

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR



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CITY OF SAULT STE. MARIE

January 3, 2019

David MacNaughton
Ambassador of Canada to the United States
501 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington D.C., USA
20001

Dear Ambassador MacNaughton:

RE: Steel Tariffs

As I believe you are aware, Sault Ste. Marie is home to Algoma Steel Inc.

This community has proudly produced high quality steel for both the Canadian and US markets for decades and its product has become an integral part of the supply chain in both countries. The US tariffs on Canadian steel threaten the balanced and integrated steel trading relationship between Canada and the US and are negatively effecting companies on both sides of our border.

It is of the utmost importance that Canada find a resolution to this matter and I expect that you are working very hard to do so. I would like to assist your efforts in any appropriate or constructive way that I can and I am writing to offer my support accordingly.

I would appreciate the opportunity to discuss this most important matter with you and will make myself available as soon as your schedule permits a telephone conversation. My office will be in touch accordingly.

Sincerely,

Christian C. Provenzano, B.A., LL.B., LL.M

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