Ontario Political Leader’s Debate

Use the following chart to track the position of leaders on key issues, and their use of rhetorical devices. Provide specific examples on your chart as you watch the debate. This chart will be marked for its completeness, and the quality of examples that you have chosen.

The twitter handles of all of the candidates have been provided, if you’d like to be an active citizen publicly share your insights about the debate. You may also want to use the hashtag #OnPoli as well. Please tweet responsibly.

Finally, you will use this information to write an expository paragraph that explains, in your opinion, who won the debate. Create a thorough and compelling argument why you have chosen this candidate as the winner (even if they don’t align with your personal political views).

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| **Key Issues:** | **Andrea Horwath** [**@AndreaHorwath**](https://twitter.com/AndreaHorwath) | **Kathleen Wynne** [**@Kathleen\_Wynne**](https://twitter.com/Kathleen_Wynne) | **Tim Hudak** [**@timhudak**](https://twitter.com/timhudak) |
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| #2 |  |  |  |
| #3 |  |  |  |
| #4 |  |  |  |
| #5 |  |  |  |
| **Rhetorical Devices Used:*** Hyperbole
* Understatement
* Rhetorical question
* Repetition
* Irony and sarcasm
* Allusions
* Anecdotes
* Facts, stats, and quoting authority
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