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Mayor-elect Sue Carleton
Township of Georgian Bluffs

Dear Mayor-elect Carleton:

It is my pleasure to congratulate you on your recent election.

As our government delivers on its ambitious plan to build Ontario, we will continue to work with the province's 444 municipalities as key partners. That means working together to build the public transit, homes and roads and highways needed to meet the needs of growing communities and keep our economy moving forward. It means working together to build good schools for students to learn in and high-quality hospitals and long-term care homes that care for people.

Our government also recognizes the significant pressures facing municipal budgets after two very difficult and unpredictable years. That's why, in 2021, Ontario provided municipalities with over \$1.3 billion in financial relief above and beyond the \$4-billion Safe Restart Agreement to further assist in covering municipal needs. We will continue working with the federal government and municipal partners to protect the long-term sustainability of municipal budgets.

As we do, we're also providing funding so that you can modernize municipal services and find opportunities to make local service delivery more efficient so we can continue to make life more convenient and affordable for taxpayers.

I want you to know that our government will always be here to listen to your needs. When Team Ontario works together, there's nothing we can't do.

Together, let's get building.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Doug Ford".

Doug Ford
Premier