June 22, 2018

Maria Morrison
Coordinator, Citizen Equity Committee
City of Winnipeg
510 Main Street
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3B 1B9

Dear Ms. Morrison:

RE: Fundraising Letter

Ka Ni Kanichihk and the Two-Spirited People of Manitoba will be proudly hosting the thirty-first Annual International Two-Spirit Gathering, August 3-6, 2018 at a retreat centre near Winnipeg. We have attached a summary proposal for your review.

Ka Ni Kanichihk's mandate aims to build healthy relationships and to create a sustainable future for our community. We include Two-Spirit people as an integral part of our vision and mandate and have partnered with the local Two-Spirit community and other allies to provide a venue for them to gather. Our primary objective is to host a four-day gathering of Two-Spirit people from Canada and the US focused on healing, ceremony, cultural revitalization and social strengthening.

To ensure the success of this important event, Ka Ni Kanichihk is requesting a contribution of $5,000 from the City of Winnipeg.

Please make cheques payable to **Ka Ni Kanichihk Inc., 455 McDermot Avenue, Winnipeg, MB R3A 0B5**, auspicing organization for the Two-Spirit Gathering 2018. Ka Ni Kanichihk is a registered charity and will be able to provide receipts to individuals making a personal contribution. All revenue will be included in Ka Ni Kanichihk's annual audited statements. Please reference **2SGATH18** on your contribution.

We are looking forward to your support. If you have questions or comments, please contact Albert McLeod, event coordinator, at 204-330-8671 or twospiritedmanitoba@hotmail.com.

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