

Good Afternoon Director Maeda,

Please pass along my full support HB-2410 as well as the Ontario Community Recreation Center's project of rebuilding a swimming pool for the Ontario community. Our community, our kids, need this so dearly.

Our kids need more safe, productive, social opportunities, this would benefit each individually as well as their families as a whole.

Aside from social and health benefits, the greatest reason for my support is safety. Our children need a place to learn to swim. We are surrounded by canals and rivers, I worry for the safety of our kids who currently do not have adequate opportunities to gain water safety and learn to swim.

I've worked in three other communities throughout my educational career, each had a community pool. One of the most important and satisfying community partnerships I've made within this time has been with these entities. Swim lessons were scheduled for all students, and every student had access to water safety instruction.

Thank you for pursuing this opportunity for the children and families of the Ontario community. You have my full support.

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