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Warden Paul McQueen
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Dear Warden,

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that 31 Canadian Brigade Group (31 CBG) will be recommencing training activities in your community. These training activities will strictly comply with all federal and provincial COVID-19 regulations, and will be conducted with the utmost attention to health protection measures to ensure that the soldiers involved and the residents of our communities are not adversely effected. These activities are governed by and compliant with the Province's reopening guidelines.

I want to re-iterate that we will be conducting this training in a safe and environmentally sound manner. COVID-19 has impacted the way the world conducts business and we are certainly no exception, and as a result, our training programs have been modified to align with the extraordinary health protection measures adopted by the Canadian Armed Forces (CAF). Training will not be conducted outside the confines of Department of National Defence establishments without first notifying, and coordinating with our partners in local government. The health and safety of the citizens of our community is of the utmost importance to 31 CBG, the Canadian Army, and the CAF.

My staff is dedicated to the planning and safe execution of our training programs, and is available to answer any questions you may have. CAF representatives can be made available to attend meetings with Council (be it online, teleconference or otherwise) to provide further information, and to answer any outstanding questions.

Major Andrew Torrance, 31 CBG Operations Officer is available should you have any immediate questions or concerns. Please do not hesitate to contact him at 519-660-5275 (Ext 5086) or Andrew.Torrance@forces.gc.ca.

Sincerely,



J.W. Robinson
Colonel
Commander

cc. Kim Wingrove