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A Message from Mayor Mel Lastman

It is my pleasure to extend greetings and warm wishes to all delegates attending the International Society for Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Annual Meeting. I am delighted you have chosen to hold your event in Toronto, and welcome you to our great City.

As members of an international non-profit, scientific association you promote communication, research, development and application in the field of magnetic resonance in medicine and biology and other related topics. This annual meeting provides an excellent opportunity to share knowledge, information and ideas, discuss matters of interest or concern, renew old friendships or create new ones and, of course, have a good time.

There is so much to see and do in Toronto. Whether you are a frequent or first-time visitor, I invite you to take time from your busy schedule to explore the thriving neighbourhoods that reflect our cultural diversity, enjoy international cuisine, world-class shopping and entertainment, and experience the many attractions our unique and vibrant City has to offer.

On behalf of Toronto Council and the 2.5 million people of our great City, I congratulate the organizers for your hard work in making this event possible. To everyone, my best wishes for an informative and enjoyable annual meeting and a pleasant stay in Toronto. We're glad to have you here!

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mel Lastman". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Mel Lastman
Mayor

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