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August 30, 2007

Ms. Sandra Keshen
Chief Executive Officer
Reena
927 Clark Avenue West
Thornhill ON L4J 8G6

Dear Ms. Keshen:

**Re: 9600 Bathurst Street, Vaughan, 60 units
Reena Community Residential Building, Reena
Affordable Housing Program – Wave-1 Rental and Supportive Component**

I am pleased to confirm that funding in the amount of \$4,200,000 for 60 units for the Reena Community Residential Building project in Vaughan has been approved under Wave 1 of the Canada–Ontario Affordable Housing Program (AHP).

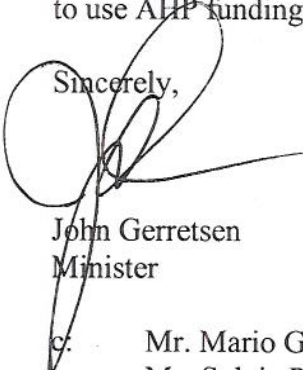
Your project is one of 252 AHP-approved capital projects for more than 9,000 units across the province. These projects are in various stages of development, and many are occupied.

Under the new Canada–Ontario Affordable Housing Program Agreement, up to 15,000 new units of affordable housing will be funded and up to 5,000 housing allowances will be provided for Ontario's most vulnerable. This includes people on, or eligible to be on, the waiting list for social housing, victims of domestic violence, individuals dealing with issues of substance abuse or mental illness, aboriginal peoples, recent immigrants, people with physical disabilities, and lower-income seniors.

Details about the conditions and administrative procedures for this funding will be provided to you shortly.

Congratulations for this significant accomplishment. Our government is pleased that you are able to use AHP funding to provide affordable housing in your community.

Sincerely,



John Gerretsen
Minister

c: Mr. Mario G. Racco, MPP, Thornhill
Ms. Sylvia Patterson, Director of Housing Services, Regional Municipality of York