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**CAUTION:** External Message

Good Morning Charlene and Scott,

I just wanted to take a moment to express my disappointment and frustration with SD68's decision to restrict travel for extracurricular events. I have three school aged children who all enjoy the extracurricular activities you have now postponed with the stroke of a pen. This decision seems really short sighted and is disproportionately affecting children. I understand that in a time of crisis we all have a role to play and I'm not saying that youth sport or field trips should be put ahead of any public safety measure, however the decision to restrict these activities seems to go above and beyond what the Public Safety Minister has outlined in the Ministerial Order. By putting further restrictions in place you are either misinterpreting the Order or are undermining the Public Safety Order itself.

Please reconsider this decision and effectively immediately allow school age children to resume extracurricular activities that are so important to mental health and support physical activity.

Thanks for your time.

Colleen Broekhuizen

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