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Dear Reeve Boehlke, Reeve Oel, and Reeve Link,

Thank you for your letter of January 9, 2020, regarding your concerns with the Calgary Metropolitan Region Board (CMRB).

The CMRB was established with a mandate to develop a consensus vision for future growth in the region. It was also intended as a forum to quickly and effectively address disputes, which have often imposed unacceptable delays and additional costs on development within the region.

I continue to believe in the need for strong intermunicipal collaboration in the Calgary metropolitan region and a mechanism to support that collaboration; however, significant concerns conveyed to me regarding the CMRB must be addressed.

While my schedule unfortunately does not permit me to meet at this time, I am considering options to address these concerns that still ensure an appropriate level of collaboration and coordination in the region. In the coming weeks, I will communicate further with the CMRB and its member municipalities regarding these matters.

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Thank you again for writing

Yours very truly,



Kaycee Madu
Minister

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