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**From:** FONOM Office/ Bureau de FONOM <fonom.info@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** July 22, 2025 10:23 AM  
**Subject:** Letter of Support from Mayor  
**Attachments:** CTA Draft of Template for Letter of Support - Municipal Copy.docx; Almost There on Headhead and formatted - July 15 Draft.docx

Good morning

Dear Mayor and Council,

On behalf of the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM), I would like to ask for your support for a project that holds transformative potential for Northern Ontario and Canada as a whole.

The FONOM Board has submitted a formal proposal to both the Prime Minister and the Premier of Ontario, advocating for the adoption of a 2+1 Highway System on Highways 11 and 17. We are requesting that this project be designated as a **Nation-Building Priority** under the Building Canada Act.

The benefits of this proposal are significant, with **improved safety** as the foremost objective. In addition, the 2+1 model offers economic, environmental, and national security advantages—making it a strategic investment in Canada’s connectivity and long-term growth.

We respectfully ask that:

1. This email be shared with your full Council, and
2. The Mayor consider submitting a **letter of support** using the attached sample template.

Your endorsement will demonstrate to both levels of government the unified support of Northern Ontario municipalities for this vital infrastructure project.

For your reference, I have included:

- A **copy of our submission** to the Prime Minister and Premier
- A **template letter of support** for your convenience

We are happy to answer any questions or provide additional information if you'd like.

Thank you for your consideration and your continued support of FONOM’s advocacy work.

Talk soon, Mac.



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