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**RE: Support for the Alberta School Councils' Association**

On behalf of the Foothills School Division Board of Trustees, I would like express gratitude to the Alberta School Councils' Association (ASCA) for being an invaluable resource and steadfast support to the School Councils within our division.

The resources, services, and learning opportunities that ASCA has delivered to an array of Foothills School Division School Councils, have helped to empower the parents who are stepping into roles on school council and fundraising societies, and have helped to build greater understanding of meaningful parental involvement. By providing workshops like 'Effective Engagement in Your School Community' and 'Fundraising Association Partnership Purpose,' alongside aiding councils in revising and modernizing their policies and procedures, we repeatedly hear school council members affirm that ASCA is organization of significant value.

The Board of Trustees looks forward to continued collaboration with ASCA as we believe together, we can support parents, cultivate resilient school communities, and empower effective school councils—all dedicated to the advancement of our students' well-being and success.

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Theresa Letendre."

Theresa Letendre  
Board Chair, Board of Trustees | Ward 3  
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Cc: Foothills School Division Board of Trustees  
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