



November 24, 2021

The Honourable Mike Farnworth
Solicitor General & Minister of Public Safety
P.O. Box 9010 Prov. Govt.
Victoria, British Columbia V8W 9L5

Dear Minister Farnworth:

RE: Request for Increase in Member(s) to the City of Penticton RCMP Municipal Police Unit

The Council of the City of Penticton has authorized and is requesting a further increase of three (3) regular member assigned to its RCMP Municipal Police Unit for the 2022/2023 fiscal year. The current City of Penticton authorized strength is fifty (52) members. With the increase of three positions, the authorized establishment to be recorded in Annex "A" of the City of Penticton Municipal Police Unit Agreement will be fifty-five (55). As per the terms of the *Agreement*, the number of members will be increased as soon as practicable within one year of the federal government's receipt of your letter to the federal minister.

I confirm our incremental financial commitment for the costs of the requested increase.

Since establishment increases require amendments to Annex "A" of the Federal/Provincial Agreement, please take the necessary steps to amend the Annex "A" by contacting the Solicitor General of Canada.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours truly,
THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF PENTICTON

Donny van Dyk
Chief Administrative Officer

Cc: Superintendent Brian Hunter, Officer in Charge, Penticton RCMP Detachment
Establishment Coordinator, Establishment Unit, RCMP "E" Division Headquarters
Regional Director, Financial Management, RCMP "E" Division Headquarters