

Letter of Endorsement for Lyall Sanders

Date: April 22, 2026

Lyall Sanders
Toronto, Ontario

Dear Lyall,

I am writing to convey my unequivocal support for your candidacy for Mayor of Toronto in the forthcoming election. As a seasoned writer and former publisher of The Toronto Sun, Calgary Sun, and The National Post, coupled with my longtime residency in Toronto, I have observed your unwavering commitment to our community, and I am confident that you are the leader we need.

Your vision for enhancing the well-being of Toronto's citizens—including those experiencing homelessness due to diverse circumstances—through affordable housing, improved healthcare, and safer transportation profoundly aligns with the values of integrity, progress, and unity that our community upholds.

Your leadership experience and dedication to public service, demonstrated through both your professional and volunteer endeavors, have equipped you with the essential skills to address the challenges we currently face.

I am particularly impressed by your advocacy for individuals impacted by the struggling healthcare system and your commitment of championing causes that significantly affect our community. Your ability to connect with constituents on a personal level and advocate for their needs is a testament to your character and dedication. Furthermore, your consistent use of the TTC to engage with riders and employees to gather insights for enhancing Toronto's safety and accessibility speaks volumes about your determination to improve our city and its transportation system.

Thus, I encourage the citizens of Toronto to support your campaign and cast their votes for you on October 26th, 2026, as well as in any future endeavors you choose to pursue in public office. Together, we can pave the way for a brighter future for the Greater Toronto Area.

Sincerely,
Lester Pyette,



Former Publisher, CEO,
Toronto Sun,
Calgary Sun,
National Post,
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