



Naheed K. Nenshi, Mayor

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Mayor Marshall Chalmers
City of Chestermere
105 Marina Road
Chestermere, AB T1X 1V7

Dear Mayor Chalmers,

I am writing to formally document and advance our numerous informal discussions on the potential extension of transit service to the City of Chestermere. On behalf of The City of Calgary, I am pleased to confirm our desire to advance our negotiations on a regional transit service agreement that builds upon the work we did to jointly examine the feasibility of a transit connection between our cities.

As we emerge from the pandemic and our respective citizens return to some form of normalcy, we know that transit service will continue to be one of the best investments any government can make to help provide greater mobility and the economic opportunity for regular people. My strong belief is that the extension of Calgary Transit's service to Chestermere will greatly benefit both of our cities and the region.

I understand that our respective administrations have been working closely to finalize details of the transit service and work on the Heads of Agreement (HOA). The goal would be to present the HOA to both of our respective councils in June for approval. The completion and execution of a full service agreement over the summer would allow the service to launch this fall.

I would be pleased to discuss this further with you, but believe our professional staff are already making good progress on this work. I look forward opening day.

Sincerely,

Naheed K. Nenshi
MAYOR

Let's move forward together!