

BIOGRAPHY



The Honourable Ralph Goodale

Name: Ralph Goodale

Party: Liberal

Role: Minister of Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness

Riding: Regina—Wascana

Language: English



Connection to MS:

- Ralph is a good friend of the MS Society and he is connected with Brian Duck
- The Honourable Ralph Goodale was the host for the 2015 Day on the Hill Reception
- Ralph was the host of the 2016 Day on the Hill Reception
- Attended the 2017 Day on the Hill Reception

Bio:

- The Honourable Ralph Goodale has sponsored Bills:
 - C-71 An Act to amend certain Acts and Regulations in relation to firearms
 - C-66 Expungement of Historically Unjust Convictions Act
 - C-59 An Act respecting national security matters
- The Honourable Ralph Goodale has not sponsored any private Members' motions in the current session
- Ralph Goodale studied at both the University of Regina (BA-71) and the University of Saskatchewan (LLB-72)
- Ralph Goodale has practical experience in business, agriculture, law and broadcasting, as well as federal and provincial politics
- He was first elected to the Parliament of Canada in 1974 at the age of 24, representing the sprawling rural constituency of Assiniboia
- In the 1980's, he served as Leader of the provincial Liberal Party, and was elected to the Saskatchewan Legislative Assembly in 1986
- Mr. Goodale returned to the House of Commons in 1993 as the M.P. for Wascana
- Ralph Goodale is the only M.P. to serve in governments led by both Pierre Trudeau and Justin Trudeau
- He also holds the distinction of being selected by his peers as Canada's first-ever "Parliamentarian of the Year" in 2006