

Jones attends pre-budget consultations in Labrador

St. John's —

Liberal Leader Yvonne Jones brought up nearly a dozen issues with Finance Minister Jerome Kennedy at pre-budget consultations in Happy Valley-Goose Bay Monday night.

Jones represents the Labrador district of Cartwright-L'Anse au Clair.

"There are very distinct challenges being faced in my district and I am hopeful that government will act to address these issues in the coming months," said Jones in a news release.

Jones raised issues including power generation and the cost of diesel and gasoline, transportation issues and the need for better cellphone service and improvements to the medical transport assistance program.