



Dr. Janet Morrison, President and Vice Chancellor
Sheridan College

Sent via Email

April 27, 2022

Re: Proposed new Centre for Healthy Communities

Dear Janet,

I am writing to offer the Brampton Board of Trade's support for Sheridan's plans to expand its programming in the Faculty of Applied Health and Community Studies by building a new Centre for Healthy Communities at your Davis campus in Brampton. It is an exciting proposal, one that promises to address a dire need for qualified frontline workers by Brampton's healthcare sector employers, as well as strengthen our City's position as an incubator for talent and innovation in health technology and applied research.

The Brampton Board of Trade strives to connect businesses on a local, regional, national, and global scale to help them build strategic partnerships. We have heard through our members that there is an increasing need for qualified talent and a need for graduate certificates and micro-credentialling to help employees upskill to meet rapidly evolving demands in all sectors, including healthcare. That is where post-secondary institutions like Sheridan play such a critical role in the economic and social development of Brampton. Your proposed expansion into a new building at Steeles and McLaughlin will spur the kind of growth and talent renewal that our City needs.

That is why, on behalf of the Brampton Board of Trade, I am excited to continue to work with Sheridan, who is a long-standing and valued member of our organization, and a critical partner in generating talent and technical expertise right here in Brampton.

Sincerely,

Todd Letts, MBA CCE
Chief Executive Officer