

January 30, 2025

Dear Mayors:

Re: Border Mayors Alliance

In collaboration with Mayor Drew Dilkens, City of Windsor, Chair of Border Mayors Alliance, it is my pleasure to extend an invitation to join this partnership.

Together, we are committed to representing our cities and residents throughout this challenging time. This partnership serves as a unified, national voice to protect and advocate for our communities. The introduction of these tariffs threatens to disrupt vital supply chains, impacting cities and communities across the country and therefore demands a Canada First approach.

The Border Mayors Alliance is focused on the staggering nearly \$2 billion in goods that cross the border each day, which supports millions of jobs on both sides. The potential tariffs could disrupt tens of thousands of jobs across Canada and the United States, particularly in vital sectors like manufacturing, agriculture and technology. With over 75% of Canada's exports flowing to the United States, it is clear that maintaining open and fair trade channels is of utmost importance.

Through the Alliance, we are pushing for policies that will sustain our economy, promote thriving business and support the families in our communities. Please feel welcome to join, kindly contact Rachel Haddad [rahaddad@citywindsor.ca](mailto:rahaddad@citywindsor.ca) from the City of Windsor should you be interested.

Sincerely,



Brenda Locke  
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