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Ms. Susan Therrien
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Dear Ms. Therrien:

Re: Public Library Operating, Pay Equity, and First Nation Salary Supplement Grants for the 2023-24 Fiscal Year

I am pleased to inform you that Port Colborne Public Library Board will receive \$38,328 under the Public Library Operating, Pay Equity, and First Nation Salary Supplement Grants program for the 2023-24 fiscal year. This includes \$2,770 for Pay Equity funding.

This funding will support your organization with providing important library services and access to information to residents within your respective community. Our government is investing more than \$21 million in operating grants to enable Ontarians to access free resources and services at over 300 public libraries and First Nations public libraries across the province.

Our government supports a strong public library sector and the important impact that it continues to have on the lives of all Ontarians.

All the best,

The Honourable Neil Lumsden Minister of Tourism, Culture and Sport

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