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Greetings!

Wishing you a prosperous and joyous Hindu Heritage Month.

Ontario has an incredibly strong Hindu community, with a million members adding to the unique fabric of our individual cities and communities.

It is my pleasure, as the Mayor of Cambridge to extend my greetings to The SPH Bhagavan Nithyananda Paramashivam and KAILASA Canada for organizing this online event, bringing the Hindu community together to celebrate and educate future generations about its contribution to building community across the country.

Hindu Canadians have played an important role in Canada. Organizations such as Kailasa Canada have stepped up to raise funds, donate meals for the neediest and support our seniors during these difficult times. During the pandemic, your volunteers mobilized to donate thousands of pounds of food to local food banks, educational facilities and Indigenous womens' shelters. So many provided online support through free yoga, meditation, prayer events and women empowerment classes. All of these are key in helping our fellow citizens navigate the challenges of the pandemic.

Once again, I wish all a Happy Hindu Heritage Month on behalf of Cambridge City Council and the citizens of the City of Cambridge.

Sincerely,

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

Kathryn McGarry