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A Message from the Regional Director of Emergency Management

I am very happy to report that all 3 positive COVID-19 cases within the Region of St. Paul have since recovered. I would like to wish these individuals a safe and healthy recovery. I would also like to thank the residents of our Region, which include the Summer Village of Horseshoe Bay, County of St. Paul, and the Towns of Elk Point and St. Paul for doing their part to limit the spread of COVID-19. I know this has not been easy on any of us.

As Dr. Deena Hinshaw, Alberta's Chief Medical Officer of Health has stated:

"All of us are looking ahead with both optimism and concern about what's in store as we begin to open up. We have arrived where we are today because of Albertans' discipline and commitment to following public health guidance and looking out for each other".

Stage 1 of Alberta's relaunch strategy is set for tomorrow, May 14, 2020. While there remain many questions as to how everything will look, and at what time-frame, I will remind you that the Region of St. Paul will continue to follow the Government of Alberta and AHS recommendations for relaunch.

As part of the Government's relaunch strategy, resources are available to help keep you, your staff, and your customers safe. I recommend you all take a look at the Biz Connect website: https://www.alberta.ca/biz-connect.aspx

To be successful during the economic relaunch, businesses should continue acting responsibly by following public health and physical distancing measures and using good hygiene and disinfecting practices.

By working together, we can ensure our sacrifices to slow the spread of COVID-19 are not wasted.

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