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**Pierre Lemieux and His Team Take on Glengarry VIP's in Fundraising  
Hockey Game: Hospital Wins!**

**OTTAWA** - On March 9 2010 MP Pierre Lemieux and colleague Guy Lauzon are bringing fellow Conservative Ministers and Members of Parliament from Ottawa to hit the ice against a team of Glengarry V.I.P.s in what promises to be an exciting game. The funds raised will go to support the Glengarry Memorial Hospital foundation in its efforts to provide top level health services to the people of North Glengarry.

Mr Lemieux and Mr Lauzon encourage residents to come out in force and show that Alexandria is really Hockeyville!

The Conservative hockey team, featuring star players Jim Prentice, Minister of the Environment, and Peter MacKay, Minister of National Defense, will rely on top level enforcers such as Ontario M.P.s Gord Brown (Leeds-Grenville), Rick Dykstra (St.Catharine), Dean Del Mastro (Peterborough) and Greg Rickford (Kenora). Other MPs from the Western provinces and Senator Michael MacDonald from Nova-Scotia will also be part of the Conservative line-up.

This unique fundraiser will benefit two gold-medal organizations, the Glengarry Memorial Hospital and the Glengarry Sports Hall of Fame. It will also support Alexandria in its breakaway for the title of Hockeyville!

Mr Lemieux said, "Alexandria is indeed Hockeyville – and we have Conservative Ministers and MPs travelling all the way from Ottawa to prove it! This is a first ever for Alexandria and North Glengarry and I encourage everyone to come and join in the fun!"

Tickets for the events are available at several locations throughout Glengarry or by contacting organizers Roxane Robertson, Manager of the Glengarry Memorial Hospital Foundation at: (613) 525-2222 ext. 4138; or Malcom Fraser, Vice-Chairman of the Glengarry Sports Hall of Fame at (613) 931-1003.