



Mayor and Council of Fort Frances
320 Portage Avenue
Fort Frances, ON
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November 21st, 2017

Dear Mayor and Council of Fort Frances,

The Government of Canada is focussed on how best to grow the Canadian economy – and to make sure that growth benefits all Canadians. As we prepare Budget 2018, we want to hear from you. Your ideas, your feedback, and your vision for what Canada's future should look like. We are consulting on four themes in preparation for Budget 2018: progress for the middle class, the economy of tomorrow, lifelong learning, and gender equality. However, as always we want to hear from your municipality on how Budget 2018 can best accommodate Northwestern Ontario and our unique needs.

Please submit a letter outlining feedback related to the four themes and listing any additional priorities you feel are important to your municipality and the region to don.rusnak@parl.gc.ca or by mail by **December 20th, 2017**. Your submission will be reviewed and sent to the Minister of Finance for consideration in Budget 2018. Canadians can also participate online, through <https://www.budget.gc.ca/2018/prebudget-prebudgetaire/index-en.html> , or by engaging on social media using #YourBudget2018.

Sincerely,

A blue ink signature, appearing to be "Don Rusnak", written in a cursive style.

Don Rusnak
Member of Parliament
Thunder Bay—Rainy River

