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**Subject:** Letter of Support

Hi Diane and Emily,

Mackenzie Community Services would like to request a letter of support from Council in its application to bring a Foundry to Mackenzie. Attached to this email is a template that can be used. The application is due at the end of October, so it would have to be voted on at the Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> Council meeting, or it will be too late.

Thanks!

Jesse

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(Insert Company/Organization Letterhead Here)

To the FoundryBC Expansion Application Reviewers,

I am writing this letter today on behalf of [insert organization here] to fully support and advocate that Mackenzie be one of the 10 communities chosen in this round of expansion for a Foundry location. [Insert your organization name here] sees youth mental health as a huge issue in Mackenzie, and the community needs Foundry and its Integrated Youth Services mission to help tackle the issue.

Furthermore, [organization name here] fully supports Mackenzie Community Services as being the lead agency to bring Foundry to Mackenzie. Mackenzie Community Services (MCS) is already a leader in Mackenzie for youth mental health, and is an organization we already refer to. It would be a perfect partnership between Foundry and MCS.

[Insert paragraph here on how Foundry would benefit your organization specifically]

Thank you for taking the time to consider Mackenzie, and I again advocate that Mackenzie be one of the 10 chosen communities.

Thank You,

[Insert Signature Here]