

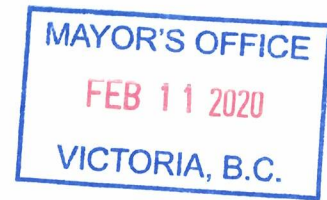
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Her Worship Lisa Helps
Mayor of the City of Victoria
1 Centennial Square
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Dear Madam Mayor:

Thank you so much for your letter of congratulations of December 5, 2019.

It is an honour and a privilege to serve Canadians, and I am grateful for this opportunity. I look forward to assuming my responsibilities as part of our government's commitment to advance key initiatives and achieve results for Canadians.

Our government is committed to working in partnership with stakeholders to address our shared priorities and to continue the important work that has been done to modernize procurement practices across the country to ensure they support our economic policy goals.

I appreciate your taking the time to share with me the copy of the City of Victoria's Strategic Plan 2019–2022 and information on the Coastal Communities Social Procurement Initiative.

Sincerely,

The Honourable Anita Anand, PC, MP