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From: Stickney, Matt
Sent: Friday, May 15, 2020 1:50 PM
To: Duchesneau, Olivier; Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC); Hallé, Andrée-Lyne
Cc: Kalles, Jonathan; Zimmerman, Shannon; Church, Leslie (SPAC/PSPC); Mullan-Boudreau, Caitlin (SPAC/PSPC); Duran, Anson; Hinse, Geneviève
Subject: RE: Lettre V. Plante - masques - Montreal

Quebec is taking the lead and we are there to support them in any way that we can.

Let us know if you're having any trouble. Something simple like that..

-----Original Message-----

From: Duchesneau, Olivier <Olivier.Duchesneau@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>
Sent: Friday, May 15, 2020 1:48 PM
To: Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC) <anthony.laporte@canada.ca>; Hallé, Andrée-Lyne <Andree-Lyne.Halle@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca>
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Subject: RE: Lettre V. Plante - masques - Montreal

What can I say to the CoS of the City of Montreal Mayor? That our help will go though Quebec?

---Original Message---

From: Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC) <anthony.laporte@canada.ca>
Sent: Friday, May 15, 2020 1:40 PM
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Minister Freeland can say that we have reached out to Quebec at the political level and at the public service level to offer our assistance to the province.

The Government of Quebec has offered 1 million masks to Montreal so that it can distribute them on public transit.

Québec will also provide \$6 million to public transit corporations for municipalities in the Greater Montréal area.

According to Quebec, Montreal is receiving these two measures positively.

I would also point out that PSPC officials had a conversation this morning with officials in Qc to offer our assistance in any area we can. For example, PSPC have launched an RFP to see what market there is for cloth masks. It closes today, and we have received a lot of interest. We have added language that would allow the participation of provinces and territories in this procurement.

We took them through our cloth mask RFP and they have asked to meet again later today to discuss more details. No further request for our help at this point.

Minister Anand also raised this topic at her biweekly FPT Roundtable on Government Procurement.

Best,
A.

-----Message d'origine-----

De : Hallé, Andrée-Lyne [mailto:Andree-Lyne.Halle@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca]

Envoyé : 15 mai 2020 12:23

À : Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC) <anthony.laporte@canada.ca>; Duchesneau, Olivier <Olivier.Duchesneau@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>

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Hello Anthony,

The DPM is talking to the mayor this afternoon, wondering if you have an update on what she could tell her?

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From: Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC) <anthony.laporte@canada.ca>

Sent: Thursday, May 14, 2020 11:45 AM

To: Duchesneau, Olivier <Olivier.Duchesneau@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>

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Earlier this morning, I asked PSPC officials to contact their counterparts in Quebec to offer their assistance in supporting Montreal.

I will update this channel at the end of the day with the latest information.

Anthony

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De : Duchesneau, Olivier [mailto:Olivier.Duchesneau@pmo-cpm.gc.ca]

Envoyé : 13 mai 2020 21:01

À : Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC) <anthony.laporte@canada.ca> Cc : Hallé, Andrée-Lyne <Andree-Lyne.Halle@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca>; Kalles, Jonathan <Jonathan.Kalles@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>; Stickney, Matt <Matt.Stickney@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>; Zimmerman, Shannon <Shannon.Zimmerman@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca>; Church, Leslie (SPAC/PSPC) <leslie.church@canada.ca>; Mullan-Boudreau, Caitlin (SPAC/PSPC) <caitlin.mullan-boudreau@canada.ca>; Duran, Anson <Anson.Duran@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>; Hinse, Geneviève (PMO/CPM) <genevieve.hinse@canada.ca> Objet : Re: Lettre V. Plante - masques - Montreal

By I agree. Let's speak with Québec first and hold on speaking with Montreal directly.

Olivier

Sent from my iPhone

On May 13, 2020, at 8:46 PM, Duchesneau, Olivier <Olivier.Duchesneau@pmo-cpm.gc.ca> wrote:

Apparently Quebec has made it clear that they wouldn't help Montréal re procurement process and that they were only willing to pay. I think we don't lose anything by having public servants talking to better understanding needs. Just want to show we are present.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 13, 2020, at 7:39 PM, Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC) <anthony.laporte@canada.ca> wrote:

Before doing so I think we should try to work with Qc first.

