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From left to right are Nina Gunby, Cathy McLeod, Brandon Porter, Elaine Thomas, Louise Cook, Audrey Allison, Karen Coleman, Publisher Stephen Baker, Donna Danielli, Bernadette Ward, and (kneeling) Ann Korhuta (left) and Jennifer Enright. More awards photos on pages 16-17.

Local MPs opt for no election yet

By BERNADETTE WARD

It's a hopeful sign when politicians of different stripes agree on something and both Gary Carr and Mike Chong agree that the voters do not want an election right now.

"I think that what the people want is to make this minority government work,"

says Carr, MP for Halton.

Both Chong and Carr were responding to questions about the latest political fracas where some Liberal MPs joined ranks with the opposition when it came to reforms to the Kyoto accord that were contained in the budget bill.

Although Chong, MP for Wellington-Halton Hills, agrees that voters don't want an election, he points out that the federal Liberals have been less than forthcoming.

"When the budget bill was released, we saw this clause included in backdoor

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