

## Premier of Alberta

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Rotary International Board of Directors One Rotary Centre 1560 Sherman Avenue Evanston, IL 60201 USA

Dear Rotary International Board of Directors:

As Premier of Alberta, it is my pleasure to provide a letter of support for the City of Calgary and Rotary District 5360 in their bid to host the Rotary International Convention in Calgary in 2023, 2024, or 2025.

Based on the success of the 1996 Rotary International Convention in Calgary, and the city's outstanding record for hosting major international events, there is no doubt Alberta is a perfect fit for your event. Calgary offers spectacular scenery, legendary hospitality, outstanding cosmopolitan cultural amenities, and distinct state-of-the-art meeting facilities that can easily accommodate Rotary's anticipated audience of 30,000 to 35,000 delegates. This beautiful, vibrant city will stimulate and inspire convention delegates and offer amazing opportunities for stays around Alberta, both before and after the event.

I am confident Rotary District 5360 and the City of Calgary would host a highly successful Rotary International Convention, and I encourage Rotary International to consider the bid from Rotary District 5360 and the City of Calgary for the 2023, 2024, or 2025 event.

Sincerely,

Rachel Notley Premier of Alberta

CC:

Mr. Craig Stokke, Chairman

District 5360 Rotary International Convention Bid Committee

Mr. Neil Berg, District Governor

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