

## PROTECT HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

- The Island's health system must stay free of charge at the point of delivery and has to be capable of meeting the needs of all residents. That means for example:
1. Protecting frontline staff and services including dental
  2. Publishing a list of all consultants, their qualifications and waiting times
  3. Appointing an independent regulator to ensure compliance with best practice

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## SUSTAIN ECONOMIC GROWTH

- The role of government is to create the right environment to allow businesses to grow and to promote private enterprise, not just regulate. That means enhanced job opportunities. For example:
1. That Government strategy meets the needs of the entire business community (small to large)
  2. Exploring the development of competition in sea freight and transport
  3. A fully open and transparent tender process

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## RESPECT OUR ELDERLY

- Our elderly citizens should be respected and afforded all that they need to continue to enjoy a high quality of life. That means:
1. Ensuring that the basic pension is sufficient to provide an acceptable standard of living
  2. Assistance to remain in their own homes and maintain their independence
  3. Flexible personal care and support budget to enhance choice

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## ACHIEVE REFORM

- Changes to the policies and operation of government is at the cornerstone of OUR undertaking to YOU. That means:
1. Creating a publicly elected LegCo so that laws are made by people accountable to the public
  2. Ensuring that the Chief Minister is elected by the public with their stated policies
  3. Restricting collective responsibility to Ministers and then only to the policies stated in the programme of government

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## INVESTIGATE TAXATION & WELFARE

- We need a sustainable and competitive taxation strategy to attract individuals and companies to relocate to and operate from the Island while remaining fair to all. That means:
1. Setting up a Tax and Welfare Commission to review the present regimes and make recommendations
  2. Phasing out the existing public sector pension scheme whilst protecting benefits accrued to date and identified key sector workers such as medical professionals
  3. Developing a fair method of means testing benefits

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## INVEST IN EDUCATION

- The best investment that we can make is in our young people to reach their full potential. That means:
1. Introducing a university grant system based on achievement
  2. Expanding financial assistance for further education and apprenticeships
  3. The reintroduction of tax relief on educational covenants

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## OUR NATURAL RESOURCES

- Our beautiful Island has wonderful natural resources and whilst these need to be protected they should also be used as a means of economic and social growth. That means:
1. Energy generation should be clean, sustainable and any excess used for revenue generation
  2. Negotiating with the United Kingdom to put an Exclusive Economic Zone in place. (The median line between our coast and our neighbours)
  3. Continuing to work towards making the Isle of Man the world's first biosphere (sustainable) nation

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## LAW AND ORDER

- We are lucky to live on an Island with such low crime but this is currently being undermined by the financial cut-backs. We need to recognise that law and order is not just vital to our quality of life but also has a major impact on the economy by encouraging businesses to relocate here. That means:
1. Prioritising the reduction in domestic abuse
  2. Promoting mediation as a first step in dispute resolution
  3. Instigating an independent penal review including a thorough review of punishments

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