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Chief and Council
Mathias Colomb Cree Nation
P.O. Box 135
PUKATAWAGAN, MB. R0B 1G0

Dear Chief and Council:

MINISTERIAL GUARANTEE # 1617-MB-000089-GL 25 Units

This is to advise that the above Ministerial Loan Guarantee for the Mathias Colomb Cree Nation was approved and sent to Peace Hills trust for signature.

Please note, the Ministerial Loan Guarantee in the amount of \$5.9 million covers costs related to the construction of 25 houses and the servicing of the 25 housing lots only, the Ministerial Loan Guarantee does not cover any costs associated with other infrastructure that may be necessary for the development of the planned subdivision.

Based on the information we received and upon which the decision to issue the Ministerial Loan Guarantee was made, the subdivision will feature piped water and wastewater services.

While we note that Mathias Colomb First Nation has identified the loan repayments of \$500,000 per year on its First Nation Infrastructure Investment Plan, an approach which is supported by Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada, it must be noted that the First Nation Infrastructure Investment Plan is a planning document and does not represent a legal commitment by the department to provide funding for the activities identified.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Diana Watson at 204-984-1048.

Sincerely,

Stephen Traynor
Regional Director General
Manitoba Region

CC: Diana Watson, Manager, Capital and Housing Services
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