



*Nathaniel Teed, MLA
Saskatoon Meewasin*

Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

March 25, 2025

Constituency Office

*The Monarch Building
260 -523 2nd Ave N
Saskatoon SK S7K 2C5*

Phone: 306-374-8333

Email: saskatoonmeewasin@ndpcaucus.sk.ca

The Honourable Terry Jenson
Minister Responsible for Social Services
Room 303 Legislative Building
Regina, SK S4S 0B6

Dear Minister Jenson,

I am writing today to express concern about the safety and security of an SHA unit in my riding. King Edward Place has been the centre of numerous issues and complaints by residents. I have sent in previous correspondence expressing worry over the sanitary conditions of the building just last year. It has now been brought to my attention that there are serious safety concerns facing the residents at King Edward Place.

On Tuesday, March 11th 2025, a King Edward resident informed my office that a new tenant had been causing significant mental harm and distress to the other residents. A man, recently out on probation, was found to have been renting out his suite, and using his suite for the purposes of illegal drug consumption. As a result, there has been an increase in people roaming the halls and stairwells of the building who do not reside there. Residents have found people passed out in the stairwell, blood in the stairwell, people yelling and being violent in the building. This has caused serious mental harm and distress to the residents who feel this increase in non-residents poses serious safety risks to the King Edward community.

My office has been made aware that these concerns have been voiced repeatedly to the tenant coordinator who, unfortunately, has yet to take action. Moreover, it is reported to me that the tenant coordinator actually refuses to believe the issues being raised.

On top of these safety concerns, King Edward residents are still reporting serious bedbug and cockroach infestations throughout the building.

I am therefore requesting that the safety and sanitation of the King Edward residents be taken into consideration and ask for the Ministry to put forth a plan to address the aforementioned concerns. Residents deserve to live in dignity, and in peace. It is unacceptable these residents are continuously facing destabilizing sanitation and safety concerns, both of which can lead to negative health outcomes.



*Nathaniel Teed, MLA
Saskatoon Meewasin*

Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

I ask for the Ministry to resolve the safety concerns by removing the tenant who is responsible for the increased chaos at King Edward place. Further, I request for the Ministry to arrange for an effective fumigation of the building to resolve the cockroach and bedbug infestations.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Nathaniel Teed, MLA for Saskatoon-Meewasin