From: **Bill Rogers** 

Brian McEvoy; Bill Rogers; Byron Johnson; David Sharun; Elisa Brosseau; Kayla Blanchette; Neil Langridge; Phil To:

Kushnir; Renee Stoyles; Tracy Ghostkeeper

Subject: FW: Request for letter of Support August 28, 2024 9:18:22 AM Date:

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## Good morning Council:

Elisa Brosseau, Chair of the Alberta Bilingual Association- is requesting your support for their application for a Community Initiatives Program Grant for their "Building Bridges" project . Details below.

Due to time constraints, we are asking for your support via email so we can issue a letter to be signed by the Deputy Mayor, and we ill bring a Staff rec forward to the September 10<sup>th</sup> meeting to ratify this request.

Look forward to hearing from you

**Thanks** Bill

Bill Rogers, CLGM **Chief Administrative Officer** Town of Bonnyville

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**From:** Elisa Brosseau <ebrosseau@town.bonnyville.ab.ca>

Sent: Wednesday, August 28, 2024 9:13 AM **To:** Bill Rogers <br/> <br/>brogers@town.bonnyville.ab.ca>

**Subject:** Request for letter of Support

HI Bill,

Please see a request below for a letter of support. Thank you.

The Alberta Bilingual Municipalities Association would like to ask for your help by providing a letter of support to be included with our grant application to the Community Initiatives Program Grant for our Building Brides project. This project will create a comprehensive digital platform that serves as a centralized hub showcasing and marketing Alberta's bilingual municipalities as economic drivers. Additionally, the project will align with our Bilingual signage initiative, creating a bilingual economic corridor.

Additionally, Bilingual Bridges will facilitate community storytelling initiatives where residents will share personal narratives and local anecdotes related to bilingualism. These stories, curated and shared through social media and the digital platform, will amplify exposure for municipalities, both nationally and internationally. Through bilingual signage, and business outreach, the project seeks to attract investment and visitors interested in experiencing the richness of bilingual life in Alberta.

Due to time constraints for submitting the CIP application, we would appreciate you emailing a Letter of Support in PDF format to <a href="mailto:ebrosseau@town.bonnyville.ab.ca">ebrosseau@town.bonnyville.ab.ca</a> by September 10, 2024.

Thank you kindly,

Elisa Brosseau, Chair Alberta Bilingual Municipalties Assocation