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The Honourable Doug Ford Premier of Ontario Queen's Park Toronto, Ontario M7A 1A1

The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, P.C., M.P. Prime Minister of Canada Office of the Prime Minister 80 Wellington Street Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0A2

Dear Premier Ford and Prime Minister Trudeau,

## Re: Shared Social and Economic Prosperity

Ontario's municipal governments invest more than \$65 billion a year in the services people and businesses in Ontario rely on most.

Our local economies, our natural and human resources, and the businesses and industries situated in Ontario municipalities are the foundation of Ontario's economy, fundamental to the national economy and to Canada's prosperity.

Municipal governments in Ontario will always support and assist the governments of Ontario and Canada as partners, including in times of challenge and uncertainty.

AMO and its members in every part of Ontario are confident that our communities, our province and our nation are resilient, innovative and competitive, and ready to work together to continue to build our shared social and economic prosperity.

Sincerely,

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President, Association of Municipalities of Ontario

The Honourable Pierre Poilievre, P.C., M.P., Leader of the Official Opposition, Canada CC: The Honourable Marit Stiles, M.P.P., Leader of the Official Opposition, Ontario