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His Worship Mike Savage
Mayor of Halifax Regional Municipality
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Dear Mayor Savage:

Thank you for your correspondence dated November 19, 2021, regarding summary offence ticket regulation amendments for certain parking violations. The amendments requested would require amendments to the *Motor Vehicle Act*.

I have asked staff to review the request from Halifax Regional Council in light of recent consultations undertaken on the *Traffic Safety Act* regulations regarding offences and penalties. I have also asked the Nova Scotia Federation of Municipalities be consulted as any change to parking violations will impact all municipalities in the province.

Please contact Bonnie Rankin, Executive Director of Policy, Public Works, via email at bonnie.rankin@novascotia.ca with any related questions.

I look forward to continuing our work together.

Yours sincerely,

Kim D. Masland
Minister

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