



**Bonnyville Health
FOUNDATION**

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RE: *A Night in the Emerald City*- 23rd Annual Bonnyville Health Foundation Gala- April 15, 2023
City of Cold Lake Request for Gala 2023 Support

To Mayor Copeland and City Councilors:

The Bonnyville Health Foundation is having an exciting year as we recently passed the milestone of 25 years in our community in 2022. What started out small 25 years ago has now developed into a strong team of community ambassadors who continue in our efforts to transform good healthcare to *great* healthcare, right here at the Bonnyville Health Centre.

Over the course of the past three years, it's become evident how resilient and dedicated our local **healthcare heroes** are in this community. When one hospital faces the need to close a department, another hospital is ready to care for additional patients. While staffing hospitals in Alberta continues to present clear challenges, our local staff on hand remain steadfast to helping keep our community safe and healthy.

We feel it would be a powerful message to our community to showcase the collaborative support from the City of Cold Lake to help us carry out our mission and vision to reach our goals of providing leading-edge programs and services, research, education, and to purchase state-of-the-art equipment for our hospital.

Four years will have passed since our last gala event by the time we revive this incredible evening of fundraising on April 15, 2023. We would be honoured if the City of Cold Lake would consider a Silver Sponsorship of \$4,000 toward this SOLD-OUT comeback event.

We are truly blessed to live in such a generous community that continues, even throughout challenging times, to support the legacy of healing the body, enriching the mind, and nurturing the soul in our Lakeland community. Thank you for being a part of that!

I look forward to being able to answer your questions during an upcoming delegation.

Sincerely,

Dawn Weber
Executive Director, Bonnyville Health Foundation

