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Proposals from the Church of Scotland

Based on Scotland’s share, £340 million, of the cost of Trident and overseas wars.
10 New High Schools

Church of Scotland
1000 New Homes

Church of Scotland
+ £34 m per year for international aid

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Proposals from Oxfam Scotland
The UK could meet its commitment to spend 0.7% of GDP on overseas development.
Help to tackle climate change in developing countries
Invest in peace processes and reduce the risk of conflict
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Proposals from T&G (Unite) Scotland
Alternative social employment for defence workers
Invest in manufacturing and renewables
Invest in public services
Support for welfare benefits
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Proposals from the Cardinal O’Brien
£4 billion would be better spent on anything that prospers life, rather than what threatens death

Cardinal O’Brien
Improve children’s health and nutrition

Cardinal O’Brien
Affordable housing

Cardinal O’Brien
Meet
Millenium
Development Goals
Cardinal O’Brien
Technology for life rather than for death

Cardinal O’Brien
Alternatives to fossil fuel

Cardinal O’Brien
Transport initiatives to take cars off the road

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Proposals from the Scottish Refugee Council
Meet the UNHCR’s current shortfall
Help to resettle long-term refugees in the UK
Proposals from the Scottish Islamic Foundation
Improve Scotland’s health
Improve income for the low paid
Eliminate child poverty
Support for the disabled and their carers
Renewable energy to tackle climate change
Primary education for all
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Proposals from Campaign Against Arms Trade (Edinburgh)
Convert from arms to civil industry
Invest in conflict resolution
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Proposals from Scottish Quakers
Help for cancer patients
Restorative justice services to reduce crime
Affordable housing for all
Apprenticeship schemes to give our youth hope
Fight human trafficking
Subsidise rural Post Offices
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Proposals from Article 12 in Scotland
Work to meet the UN Millenium Development Goals:
Universal Primary Education
Promote Gender Equality
Reduce child mortality
Improve Maternal Health
Combat HIV/AIDS
Environmental Sustainability
Develop a global partnership for development
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Proposals from Educational Institute of Scotland
100 new schools

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10,000 additional teachers

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800,000 new computers

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Proposals from Jubilee Scotland
Cancel third world debt
Cancel debt from arms deals
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Proposals from Justice & Peace Scotland
Social reconstruction: home, road & rail
Fund non-violent conflict resolution
Support organic growers & food co-ops
Fund creative arts
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Proposals from
The Iona Community
Invest in renewables and insulation
Decent affordable housing
End fuel poverty
Support victims of domestic violence
Education in non-violence
Invest properly in young people
Voluntary sector funding
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Other Proposals:
Rebuild the NHS

Socialist Labour Party
Free school meals

Communist Party of Scotland
Civil Peace Service – build a network of people trained in non-violent
Centres for young people to steer them from violence

Margaret Thomson Davis
Support village halls

Chrissy Boyd
Promote a low energy future and small-scale energy production

Mandy Meikle
Develop a railway system to match the French

Alastair Hulbert
Promote active travel

David Leslie
Promote energy efficiency

Pete Roche