

TAXES. It's time to talk.

The Canada West Foundation is conducting a comprehensive study on how Saskatchewan's tax system could be improved. Given the importance of the tax system to the provincial economy and its competitiveness, the Canada West Foundation is inviting **YOU** to participate in this study.

This year, residents of Saskatchewan will pay almost \$7 billion in taxes to their provincial and local governments. While people often talk about the amount of taxes they pay, the type of taxes paid and how those taxes are structured and administered are just as important as the level of taxes. There are many other important questions about taxes to consider besides the level of taxation:

- Are some taxes better or worse than other taxes?**
- Which taxes are better? Which taxes are worse?**
- What types of taxes should a government use? Why?**
- How important are taxes to economic competitiveness?**

We believe it is critically important that Saskatchewan residents be given an opportunity to become involved with this study by having their voice made known as well as heard. To accomplish this, we have developed a short survey (25 questions) so you can tell us what you think about taxes in Saskatchewan. If you wish, you can also send us a written submission. **To take the survey, or to send us your written submission, please visit:**

www.sasktaxsurvey.ca

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