



## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **Cameco gives \$500,000 early Christmas present to St. Mary Community School**

**SASKATOON, December 18, 2009** – Cameco Corporation today announced a donation of \$500,000 to help fund the pediatric wellness clinic that will be part of the new St. Mary Community School in Pleasant Hill Village.

Jerry Grandey, president and CEO of Cameco, presented the gift to the school during a brief assembly in the school's gymnasium with the school's students and staff.

St. Mary has long been a leader in taking a holistic approach to education and wellness. In 2007, working in partnership with the University of Saskatchewan Department of Pediatrics and the Saskatoon Tribal Council, it opened a pediatrics clinic in a revamped classroom.

"The clinic is an integral part of our school that allows our students, their families and the wider community to access health-care right in their neighbourhood," said Darryl Bazylak, principal of St. Mary Community School.

"Cameco's support will provide a home for the pediatrics clinic in the new school, helping us build a healthier and more vibrant community by addressing the wellness needs of generations of children and youth," he said.

The new St. Mary School will also feature an indoor walking/running track, exercise facilities and community gathering places. It is part of the Pleasant Hill revitalization project – known as Pleasant Hill Village – which also includes renewed park space and new housing.

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