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Dear Dan:

I wanted to let you know that I am featuring Prince Edward County's cultural/economic development story in my new book, which comes out in May 2010.

The example of Prince Edward County researching, developing and committing to the food-wine-tourism-agricultural-'local food' sector fit so well with my book about how food is shaping Canadian municipalities. The growth and development of Cultural Tourism and Culinary Tourism is a strong new economic spire for smart communities.

The book is titled, The Local Food Revolution and will be published in May by *Municipal World*. I think it will cause a bit of a stir among my municipal colleagues, as is the first time anyone has looked at the totality of how food drives municipal actions and issues.

Prince Edward County should be enormously proud of what it is accomplishing with the focus on wine, agriculture, food, tourism and associated areas. Congratulations to you and your colleagues for such a great success.

With warmest regards,



Gord Hume,
President, Hume Communications Inc.