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Ms. Elaine Shantz  
CEO  
Fairview Mennonite Homes  
515 Langs Drive  
Cambridge ON N3H 5E4

Dear Ms. Shantz:

**Re: Long-Term Care Development Project (PROJ 564)**

I am pleased to advise you that your application for funding to develop 108 new long-term care beds as part of the Fairview Mennonite Homes - Cambridge project in Cambridge has been approved to be funded under the *Long-Term Care Home Capital Development Funding Policy, 2020*. This approval is subject to the fulfillment of all the conditions and requirements as set out in the *Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007* with respect to the licensing and operation of the beds, and other conditions to be stipulated by the Ministry of Long-Term Care.

The 108 long-term care beds are part of the government's commitment to create 30,000 new beds over the next decade. Our government is investing in new and redeveloped long-term care beds in Ontario as we work to create a 21st-century long-term care sector that is resident-focused, improving quality of care and quality of life for seniors and easing hallway health care. It is vital to improve access to long-term care beds to ensure residents get the care they deserve, when and where they need it.

Brian Pollard, Assistant Deputy Minister, Long-Term Care Capital Development Division, will be writing to you to provide further details, including applicable conditions, regarding this approval and next steps.

Please accept my congratulations on behalf of the Government of Ontario. We look forward to working with you to expand access to long-term care in Ontario, end hallway health care across our province, and to advance this important project in Cambridge.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "M Fullerton".

Dr. Merrilee Fullerton  
Minister of Long-Term Care

c: Bill Hatanaka, Board Chair, Ontario Health  
Matthew Anderson, Chief Executive Officer, Ontario Health  
Mark Walton, Chief Executive Officer, Waterloo Wellington Local Health Integration Network