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Mr. Corey Hogan, M.P.
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House of Commons
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Dear Mr. Hogan,

## Subject: Request for Meeting to Discuss Federal Policy Priorities for Southeast Alberta

On behalf of the Southeast Alberta Chamber of Commerce, congratulations on your recent election as Member of Parliament for Calgary Confederation. We look forward to working with you to advance the economic and social well-being of our Southern Alberta region and the broader province of Alberta.

The Southeast Alberta Chamber represents a diverse and resilient business community. As part of our advocacy efforts, we would welcome the opportunity to meet with you to discuss our federal policy priorities, the Canadian Chamber of Commerce's All-In Plan for Canada and how it will align with the Government's plans in the 45<sup>th</sup> Parliamentary session, particularly any key areas that would be applicable within Alberta and that will impact the economy within Southern Alberta.

Our key priorities include:

- Trade Infrastructure: We support investments in roads, rail, airports, ports, and pipelines to ensure Canadian goods can reach global markets efficiently and reliably.
- Internal Trade: We advocate for the removal of interprovincial trade barriers that hinder business growth and competitiveness.
- Workforce Development: Addressing labour shortages through immigration reform, skills training, and work integrated learning.
- Reducing regulatory burdens and costs for business: Streamlining regulatory processes and costs to accelerate business development and infrastructure projects.
- Sector Development: Supporting key Alberta industries such as agriculture, manufacturing, aerospace and defence.

These priorities reflect both the needs of our local business community and the national vision outlined in the All-In Plan, which calls for a multipartisan approach to building a more competitive, resilient, and inclusive Canadian economy.

We would greatly appreciate the opportunity to meet with you—virtually or in person—at your earliest convenience to discuss how we can work together to advance these goals. Thank you for your time and consideration. We look forward to your response and to building a strong and productive relationship with this Government.

Sincerely,

Steven Pudwell

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cc: MP Glen Motz, Medicine Hat-Cardston-Warner Constituency

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