Anthony

De : Duchesneau, Olivier [mailto:Olivier.Duchesneau@pmo-cpm.gc.ca]

Envoyé : 13 mai 2020 19:31

À : Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC) <anthony.laporte@canada.ca>; Hallé, Andrée-Lyne <Andree-Lyne.Halle@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca>; Kalles, Jonathan <Jonathan.Kalles@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>; Stickney, Matt <Matt.Stickney@pmo-cpm.gc.ca> Cc : Zimmerman, Shannon <Shannon.Zimmerman@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca>; Church, Leslie (SPAC/PSPC) <leslie.church@canada.ca>; Mullan-Boudreau, Caitlin (SPAC/PSPC) <caitlin.mullan-boudreau@canada.ca>; Duran, Anson <Anson.Duran@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>; Hinse, Geneviève (PMO/CPM) <genevieve.hinse@canada.ca> Objet : RE: Lettre V. Plante - masques - Montreal

Just spoke with the Mayor CoS and she told me that so far Quebec is ready to pay but they basically don't want to be involved in procurement... Matt is there a way we can help the city? Maybe we could put PSPC officials and Montreal officials on the phone tomorrow?

Olivier

From: Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC) <anthony.laporte@canada.ca<mailto:anthony.laporte@canada.ca>>

Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2020 7:25 PM

To: Hallé, Andrée-Lyne <Andree-Lyne.Halle@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca<mailto:Andree-Lyne.Halle@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca>>; Kalles, Jonathan <Jonathan.Kalles@pmo-cpm.gc.ca<mailto:Jonathan.Kalles@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>>; Stickney, Matt <Matt.Stickney@pmo-cpm.gc.ca<mailto:Matt.Stickney@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>>

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I just spoke with Minister McCann's chief of staff and he told me that they were taken by surprise by the request, but that Qc will welcome Mayor Plante's request. However, they need some time to determine the best approach.

Here are the main takeaways:

- He mentioned that the Quebec government is considering sending money and masks to Montreal.
- He will be in Montreal on Thursday and Friday to discuss the situation with the mayor.
- Qc is not opposed to federal aid; however, they think they can handle it on their own for now.
- He also made clear that they believe Montreal should take its own responsibility for distribution logistics. (Prioritization of neighborhoods, distribution in subways, couriers, etc.)
- I told him that we are ready to help them if Qc asks us to help Montreal by, for example, sending them a list of suppliers or helping them transport the masks or buy them, etc.).
- I mentioned to him that I had asked our officials to keep in touch with his in case things changed.

Perhaps the reactions of Premier Legault's office would be different. I can contact them if you want me to, but I don't want to over step.

I would also like to point out that Minister Anand is holding a biweekly ministerial meeting with her provincial counterparts and the next one will be held on Friday. It is unlikely that Minister McCann will be in attendance, but the mask situation will certainly be an important item on the agenda. Any indication on the way forward regarding our position on the Quebec government's response would be welcome.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Best,
Anthony

De : Hallé, Andrée-Lyne [mailto:Andree-Lyne.Halle@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca]

Envoyé : 13 mai 2020 16:01

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Thanks Matt and everyone!

From: Kalles, Jonathan <Jonathan.Kalles@pmo-cpm.gc.ca<mailto:Jonathan.Kalles@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>>

Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2020 3:45 PM

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On May 13, 2020, at 3:41 PM, Stickney, Matt <Matt.Stickney@pmo-cpm.gc.ca<mailto:Matt.Stickney@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>>
wrote:
Here is the latest.

Adding Olivier, Jono and Anson on my end to keep everyone in the loop.

- 1) Montreal sent the letter this am asking for help procuring masks for their residents.
- 2) We understand that Quebec has offered to assist with this from a financial perspective.
- 3) PSPC officials are going to call Quebec officials to see how we can help, once we see what they say, we will regroup and go from there. It could be as simple as sending a list of suppliers, helping transport the masks or helping purchase. We will see what they want help with.

