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To Whom It May Concern:

The Okanagan Military Museum, one of four museums operated by the Kelowna Museums Society, provides the public with educational exhibitions and programs that foster personal participation, stimulate curiosity, and engage the senses with the Okanagan's contribution of Canadian Military History. We inspire a community of be alive with its history by connecting people and place.

In 2015 we hosted over 4,000 visitors and 533 students of all ages. So far this year we have hosted 1,100 visitors and 250 students. Many of them have seen the display picture of our Canadian Fallen Heroes. These servicemen of the Central Okanagan gave their lives so we can enjoy the freedoms and privileges we have today.

The Canadian Fallen Heroes project will add more pictures to our collection so that we may present more faces to the names that are on our cenotaphs. This goes a long way to counter the myths of weaponry and battle in the hearts of our young people.

We ask you to support the fine work of the Canadian Fallen Heroes.

Thank you,

Sincerely

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