



Submission: 210 - Best Local Cartoon

Michael de Adder's cartoon depicting vultures circling Justin Trudeau captures the fallout from the prime minister's decision to backtrack on his climate policy, which was seen as aimed at currying favour among the Liberal-vote-rich Atlantic provinces where the new rules came into effect that July and were extremely unpopular.

The Nov. 6, 2023, cartoon comes a couple weeks after the Liberal government's Oct. 26 announcement that home heating oil would be exempted from the carbon tax for three years. The newspaper depicted in the cartoon refers to it as a "carbon tax fiasco," and a man describes Trudeau as a "wounded animal" weeks after the prime minister repeatedly defended the move.

The Hill Times covers federal policy and politics and the people behind that work, including bureaucrats, politicians, and political staffers, so our local is very much the inner workings of government and opposition parties, and the dynamics that play out on the various stages on Parliament Hill.

This non-syndicated cartoon was crafted specifically for *The Hill Times* and its readers.

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