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President Margaret Froh
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Métis Nation of Ontario
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Dear President Froh,

On behalf of the Council of Ontario Universities, I am pleased to extend my warmest greetings to the Métis Nation of Ontario as you gather for your 2026 Annual General Assembly.

Ontario's universities recognize and value the important role that the Métis Nation of Ontario plays in advancing educational opportunities, supporting learner success, preserving Métis culture and knowledge, and strengthening communities across the province. Through collaboration, partnership, and a shared commitment to reconciliation, you have made meaningful progress in expanding opportunities for Métis learners and fostering greater understanding of Métis history, rights, and contributions.

We look forward to continuing to build stronger partnerships with the Métis Nation of Ontario and working together to support the aspirations of Métis students, communities, and future generations.

Please accept my best wishes for a successful and productive Assembly.

Sincerely,



Steve Orsini
President and CEO
Council of Ontario Universities

Copy: Dr. Deborah MacLatchy, Chair, Council of Ontario Universities and President and Vice-Chancellor, Wilfrid Laurier University