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PLEASE ROUTE TO:

All Board of Health Members All Members of Regional Health & Social Service Committees All Senior Public Health Managers

2023 Budget Consultations

Dear alPHa Members,

The Government of Ontario is seeking public input on the 2023 Budget via a public online survey, an invitation for written submissions, and a series of public hearings.

Public Survey:

The government's online survey launched today (January 11th). Respondents are invited to choose their top two or three priorities from a list of options under each of nine topic areas. Please note that under the fourth item (*When you think about your community, what services or resources could use more government support?*), "Public health resources for businesses, schools and other community groups" is one of the options. There are no open-ended questions. Click here to complete the survey.

Written Submissions:

alPHa will be providing a written submission and invites input from its members (to be provided to me at loretta@alphaweb.org by January 20, 2023). We also encourage our members to provide submissions of their own, to ensure that local perspectives are considered.

Public Hearings:

alPHa has requested to appear before the Standing Committee on Economic Affairs at the Toronto session of its pre-budget consultation hearings on February 14th. We have identified speakers and are working on the deputation. Please note these hearings are already underway and we have provided a link to the news release below, which includes a few other opportunities around the province.

Please note the consultation closes on **February 10th**, notwithstanding the public hearings that occur after this date.

Please click here for the 2023 Pre Budget Consultation page.

Please click here for the Standing Committee on Economic Affairs News Release

We hope you find this information helpful.

Take Care,

Loretta

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