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Jonathan Wilkinson, MP North Vancouver-Capilano

To my friends at the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra,

It is with sincere regret that I am unable to join you in person for the 6th annual Day of Music Festival. Please know that I am there with you in spirit, celebrating the extraordinary talent and dedication of everyone involved in making this event such a cherished tradition.

As a lifelong lover of classical music, I know firsthand the power that music holds to bring people together—to stir emotion, spark inspiration, and create a profound sense of community. Events like the Day of Music are so important because they offer people of all ages and backgrounds the chance to gather, connect, and experience the joy and beauty of live performance.

I want to extend my heartfelt thanks to the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra, the organizers, and every performer who is contributing to today's celebration. Your commitment to your craft and your generosity in sharing your talents help enrich not only our local arts scene, but the cultural life of our entire region. We are so fortunate to have such a vibrant and world-class musicians here in Vancouver.

To all the artists taking the stage today—good luck, and enjoy every moment. You are helping to build a more connected, inspired, and harmonious community through your music, and for that, you have my deepest gratitude.

Warmest wishes,

The Honourable Jonathan Wilkinson

Member of Parliament for North Vancouver–Capilano

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jonathan Wilkinson".