

From: MA Minister <Minister.MunicipalAffairs@gov.ab.ca>

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To:

Subject: Calgary Metropolitan Region Board

January 16, 1998 Dear Calgary Metropolitan Region Board members:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your work in developing the proposed Calgary Metropolitan Region Board (CMRB) growth plan, servicing plan, and regional evaluation framework, and for submitting that material to me on June 1, 2021.

I am committed to a careful review of these documents, including engaging with a number of other ministries across the provincial government to solicit their input. The plans you have submitted for my consideration are important, and I must ensure that they will achieve our shared goals of enhancing regional collaboration, sustainable growth, and coordinated decision-making in the Calgary region.

As I undertake this review, I would like to hear directly from member municipalities regarding your individual perspectives on these plans. I realize there continue to be diverse perspectives within the CMRB, and I hope to better understand specific concerns prior to making my final decision. Please share with me any specific comments or concerns you believe I need to be aware of regarding the plans, along with specific proposed solutions to address those concerns. Because I know there is a need to provide a timely decision to the board, I would appreciate hearing from each of you by August 31, 2021.

I look forward to hearing your thoughts.

Sincerely,

Ric McIver
Minister

cc: Greg Clark, Board Chair, Calgary Metropolitan Region Board
Jordon Copping, Chief Officer, Calgary Metropolitan Region Board