

April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024

To whom it may concern,

Our Northeastern University in Vancouver campus team is unified in expressing our intent to be a Moose Hide Campaign Ambassador Campus.

Owing to your exceptional work, a collaborative and high impact pathway has been established that enables our efforts to be combined with friends and colleagues across many more universities and institutions.

By participating in the Moose Hide Campaign, we see opportunities to take unified action that prevents violence against women and children. We also see a clear alignment with our current commitments towards lasting reconciliation and Indigenization and, inspired by the Campaign, we will identify new ways to coordinate our campus strategic initiatives with the Truth and Reconciliation Commission Calls to Action.

I am pleased to report that Northeastern's campus team, including student services, wellness support, faculty, and administration, are not only united in expressing our intent to become an Ambassador Campus, but committed to playing our part in supporting the Moose Hide Campaign. We are already making progress, with kiosks set up to promote the Campaign and pins distributed throughout our community, alongside the Indigenous cultural engagement and education opportunities that we offer to our students. The Campaign will accelerate our efforts towards support for the Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls Inquiry Calls for Justice, the Truth and Reconciliation Commission Calls to Action, and the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.

Through our participation, Northeastern intends to deepen our engagement and involvement with the Campaign, and we look forward to working together on existing and new initiatives.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Steve Eccles

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