



PROGRAM PROGRAM

Tradition with a Vision for the Future



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Preface

We stand at a pivotal moment, facing challenges that demand decisive action. The high cost of living and insufficient salaries strain many families, while limited career opportunities and inadequate education hinder our children's potential. Many retirees are struggling to get by on government pensions alone.

Since our Status Aparte, political management has often lacked long-term vision and proactive planning, leading to inefficiencies and neglect. Corruption has exacerbated these issues, inflating business costs and contributing to poverty and poor public services. Recent court cases involving figures like Paul Croes and Benny Sevinger highlight the pervasive nature of corruption, with further concerns raised by investigations into Marisol Tromp, Otmar Oduber, Chris Romero, and Guillfred Besaril.

Despite these challenges, the current government has made notable strides in financial management and anti-corruption efforts, and these must continue. Culturally, debates over traditional values have intensified, particularly following legislative proposals such as Miguel Mansur's initiative on same-sex marriage and recent court rulings perceived by many as undermining our cultural norms and Christian and Democratic values.

In response, Lucha pa Reforma offers a comprehensive solution—driving progress by investing in families while preserving our traditions and values. Our goal is to foster meaningful change through a combination of innovation and respect for our heritage, ensuring a prosperous and principled future for Aruba. We are committed to addressing these urgent issues and building a stronger, more inclusive nation for all.



Building Our Future Honoring Our Past



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Program 2025-2029

Tradition with a Vision for the Future

At the heart of Program 2025-2029 is our unwavering commitment to building a united and thriving Aruba. This vision is grounded in Christian-Catholic values, a dedication to the common good, and a focus on creating a prosperous, secure, and healthy future for all Arubans. Our aim is to ensure that every family has the opportunity to flourish in a nation that values moral integrity, social responsibility, and respect for all of God's creation.





1. Fiscal Responsibility

Stewardship of Our Nation's Wealth

We believe in managing Aruba's finances with the care and prudence that reflect our Christian-Catholic duty to support the common good. Every florin must be spent wisely, ensuring that public resources are used efficiently and effectively for the benefit of all.





Fiscal Reform:

Implement comprehensive reforms to ensure fair taxation and reduce public debt.

• Efficient Public Spending:

Integrate administrative functions across ministries to cut costs and improve service delivery.

Pension System Reform:

Advocate for a fair and sustainable, pension system.

Accountability in Procurement:

Ensure transparency in government contracts, with strict penalties for corruption and collusion.





2. Combating Corruption

Restoring Trust and Integrity

Corruption undermines our nation's moral fabric and steals from our future. We will fight corruption with unwavering determination, ensuring that our government serves the people with honesty and integrity.





Honest Leadership:

Appoint leaders based on merit and integrity, not political favoritism.

Whistleblower Protection:

Implement laws to protect those who expose corruption.

• Transparency:

Ensure public access to government documents and financial statements.

• Digital Governance:

Conduct all government purchases electronically to prevent fraud and ensure transparency.





3. Empowering Families

Strong families are the cornerstone of a thriving society. We will support families by creating economic opportunities, promoting work-life balance, and ensuring access to the resources they need to flourish.





Economic Empowerment:

Create good-paying jobs, reduce the cost of living, and expand access to affordable housing.

Support for Parents:

Provide affordable childcare, flexible work arrangements, and tax benefits for families.

Elderly Care:

Ensure our elders are respected and cared for, recognizing their vital role in passing down our traditions and values.





4. A Healthy and Safe Aruba

We are committed to creating a safe and healthy environment where every Aruban can thrive. This includes not only physical safety but also promoting a lifestyle that honors the body as a gift from God.





Community Health Programs:

Invest in healthcare, preventive care, and nutrition education to promote healthy living.

Safe Neighborhoods:

Strengthen law enforcement and ensure justice for all, creating a secure environment for families.

Child and Youth Development:

Expand after-school programs, mentorship opportunities, and youth leadership initiatives.



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5. Education & Innovation

Education is the engine of opportunity. We will ensure that every child receives a high-quality education that prepares them for a successful future, grounded in values and critical thinking.





Professional Development for Teachers:

Equip educators with the skills to build critical thinking, creativity, and moral character in students.

• STEM and Financial Literacy:

Emphasize science, technology, engineering, mathematics, and financial literacy to prepare students for the challenges of the future.

Continuous Evaluation:

Regularly assess the quality of education and make improvements as needed.





6. Environment for Future Generations

Our responsibility to care for God's creation guides our commitment to environmental stewardship. We will promote sustainable growth that preserves Aruba's natural beauty and ensures a healthy planet for our children and grandchildren.





Renewable Energy:

Invest in clean energy sources and reduce our dependence on fossil fuels.

Environmental Protection:

Enforce strict regulations to protect our land and waters from pollution and overdevelopment.

Responsible Development:

Promote economic growth that respects the environment and benefits all Arubans.





7. Social Development

Our social policies will promote individual responsibility, community cohesion, and equal opportunities for all, reflecting our Christian-Catholic commitment to love and serve our neighbors.





Affordable Housing:

Increase investment in housing projects to ensure safe and affordable homes for low-and middle-income families.

Civic Engagement:

Encourage volunteerism and participation in local governance to strengthen our communities.

Safety Net:

Provide support for those in need, ensuring that no one falls through the cracks.

TOGETHER EVERYONE ACHIEVES MORE





8. A Government That Serves

We are committed to creating a government that is transparent, accountable, and truly serves the people of Aruba. Our governance will be guided by the principles of fairness, righteousness, and respect for the dignity of every person.





Citizen Empowerment:

Allow citizens to shape the future through referendums and propose new laws.

Public Accountability:

Use surveys and feedback mechanisms to ensure that government services meet the needs of the people.

Cutting Red Tape:

Simplify government processes to reduce bureaucracy and make public services more accessible.





Conclusion

Our campaign is about more than just policies; it's about building a brighter future for Aruba, rooted in our Christian-Catholic faith, love for our families, and commitment to the common good. Together, we can create a united, prosperous, and healthy Aruba where every family has the opportunity to thrive.



