CALL TO ACTION TO THE GOVERNMENT OF SASKATCHEWAN

Dear Premier,

We, the undersigned municipalities, and public safety stakeholders of Saskatchewan, are deeply concerned about the lack of transparency and accountability surrounding the Saskatchewan Marshals Service (SMS). It is with a sense of urgency that we call upon the provincial government to halt any further investment into the creation of the SMS and instead prioritize investment into existing police resources across the provinces.

The SMS has already been initiated and funded to the tune of \$14 million without adequate consultation with the communities and stakeholders it is meant to serve. This lack of consultation is deeply troubling and undermines the principles of democracy and community engagement. Saskatchewan residents deserve to have their voices heard and to be fully informed about significant changes to law enforcement in their communities.

Several alarming issues surround the proposal for the SMS, including but not limited to the lack of consultation, concerning oversight, lack of integration with existing law enforcement agencies, unknown costs, and staffing concerns. These issues raise serious doubts about the effectiveness, efficiency, and accountability of the SMS.

The absence of a detailed plan outlining the impacts and costs of creating the SMS is unacceptable. Saskatchewan residents deserve to know the true financial implications of establishing and maintaining the SMS before any further decisions are made. Without this information, it is impossible to make informed decisions about the future of policing in our province.

Therefore, we, the undersigned municipalities and public safety stakeholders, call on the Government of Saskatchewan to release the full plan for the proposed Saskatchewan Marshal Service, including comprehensive details on costing and anticipated impacts. We also urge the provincial government to pause any further investment into the SMS until proper informed consultation has taken place.

Premier, it is your duty to address these concerns and provide the transparency and accountability that Saskatchewan residents deserve. We stand ready to work with you to ensure that the future of policing in Saskatchewan is based on consultation, transparency, and the needs of our communities.



























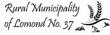






























































Village of Coderre VILLAGE OF GOODWATER Town of Star City VILLAGE OF GRAYSON





















Cities:

City of Warman

Towns:

Town of Arcola

Town of Balcarres

Town of Bienfait

Town of Bruno

Town of Churchbridge

Town of Foam Lake

Town of Gravelbourg

Town of Hepburn

Town of Herbert

Town of Imperial

Town of Kelvington

Town of Kerrobert

Town of Kyle

Town of Langenburg

Town of Lashburn

Town of Luseland

Town of Marshall

Town of Nokomis

Town of Ogema

Town of Preeceville

Town of Radisson

Town of Rockglen

Town of Southey

Town of Spiritwood

Town of Star City

Town of Strasbourg

Town of Wolseley

Villages:

Village of Atwater

Village of Bangor

Village of Bjorkdale

Village of Bracken

Village of Coderre

Village of Conquest

Village of Consul

Village of Craven

Village of Dinsmore

Village of Disley

Village of Drake

Village of Elbow

Village of Earl Grey

Village of Glen Ewen

Village of Goodwater

Village of Grayson

Village of Halbrite

Village of Invermay

Village of Meacham

Village of Meath Park

Village of Medstead

Village of Mervin

Village of Neilburg

Village of Neville

Village of Parkside

Village of Rhein

Village of Ridgedale

Village of St. Gregor

Village of Theodore

Village of Val Marie

Village of Vanguard

Village of Vibank

Village of Waseca

Village of Wiseton

Village of Young

Village of Zenon Park

Rural Municipalities:

Rural Municipality of Arm River

Rural Municipality of Beaver River

Rural Municipality of Biggar

Rural Municipality of Big Quill

Rural Municipality of Biorkdale

Rural Municipality of Chester

Rural Municipality of Coulee

Rural Municipality of Cut Knife

Rural Municipality of Edenwold

Rural Municipality of Elfros Rural Municipality of Emerald

Rural Municipality of Fertile Belt

Rural Municipality of Gravelbourg

Rural Municipality of Glen Mcpherson

Rural Municipality of Good Lake

Rural Municipality of Harris

Rural Municipality of Hillsdale

Rural Municipality of Kelvington Rural Municipality of King George

Rural Municipality of Lakeview

Rural Municipality of Laurier

Rural Municipality of Lomond

Rural Municipality of Mankota

Rural Municipality of Mariposa

Rural Municipality of Martin

Rural Municipality of Moose Jaw

Rural Municipality of Moose Range

Rural Municipality of Pinto Creek

Rural Municipality of Porcupine **Rural Municipality of Progress**

Rural Municipality of Preeceville

Rural Municipality of Rosedale

Rural Municipality of Spiritwood

Rural Municipality of Spy Hill

Rural Municipality of Turtle River

Rural Municipality of Willner

Rural Municipality of Whiska Creek

Organizations:

National Police Federation

Union of Safety and Justice Employees