



House of Assembly
Nova Scotia

Halifax Needham Constituency Office

3115 Veith Street
Halifax, NS B3K 3G9
(902) 455-2926 Office
(902) 455-3929 Fax

mmaacdonald@navnet.net

Maureen MacDonald, M.L.A., Halifax Needham

June 12, 2013

Robert Fougere
901-2677 Gladstone St.
Halifax, NS B3K 0A3

Dear Mr. Fougere,

Thank you for writing to Ms. MacDonald concerning your support of provincial funding for gender reassignment surgery, and your disappointment at reports that the province would not provide this funding. Ms. MacDonald is not able to be in the constituency office today, so I am replying on her behalf.

By the time you receive this letter, you will probably have heard that Health and Wellness Minister David Wilson has committed the province to funding gender reassignment surgery. I am happy to hear of this decision, as I'm sure you are. I have enclosed a copy of today's news release.

I don't know whether this decision will lead you to reconsider your support for the NDP in the next provincial election, but I wanted to let you know that, due to changes in provincial electoral boundaries, Gladstone Street will be located in the constituency of Halifax Chebucto after the next election. The nominated NDP candidate for Halifax Chebucto is Gregor Ash. Thank you for your support for Ms. MacDonald in past elections.

Sincerely,

Bill Matheson
Constituency assistant

