## 5 THINGS TO ASK YOUR CANDIDATES ABOUT THE ENVIRONMENT

The next BC election, scheduled for **October 19**, has huge implications for the environment and climate. Every candidate running for a seat in the Legislature needs to know these are issues we'll be voting on, and we can all ask our candidates where they stand. At public events, pre-election campaign debates, and over the phone or via email, please ask your candidates:

- If you became part of the BC government, would you honour or walk away from the last government's promise to save old-growth forests?
- 2. Do you support the expansion of the fossil fuel industry despite the fact pollution from fracking and LNG is already fuelling climate disasters all over BC?
- **3.** If your party forms government, will it protect 30% of lands and waters in BC by 2030, and pass legislation to protect species at risk?
- 4. If elected to government, will you support or oppose the continued spraying of glyphosate (Round up) and other toxic herbicides over tens of thousands of hectares of forests in BC?
- **5.** Will you commit to protecting the critical habitat of the northern spotted owl, the most endangered species in BC, in compliance with the federal government's recovery strategy?

