

April 27, 2022

Dear Fair Trade Calgary,

This letter is to state CAWST's support for Calgary to become recognized as a Fair Trade Town.

At CAWST, we have seen the incredible changes that empowered individuals make in their families, communities, and world. Fair Trade is a catalyst for change to family income, labour standards, and sustainable practices for the farmers it supports. We believe this designation is important in progressing toward the Sustainable Development goals on a local and global scale.

As an international charity based in Calgary focused on helping people around the world access safe water and sanitation, we know first-hand the positive impact of development initiatives like those of Fair Trade. We also know the incredible importance of raising awareness in our home community about these initiatives and encouraging our neighbors to think and act as global citizens.

We hope to see Calgary achieve this designation in the near future and look forward to continued collaboration to raise awareness with Calgarians about ways to positively impact the lives of people around the world.

Warmly,

CAWST

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Shauna Curry", written in a cursive style.

Shauna Curry

Chief Executive Officer