We are concerned about the precedent this will set up with other cities, but we are willing to be responsive to Quebec as always when they ask for help.

Call me if there's any questions.

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From: Laporte, Anthony (SPAC/PSPC) <anthony.laporte@canada.ca<mailto:anthony.laporte@canada.ca>>
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Hey Shannon, do you have time for a quick chat?

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De : Zimmerman, Shannon [mailto:Shannon.Zimmerman@dpmo-cvpm.gc.ca]
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Hi team Procurement,

Mayor Plante sent the attached letter asking for additional support in getting residents of Montreal masks. They've made the same request to the QC government.

We agree that we shouldn't be buying for municipalities and those requests should come through the provinces, but wonder if you could engage with your Quebec counterparts on what of Montreal needs they're going to capture in their requests and if nothing, maybe we work on connecting Montreal with a supplier.

My boss is talking to the Mayor on Friday so whatever we can get in advance to help would be great.

Thanks!

<https://ici.radio-canada.ca/nouvelle/1702575/masques-montreal-quebec-planté-legault-paris>
Monsieur le Premier Ministre,

La Ville de Montréal est frappée de plein fouet par la pandémie de la COVID-19. Plusieurs de nos quartiers font face à des éclosions importantes et la densité de la population à Montréal laisse entrevoir une lutte de longue haleine contre le coronavirus.

Face à cette situation, la Ville de Montréal souhaite offrir à l'ensemble de ses citoyennes et de ses citoyens un couvre-visage afin de limiter au maximum la transmission du virus, mais aussi davantage en systématiser le port. La Ville a ainsi procédé à une première commande de 50 000 couvre-visage à l'intention des personnes les plus vulnérables, toutefois, nous sollicitons l'appui du gouvernement du Canada afin d'être en mesure de procéder à une distribution massive de couvre-visage sur le territoire de l'île de Montréal.

Les ressources de la Ville de Montréal sont malheureusement limitées et l'investissement requis pour l'achat de centaines de milliers de couvre-visage dépasse ses capacités.

De nombreuses grandes villes à travers le monde ont mis en place des distributions massives de couvre-visage offerts par l'État. L'Espagne distribuera, à titre d'exemple, plus de 14,5 millions de masques à la population afin d'éviter un rebond des contagions. Cette initiative de l'État s'ajoute aux efforts des gouvernements régionaux, comme la Catalogne et la région de Madrid, qui distribueront eux aussi des millions de masques. Au Japon, le premier ministre a promis d'offrir deux couvre-visage en tissu par ménage, ce qui représente quelque 100 millions de couvre-visage à distribuer. Le Sénat de Berlin a pour sa part commandé 147 000 couvre-visage, qui seront offerts gratuitement aux Berlinoises et aux Berlinoises. Ainsi, dans de nombreuses villes du monde touchées dans des proportions similaires à Montréal, l'État aide les collectivités à distribuer des masques et couvre-visage gratuitement dans les réseaux de transport collectif, les parcs, les épiceries et les pharmacies.

La Ville de Montréal souhaite suivre l'exemple des autres grandes villes durement frappées par la COVID-19 et distribuer des couvre-visage à sa population dans les espaces publics ou à travers le réseau des pharmacies, comme cela se fait ailleurs dans le monde. Toutefois, nous ne pourrions y arriver sans le soutien des gouvernements supérieurs. Nous souhaitons que cette distribution massive s'arrime avec la reprise des activités dans la grande région de Montréal, ce qui contribuera à en faire un succès.

Dans l'espoir d'une réponse positive, je vous prie d'agréer, Monsieur le Premier Ministre, l'expression de ma haute considération.

Valérie Plante

c. c. L'honorable Chrystia Freeland, vice-première ministre et ministre des Affaires intergouvernementales L'honorable Pablo Rodriguez, leader du gouvernement à la Chambre des communes et lieutenant du Québec