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Stewart Halliday
Warden
Grey County
595 9th Ave East
Owen Sound, ON N4K 3E3

Dear Mr. Halliday:

I am pleased to write to you to confirm the eligibility of the Local Transit and Intercommunity Bus Projects that Grey County submitted for funding under the province's Community Transportation Grant Program ("CT Program"). Based on the ministry's review of the municipality's application for the Projects and subject to the conditions set out below, the funding amount approved for the Projects is up to \$1,850,000.

The CT Program will support the government's commitment to assist municipalities throughout the province to provide better transportation options in areas that are currently not served or underserved by public transit and intercommunity bus service.

Before funds are disbursed to the municipality for the Projects, the municipality will be required to enter into a transfer payment agreement ("TPA") with the Ministry of Transportation. The TPA will set out the terms and conditions upon which the ministry will provide the funds to the municipality. Please note that non-capital costs incurred on the Projects will be eligible for reimbursement as of the date of this letter. Capital costs will be eligible for reimbursement as of the effective date of the TPA. Please refer to the Program Guidelines for further information.

Ministry officials will contact your staff regarding next steps associated with the CT Program and the TPA. In the meantime, should you have questions, please contact Vinay Sharda, Executive Director, Transit Policy and Programs Group, at Vinay.Sharda@ontario.ca or at 416-585-7347.

I want to thank you in advance for your commitment to the successful delivery of your project(s), and look forward to seeing the results.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kathryn McGarry".

Kathryn McGarry
Minister