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Tyler Gandam President Alberta Municipalities 300, 8616 – 51 Avenue NW Edmonton, AB T6E 6E6

Dear Tyler Gandam:

Thank you for your December 16, 2024, letter regarding Alberta Municipalities' Resolution C4. As the Minister of Infrastructure, I appreciate the opportunity to respond.

As of Budget 2022, the Government of Alberta provides funding of up to \$250,000 per school to support the construction of playgrounds for new and replacement elementary schools. Decisions regarding playground design have been entrusted to local school divisions, who are responsible for ensuring that playgrounds best serve community needs.

A review of playground funding levels will be jointly undertaken by Infrastructure and Education in the first half of 2025. Additional correspondence will follow upon completion of that review.

Thank you for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

Pete Guthrie Minister

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