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Ottawa, Ontario
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Dear Ms. Richmond:

Your father shared your story with me, and I wanted to take the opportunity to write to you.

Your passion for promoting the exploration of our environment and encouraging people to appreciate its natural allure is truly wonderful. Judging by everything that your father wrote to me, it is easy to see that you are not only an intelligent individual, you are also compassion and remarkable. Your tremendous plan to hike across The Great Trail for the purpose of encouraging diversity, accessibility, and multiculturalism in the outdoors is commendable. This effort will place a spotlight on the importance of cherishing the environment, and it will allow youth the opportunity to become active in exploring the great outdoors.

I know that the COVID-19 pandemic has delayed your original plans to traverse the trail, but amid this difficulty period, I hope that you are able to find strength and the will to continue on your path. In addition, your father has informed me that detractors have sent you disparaging messages. Please do not let the detractors divert your attention away from your goals of promoting change. Through your hard work and dedication to your worthy cause, you have become an inspiration to many people, and I stand with your father, James, family members, and friends in supporting you on this journey.

I wish you all the best in your future endeavours.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Justin Trudeau".

