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Dear Honoured Guests,

On behalf of the Government of Canada, and as your Member of Parliament for Edmonton Centre, I am honoured to send my warmest congratulations on the Grand Opening of the Prairie Alliance for Settlement & Support (PASS).

Although I am unable to join you in person today, I want to acknowledge the important mission PASS is undertaking: to strengthen newcomer settlement, encourage community inclusion, and empowering meaningful cross-cultural connections across Edmonton and the Prairie region.

Through your commitment to integrated settlement services, humanitarian readiness initiatives, and much more, PASS stands prepared to support newcomers and help build stronger, more connected communities.

I commend the founders, volunteers, and everyone whose vision and dedication have brought this organization to life. Your efforts lay the foundation for Edmonton to grow as a more welcoming, inclusive, and vibrant city for all.

Congratulations on this important milestone. I wish PASS every success as you begin this exciting journey in serving newcomers and strengthening our community.

Sincerely,

The Honourable Eleanor Olszewski, K.C., P.C., M.P.

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