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Dear Council,

I write on behalf of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) to affirm our 2022 nomination for the City of Guelph's Mayor Cam Guthrie as the North American representative on the Board of the Global Covenant of Mayors for Climate and Energy (GCoM).

**Second Vice-President
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Deputy Mayor

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In 2022, as the Secretariat to GCoM Canada, FCM was pleased to nominate Mayor Guthrie to this role, recognizing his contributions to local climate action and his ability to represent Canadian municipalities effectively in national and global discussions. This nomination was also supported by ICLEI Canada and GCoM Americas.

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The Global Covenant of Mayors provides municipalities with access to valuable resources and opportunities to share expertise. Mayor Guthrie's work aligns with the priorities of the GCoM network, and his involvement on the Board reflects the ongoing efforts of Canadian municipalities to address climate challenges collaboratively.

**Past President
Président sortant**

Scott Pearce

Mayor

Township of Gore, QC

Maire

Municipalité du
Canton de Gore (Qc)

Our position remains consistent with the initial support extended during his nomination. We appreciate the contributions of all Canadian representatives involved in advancing municipal climate action through GCoM and remain committed to ensuring Canada's effective representation in this important forum.

**Chief Executive Officer
Cheffe de la direction**

Carole Saab

Ottawa, ON

Sincerely,

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