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TOWNSHIP OF HURON-KINLOSS

**RE: 2023 Physician Recruitment Program**

Dear Mary-Rose Waldon and Members of Council:

I want to begin by expressing our sincere appreciation for the continued financial support toward the recruitment and retention of physicians that are practicing at the Hawthorne Community Clinic in Kincardine.

This program has been successful in enlisting new physicians to serve the Clinic, the Emergency Room, and the hospital. To build upon this achievement, the Municipality of Kincardine has committed to continued support with this program to ensure quality health care for our communities.

Currently, approximately 22 % of patients using the services of the Clinic are residents of the Township of Huron-Kinloss. This percentage is based on the number of rostered patients with a Huron-Kinloss postal code, however, is conservative as it does not capture patients with a Kincardine postal code residing in Huron-Kinloss.

We appreciate your contribution and support of \$17,000 in previous years. We would respectfully request continued support for this crucial community service for 2023.

I would be happy to discuss this with you at your convenience. Please feel free to contact me should you require any further information.

Sincerely,

Chrystel Murphy  
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