From: Marianne Hladun

Sent: Friday, December 09, 2016 11:06 AM

To: john.mccallum@parl.gc.ca

Subject: Invitation to Vegreville - December 18, 2016

Importance: High

Dear Minister McCallum:

Affected employees at the Immigration, Refugee and Citizenship Case Processing Centre in Vegreville are working closely with their union the Public Service Alliance of Canada (PSAC), and its component union the Canada Employment and Immigration Union (CEIU), to counter your federal government's decision to close the centre in Vegreville.

On behalf of PSAC and CEIU, we are hosting a community town hall forum on December 18 regarding the closure of the processing centre. As the Minister responsible for the program, we would like to extend an invitation to you to attend.

This town hall forum will connect with and give a voice to those who weren't consulted in the decision making process, including the municipality, the workers, and the community as a whole. This decision has a negative impact not just on the community of Vegreville but many surrounding rural communities. We believe that the stakeholders in Vegreville and the surrounding area have a right to hear directly from the Minister responsible and have an opportunity to voice their concerns to you directly.

When: Sunday, December 18, 2016

6:30 p.m. (doors open at 6:00 p.m.)

Where: The Vegreville Social Centre

4802 47a Street Vegreville, AB T9C 1K8

Who: Speakers will include:

Mayor Myron Hayduk, Town of Vegreville Shannon Stubbs, Conservative MP, Lakeland

Jessica Littlewood, NDP MLA, Fort Saskatchewan-Vegreville Chris Aylward, National Executive Vice-President, PSAC

Michelle Henderson, CEIU Campaign Lead

We hope to see you at the town hall forum on December 18 and look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

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We're calling on the government to Respect Vegreville and reverse the closure of the Immigration Centre. Join us to ask questions, voice concerns and learn how to get involved.

## DECEMBER 18 6:30 P.M

VEGREVILLE SOCIAL CENTRE **4802 47A STREET** 

## SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

MYRON HAYDUK

MAYOR, VEGREVILLE

SHANNON STUBBS

CONSERVATIVE MP, LAKELAND

JESSICA LITTLEWOOD NDP MLA, FORT SASKATCHEWAN-VEGREVILLE

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