

RE: Town of Aurora 50m pool

Date: October 7, 2020

Attention: Mayor Mrakas, Ms. McDougall and Mr. Nadorozny

On behalf of the Aurora Special Ducks Swim Club, I am writing regarding the possibility of our town getting a 50M aquatic facility.

Having consulted with our Team Manager and Community Executive, I can express our Club's support for this project and confirm that the Special Ducks will benefit from, and participate in, using a 50M aquatic centre.

Supporting this project means that our organization will:

- Have access to more pool time in the SARC for program expansion in mid-temperature water and 25m formation
- Participate in competitive events hosted at the 50m facility
- Use the new facility as part of our training for provincial and national level swimmers
- Endorse sanctioning of Club, regional, provincial and national level competitions at the new facility

On a personal note, I have shared documents with Robyn that outline the efforts by another 'advocacy group' (Aurorans for Aquatics) prior to the construction of the SARC. At the time we were told it would take years to fill to capacity, and yet within 3 years we were battling each other for more pool time. If you build it, they will come and swim in it!!

Sincerely,

**Head Coach** 

**Aurora Special Ducks**