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Dear Monsieur Beauvois,

CAIX SQUARE ACTIVATION PROJECT

Thank you for your thoughtful letter to the Mayor and Councillors of Swan Hill Rural City Council regarding the Caix Square Activation Project in Robinvale.

On behalf of Council, I sincerely acknowledge your generous words of support and your reflections on the enduring historical connection between the village of Caix and the town of Robinvale. Your letter beautifully captures the significance of this shared history and the deep sense of remembrance and friendship that continues to link our communities across generations and across continents.

Council is honoured that the Caix Square Activation Project can, in some small way, continue to recognise and celebrate this important bond. The project is intended to create a safer, more welcoming and vibrant public space for the Robinvale community, while also respecting the heritage and meaning attached to Caix Square. Your acknowledgement of the project's importance is greatly appreciated, and we will continue to keep you update on progress as it progresses from planning to delivery.

We were also pleased to learn more about the commemorative ceremony held in Caix on 23 April 2026. The remembrance of Lieutenant George Robin Cuttle, Lieutenant George Arthur Leckie and Lucie Morel is deeply meaningful for our shared history. The continued recognition of these shared stories strengthens the cultural and historical ties between our communities.

Thank you also for your generous offer to support the project through a message of friendship, video, photographs or other cultural material. Such contributions would undoubtedly enrich the identity and significance of Caix Square as the project progresses.

The friendship between our communities is clearly founded on a meaningful history.

Please accept our heartfelt thanks for writing to Council and for the warm greetings you have conveyed on behalf of the people of Caix. We extend our own best wishes to you and your community and thank you for your support of this important local project.

Yours sincerely

Cr Stuart King
Mayor