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Ms. Renee Comeau  
President, Yellowknife Chamber of Commerce  
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Dear Ms. Comeau:

**MACA Community Public Infrastructure Funding**

The Government of the Northwest Territories is committed to the goal of building sustainable, vibrant and safe communities, and having predictable and sustainable infrastructure support is an important step in achieving that goal.

Through the work conducted by Municipal and Community Affairs (MACA) in the 2014 Municipal Funding Review, a municipal asset listing was developed for Northwest Territories (NWT) communities. MACA identified a gap of over \$20 million between current Community Public Infrastructure Funding and the annual investment required to replace the assets listed in the Review.

MACA is developing a strategy to close the gap in funding levels to meet municipal core needs which will be reviewed by the 18th Legislative Assembly. In addition, MACA is implementing an NWT Asset Management Strategy over the next three years to support sustainable service delivery and ensure that communities have the necessary information to maximize their available funding.

Thank you for your letter dated April 22, 2016 and support of community infrastructure funding.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Robert C. McLeod'.

Robert C. McLeod  
Minister of Municipal and  
Community Affairs