Hon. Jeremy Cockrill,

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Dear Health Minister Jeremy Cockrill; April 10 , 2025

**RE: Commence Replacement of Jubilee Home LTC, Lloydminster**

I’m writing to you to advocate for the urgent advancement of the proposal to replace the 50 bed Jubilee Home Long Term Care Facility in Lloydminster, Saskatchewan.

An earlier consultant report on the condition of the facility in 2013, suggested that land acquisition should be completed in 2025- 2026 and preliminary facility planning should already be underway. Recently windows had to be replaced due to severe rotting. The facility will soon reach end of life in many of its components, including outdated safety and design standards for the comfort of patients living there.

We understand that an overall Health Facility assessment study for Lloydminster is currently underway and should be completed and ready by the end of 2025. However we would suggest that there is sufficient current data held by SHA to confirm the significant deficiency in providing Saskatchewan Seniors a place to stay near where they lived in the Lloydminster Region.

Data has confirmed that no beds have been added in Lloydminster since 1958. Therefore, approximately 40 to 50 Saskatchewan Seniors are taking up beds in Lloydminster **Alberta** facilities for many years now. We further understand that North Battleford (pop. 13836) being similar in population to Lloydminster ( pop. 11,843 sk side) had their last LTC beds increase in 1977 and is currently undergoing a $250,000 study of Long Term Care needs while already having 253 LTC spaces compared to Lloydminster having only 50.

Those representing Lloydminster in the past, may not have advocated clearly enough. Please make that change and show that Saskatchewan can look after their own citizens and are proud of their seniors.

Best Regards;

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