



# SWEDEN HAS BECOME COLD. TIME FOR A WARMER POLICY.

**Sweden is a fantastic country.** Many people here have managed to realise their dreams. We have taken on the challenges of the future early. But over the last few years, Sweden has become colder. Divisions and racism have been allowed to grow. The differences between the financial conditions of men and women are increasing. Politics has avoided taking responsibility for people and the environment. We know that a country that gives up on being fantastic for all will soon not be fantastic for anyone. Therefore it is time for a more human and warmer policy – it is time for a new government.

**Climate change** is the greatest challenge of our times. When world leaders meet for a top level meeting on climate in Paris in December 2015, Sweden shall be able to show that it is possible to make decisions that reduce our emissions to sustainable levels. Sweden shall be a modern exemplary country and an inspiration. The world cannot afford a climate policy where countries simply wait each other out, instead of daring to be first. Politics must become warmer. Not the climate.

**Sweden needs new jobs**, but the “work line” of the Alliance has not reduced unemployment. Instead, life has become extra tough and cold for those who lose their jobs or become ill. We want to invest in climate work – in trains that run on time, in regenerating the suburbs and in new energy-efficient housing. By 2018, more people shall have a job to do, and young people shall have the opportunity to find a way to studies and to work. This is a more human and warmer policy.

**All pupils** should be happy going to school. Many shall be fervent teachers, and all who work in schools shall have room for their profession and creative urges. There shall be no good or bad schools – all schools should be equally good. By 2018, many more shall choose to train as teachers, teachers shall have time for their work and pupils shall get support in time. Against cold politics with more bureaucracy and profit chasing, we set warm politics with more staff and more time for each pupil. Let the pupils get their teachers back.

**We are convinced** that is possible to have a Sweden where it is our joint future that unites us rather than where we come from, what we look like, what we believe in, what sex we are, how old we are or what our family looks like. After eight years with the Alliance, it is really time for a new government and a warmer policy.

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**Welcome!**

*“The climate issue is about what kind of world we want to hand over to our children and grandchildren. It is urgent that we get emissions down, but we can manage it. It is about smarter use of energy, modern trains and public transport and an end to the buy-and-throw society. We can make Sweden into a global example that takes responsibility and shows the way.”*

**Åsa Romson**

**We want:**

- Sweden to take the lead internationally in the work towards handing over a better world to our children
- to ensure the environmentally friendly choice is always easier and cheaper. Trains should be cheaper than aeroplanes and quicker than cars
- to invest in new climate jobs – trains and buses, renewable energy, regenerating the housing in the “million programme”, eco tourism, recycling and vintage.

*“The boy who sits at the back of the class and has already given up – he needs a teacher who has time and believes in him in particular. And the girl who hangs all her self-image on always getting top marks, top results – the school must be able to see her in particular, behind the marks, the tests and the results. All pupils have the right to go to school happy!”*

**Gustav Fridolin**

**We want:**

- more people to want to become teachers. Teaching should be valued as one of our most important professions. Therefore government money should be used to raise teacher salaries
- teachers to have the time to be teachers. We want to reduce bureaucracy for teachers and to employ more staff in schools
- pupils to be happy at school. There must be better access to pupil health care and more culture in schools.

**Read more about our politics in our election manifesto or on [mp.se](http://mp.se).**

**On 14 September, you can be part of modernising Sweden.**