A Message from Mayor John Tory

On behalf of the City of Toronto and Toronto City Council, it is with great pleasure that I extend a warm and welcoming invitation to you – my colleagues across Canada – to attend the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) Annual Conference and Trade Show from June 4 – 7, 2020.

Our meeting in Toronto will be the first major opportunity for the minority government and the opposition to address us as one, and demonstrate their commitment and early progress in delivering on our ambitious agenda. Whether it is progress on public transit, housing, climate mitigation and adaptation or rural broadband, we expect that June will be a milestone where municipal and federal governments reinforce the need to build better lives together.

This conference will provide wonderful opportunities for you, your colleagues, and your companion to explore and experience this great city. I invite you to come and enjoy all that Toronto has to offer – visit our vibrant neighbourhoods and music and arts scenes, sample our international cuisine, take a cruise around our harbor and islands, and visit our beautiful parks, trails and cultural spaces.

Our work and commitment to communities large or small, rural or urban are important and FCM 2020 will build on our momentum to bring about necessary change. The year ahead will be important for us to make sure our collective voice is strong and is heard, and that there is action by the other governments that will help us support, protect and benefit the communities and residents we serve. I am thrilled to be hosting this year’s conference and I look forward to seeing all of you in Toronto, June 4 – 7, 2020.

John Tory
Mayor of Toronto