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Saskatchewan

Minister of Advanced Education

Legislative Building
Regina, Canada S4S 0B3

March 23, 2022

Loretta Pete Lambert, Chair
Board of Governors
First Nations University of Canada
1 First Nations Way
REGINA SK S4S 7K2

Dear Loretta Pete Lambert:

The 2022-23 Budget is focused on Saskatchewan being *back on track*, with a fiscal plan to return the budget to balance. Our resurgent economy and sound fiscal management ensure the services, programs, and infrastructure investments Saskatchewan people value are sustainable today and into the future.

In 2022-23, the Government of Saskatchewan will continue to invest in the second year of our multi-year funding commitment in post-secondary education. This four-year commitment to the sector supports your continued efforts to improve long-term financial sustainability at your institution. We look forward to learning more about how your multi-year funding initiatives progress over the next year and we applaud your commitment to achieving the priorities of *Saskatchewan's Growth Plan for the Next Decade of Growth 2020-2030*.

This year, we are pleased to provide a total investment of \$3,859,900 for the First Nations University of Canada, which includes \$185,600 in accordance with the multi-year funding commitment negotiated last year. The following appendix provides additional detail about government's investment and its intended uses:

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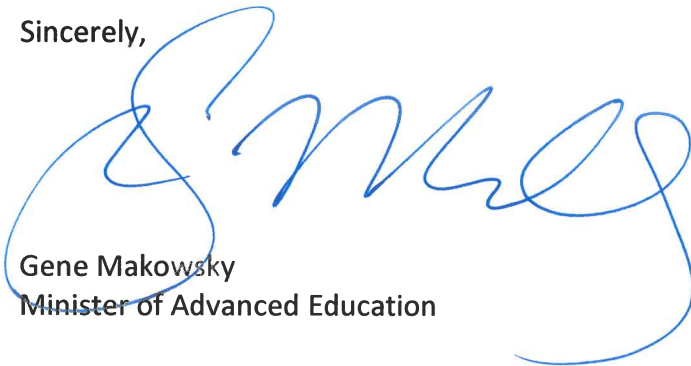
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Ministry of Advanced Education officials will be in contact with representatives at your institution to discuss the following accountability requirements and due dates for 2022-23:

- **Agreement to submit required accountability reports** – due April 15, 2022 (as per Eligibility Criteria 1 in the “Saskatchewan Post-Secondary Multi-Year Operating Funding Memorandum of Understanding”);
- **Multi-Year Funding Accountability Reports** – due June 30, 2022, and January 31, 2023, (as per Eligibility Criteria 2 and 3 in the MOU);
- **Revenue and Expenditure Reports** – due June 30, 2022; and,
- **Performance Framework Reports** – due June 30, 2022, and January 31, 2023.

Post-secondary education is crucial to Saskatchewan’s post-pandemic economic recovery. We look forward to our ongoing work together.

Sincerely,



Gene Makowsky
Minister of Advanced Education

Attachment

cc: Dr. Jacqueline Ottmann, President, First Nations University of Canada
Jason Wong, Vice-President Finance and Administration,
First Nations University of Canada
Kimberly Kratzig, Deputy Minister of Advanced Education

APPENDIX 1
Detailed Schedule of Funding
First Nations University of Canada

Funding Schedule April 1, 2022 - March 31, 2023

| | | First Nations University of Canada | |
|--|-------------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| | | 2022-23 Funding | 2021-22 Funding |
| <u>Operating Funding</u> | | | |
| | Base Operating Grant | \$ 3,674,300 | \$ 3,674,300 |
| | Multi-Year Funding Allocation | 185,600 | 185,600 |
| Total Operating Funding as per MYF MOU* | | \$ 3,859,900 | \$ 3,859,900 |
| Total Funding | | \$ 3,859,900 | \$ 3,859,900 |

* MYF MOU = Saskatchewan Post-Secondary Multi-Year Operating Funding Memorandum of Understanding 2021-22 to 2024-25