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Ms. Donna Moroso Director of Integrated Social Services Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board 210 Mead Boulevard Espanola, ON P5E 1R9

Dear Ms. Moroso:

Re: Funding Allocation for the Municipal Infrastructure Investment Initiative – Social Housing Asset Management

Ontario

Further to the announcement made by Minister Bob Chiarelli earlier this week, I am pleased to write to you about the Municipal Infrastructure Investment Initiative funds available for strategic asset management of social housing for eligible Service Managers.

As part of the Province of Ontario's long-term infrastructure plan, *Building Together*, MMAH has made available a total of \$750,000 over three years to eligible Service Managers in Ontario for strategic asset management purposes. Eligible Service Managers include those who are responsible for 4,000 units of social housing or less. The Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board will be receiving a total funding allocation of \$10,608.00 over three years.

My staff will be hosting a teleconference on Tuesday, August 21 from 11:00-11:30 a.m. in order to have the opportunity to speak to you directly about the program and to answer any questions. Please dial 1-866-633-0848 to enter the teleconference, followed by ID# 9780426.

In the meantime, I encourage you to read through the documents included with this letter, which will provide you with specific information about your funding, how to access it, suggestions for intended use, and other information that we hope will be of assistance. Over the next several weeks, my staff will be contacting you individually to follow up, should you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Keith Extance

Director,

Housing Funding and Risk Management Branch

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Encl – Q's and A's Brochure