent University
 - St. Mary's University
- **Work Experience**
 - Teacher - Alice Street School
 - Principal - North River Elementary
 - Assistant Superintendent - Chignecto Central School Board
 - University Instructor - Education Faculty
 - Acadia University
- **Community**
 - Central Nova Industry Education
 - Valley Recreation Association
 - District Health Authority Chair
 - Economic Task Force - Chamber
 - Valley United Church Youth Committee
 - Truro Boys & Girls Club
 - NS Educational Administrators Assoc.

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Cares About Colchester North

"I will continue to listen to your concerns and together we will make all communities in Colchester North stronger."



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ISSUES/SOLUTIONS FOR COLCHESTER NORTH

EDUCATION

restore \$65 million to public education
support students with special needs
limit class sizes in elementary schools
provide vocational/skilled trades training

HEALTH CARE

reduce wait times for patients
increase doctors in rural Nova Scotia
reduce administrative cost
increase front line health care workers

POWER RATES

break Nova Scotia Power monopoly
protect consumers
allow competition in the energy market
give ratepayers a choice

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

support small business owners
improve apprenticeship programs
review provincial tax structure

TRANSPORTATION

develop multi-year road improvement plan
improve road/bridge maintenance
support local road construction contractors



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