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To the Members of Oxford County Council,

Please allow us to express our sincere appreciation on behalf of the Social Planning Council Oxford for your generous support of \$65,000 for the 2021 year to facilitate the initiatives of our organization in our community.

Our vision is that every resident in Oxford County experiences wellbeing and a sense of belonging, which we know, each of you strives for as well.

With its challenges COVID-19 has also brought with it awareness, acknowledgement and willingness to act on social issues that may have been hidden more in the past. These challenges have also brought opportunities to brainstorm how we can further build on all of the strengths in our community, tweak or innovate to try things in a different way. This year we will continue to work in Oxford County to collaborate with agencies, groups and the municipalities to band together on these important issues.

You are valued members of the Social Planning Council Oxford team and we feel that the success of our organization is in large part due to the support that we receive from our local government. We especially want to thank Don McKay for acting as the County representative on our board which has been invaluable.

Please feel free at anytime to connect with us for further clarification on our focus areas and initiatives by contacting our Executive Director, Stephanie Ellens-Clark at stephanie.ellens-clark@spcoxford.ca or 226-228-0539.

With gratitude,

Karla Enns

Chair, Board of Directors
Social Planning Council Oxford

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