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Mr. Paul Siller
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Dear Mr. Siller:

Thank you very much for your recent letter.

I appreciate your thoughtfulness in taking the time to contact me and have noted your comments. Please be assured that this government is concerned about specialized transit services.

As you may be aware, Alberta Transportation and Alberta Municipal Affairs are currently reviewing specialized transit services in Alberta and the funding for this service. I have been informed that further work is necessary in order to develop appropriate funding options.

Copies of your correspondence have been provided to the appropriate Ministers for their review as well. The Ministers have been asked to keep me updated on any further developments concerning this important matter.

Once again, thank you for getting in touch with me. Best wishes for a happy holiday season.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ralph Klein', with a stylized flourish extending from the bottom left.

Ralph Klein

RK/dd

cc: Honourable Dr. Lyle Oberg, Minister of Infrastructure and Transportation
Honourable Rob Renner, Minister of Municipal Affairs
Carol Haley, M.L.A., Airdrie-Chestermere