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Mr. Ken Cashin, President  
Nova Scotia Chess Association  
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Dear Mr. Cashin:

As Mayor of Halifax and on behalf of Regional Council, I am pleased to support Chess Nova Scotia and their bid to host the 2020 Chess Federation of Canada (CFC) Senior Chess Championship here in our region.

The Nova Scotia Chess Association is a non-profit organization established to help promote the game of chess here in our region and organizes the annual Closed Chess Championship to determine our provincial chess champion.

As Atlantic Canada's largest city we can offer amenities to accommodate the requirements and exceed the expectations of the players and their friends and families. Our culturally rich and historic port city has been entertaining guests for over 265 years and we take pride in our reputation as one of the world's most hospitable and welcoming places.

We fully support this bid and look forward to welcoming the country's best chess players to Halifax in 2020.

Kindest regards,

Mike Savage  
Mayor

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