

THE HONOURABLE JOE VOLPE, P.C., M.P.
MEMBER'S STATEMENT THANKING CONSTITUENTS ON HIS RE-ELECTION
FOR A SEVENTH TERM
NOVEMBER 26, 2008

Mr. Speaker, I want to voice a most sincere expression of thanks to the electors of Eglinton-Lawrence, who have given me the privilege of representing them for a seventh consecutive mandate in the Parliament of Canada.

I did not get their vote of confidence on my own. Since 1988, I have enjoyed the support of my immediate family, including my wife Mirella, children, in-laws, and now even grandchildren. As well, friends and volunteers have contributed to my electoral success. Along the way these friends and volunteers have become more than a team. As my wife puts it, "Our family is growing". Of this I am certain: without them, I could not have the opportunity to serve the country we love.

I want to live up to their standards and expectations, because they will share my successes and live my accomplishments. To them I say, "*grazie infinite*".