

Campaign Post – March 25, 2021

To: Campaign Supporters, Community Friends & Associates, Council Members

***Ontario Government approves \$9.8 million  
to support the ongoing planning  
of a new regional hospital in Windsor-Essex***

Finance Minister Bethlenfalvy tabled the 2021 Budget and announced funding for Stages 2/3 planning which will bring together acute care services in one location.

***It's a go! Ontario green lights Windsor's new hospital in provincial budget***

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- “Mr. Speaker, I’m very pleased to announce today that we are supporting the plan for a new regional hospital in Windsor-Essex,” Finance Minister Peter Bethlenfalvy said as he delivered the 2021 provincial budget.
- “The 800-pound gorilla delivered, so kudos to him. Promise made, promise kept,” said Musyj. When asked about his emotions on Wednesday, he said:

“This funding announcement will allow for the planning and development of the urgently needed Windsor-Essex Healthcare Systems plan for our region to continue.”

**Windsor Regional Hospital — New Windsor-Essex Greenfield Hospital** - Construction of a new hospital to consolidate acute care services, while retaining the existing Ouellette site for urgent care and ambulatory services.

**Windsor Hotel-Dieu Healthcare — Mental Health Inpatient Bed Expansion** - Renovations to Hotel-Dieu’s Tayfour site to enable consolidation of mental health services.

Join us by sending an email message to both Premier Ford and the Minister of Finance, thanking them:  
“for doing the right thing for Windsor-Essex, and coming through for us”

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