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Hilda Nicholas  
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Dear Hilda,

Thank you for your letter of September 15, 2021, regarding the approval of your funding application.

It was a pleasure receiving this letter and reading about the impact of the funding that the Mohawk Language Custodian Association of Kanehsatà:ke received through the Indigenous Languages Component. It was very impressive to learn about the success stories of the graduates from the immersion language program, as well as how the language programs that your organization delivers is inclusive to so many different types of participants.

Your letter highlights how important the work and efforts of Indigenous organizations such as yours can be in supporting the continuation of Indigenous cultures and languages as living elements of Canadian society. It is an honour for Canadian Heritage to support the invaluable work that the Mohawk Language Custodian Association is carrying out, and we look forward to continuing to support programs that seek to reclaim, revitalize, maintain and strengthen Indigenous languages.

Yours sincerely,

  
Isabelle Mondou

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