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Sent: Tuesday, August 8, 2023 10:08 AM
To: Jesse Wright <jwright@districtofmackenzie.ca>
Cc: [REDACTED] >
Subject: Rec Center membership

To Whom it May Concern,
My name is Nicole Bilton,

I am 54 years of age and am a single mom of a 13 year old boy.

We lost all our belongings in a house fire in October 2022 and were invited to stay with friends here in Mackenzie till we got back on our feet.

I developed some health issues since moving here from weight gain over the winter months.

I only work part time at Red Apple. Please see attached income statement.

At the instruction and advice of my doctor I recently applied for a reduced rec center membership.

It turns out I made \$200 above the allotted amount to qualify.

I explained to the lady there that my tax assessment from last year does not accurately show what my income is now.

As you will see on the attached income statement so far this year I will be far below \$20000 for the year 2023

She told me without a new tax assessment she could not help me. When offering to bring her in paystubs she refused.

It is important for my health to not deteriorate further that I can go and work out regularly to reduce my weight. I suffer from type 2 diabetes, high blood pressure and joint pain that can be contributed to my weight gain. These conditions are all reversible with weightloss and exercise.

My son suffers from anxiety from being bullied here at the highschool and also requires some other outlet he can pursue aside from school activities.

He also attends regular counselling sessions.

I asked that you please review my case and make it possible for my family to obtain a rec center membership.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

I look forward to hear from you.

Please note the attached income statement year to date from my employer.

Sincerely,

Nicole Bilton