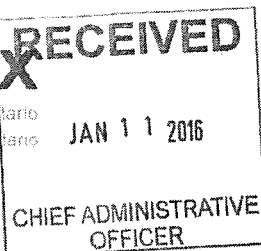




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Dear Mr. Taylor,

On behalf of Metrolinx and your local Smart Commute office, I would like to offer my congratulations on your achievement of the *Smart Commute Gold Workplace* designation for 2016.

This is a testament to the effort and resources you and your Smart Commute representative Brian Lee have dedicated to ensure the program is a success. Your commitment to promoting and supporting sustainable travel options for your organization positions you as a leader in corporate social responsibility and highlights the alignment of your corporate values and your sustainability efforts.

In the summer of 2015, we had an unprecedented opportunity to leverage the knowledge base of the Smart Commute network, increasing awareness of transportation options and ensuring business continuity during the TORONTO 2015 Pan Am and Parapan Am Games. Games travel initiatives included creating travel plans and encouraging employees to Reduce, Re-mode, Re-route or Re-time their commutes. Those workplaces that made extraordinary efforts will be recognized with a special "Games Champion" seal for their 2016 workplace designation certificate.

Thank you again for your ongoing commitment to the Smart Commute program. Your involvement in this region-wide network is making a positive impact on air quality and reducing the number of cars on the roads – critical elements of the health of the communities where we live, work and play.

Sincerely,

Bruce McCuaig  
President and Chief Executive Officer