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Mr. Nando Iannicca  
Chair, Board of Health  
Peel Public Health  
10 Peel Centre Drive  
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**August 21, 2020**  
REGION OF PEEL  
OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CLERK

Dear Mr. Iannicca:

I am pleased to advise you that the Ministry of Health will provide the Board of Health for Peel Public Health up to \$166,600 in additional base funding and up to \$1,232,400 in one-time funding for the 2020-21 funding year, to support the provision of public health programs and services in your community.

Dr. David Williams, Chief Medical Officer of Health, will write to Peel Public Health shortly concerning the terms and conditions governing the funding.

Ontario recognizes the considerable time and resources necessary for public health units to continue to effectively respond to COVID-19.

Therefore, the Ministry of Health is providing further stability to municipalities with additional one-time mitigation funding for public health units, if required, for both 2020 and 2021 funding years. This funding ensures that municipalities do not experience any increase as a result of the cost-sharing change.

This is in addition to the \$100 million increased investment to support the public health sector's response to COVID-19. Following receipt of this letter, the ministry will be initiating the process for public health units to request reimbursement of one-time extraordinary costs incurred in managing the response to COVID-19.

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Mr. Nando Iannicca

Thank you for the important service that your public health unit provides to Ontarians, and your ongoing dedication and commitment to addressing the public health needs of Ontarians.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Christine Elliott".

Christine Elliott  
Deputy Premier and Minister of Health

c: Dr. Lawrence Loh, Medical Officer of Health (A), Peel Public Health