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MAYOR

February 28th 2022

Mayor Charlie Clark City of Saskatoon 222 Third Ave. North Saskatoon, SK S7K 0J5

Dear Mayor Clark,

As Head of Ottawa City Council, I want to take this opportunity to express my sincerest appreciation to you for lending the valuable assistance of the Saskatoon Police Service to support the Ottawa Police Service in coordinating a successful police enforcement operation in our City's downtown core, and restoration of peace and order, in response to a prolonged and unlawful occupation by protesters.

I am equally grateful to the members of the Saskatoon Police Service, who worked in cooperation with the Ottawa Police Service and other law enforcement agencies across Canada, for their tireless efforts, professionalism, and expertise demonstrated throughout this unprecedented emergency.

Thanks to the Saskatoon Police Service's participation in this coordinated and measured police response, the residents and businesses in Ottawa's Centretown, and other neighbourhoods negatively impacted by the illegal occupation, can begin returning safely and peacefully to a level of normalcy in their daily lives.

Sincerely,

Jim Watson Mayor