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### **J.J. Kirkpatrick Award Recipients**

Mr. Forbes: — Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, I'd like to recognize the PotashCorp employees and the United Steelworkers for being named the recipients of the United Way's prestigious J.J. Kirkpatrick Award presented in recognition for outstanding leadership in an employee campaign resulting in significant growth of the leadership giving program.

PotashCorp's 2011 campaign doubled leadership numbers to 104 donors and raised over \$700,000 to the local United Way program.

The executive director of the United Way of Saskatoon and Area, Sheri Benson, said:

The winners of this award have proven that they are leaders in every sense of the word during the 2011 campaign. The employee campaign chairs at the head office and mine sites — Patience Lake, Cory and Allan — encourage participation and contributions from their colleagues while raising awareness.

Mr. Speaker, this is one example of several projects of the labour partnership of the United Way of Saskatoon and Area and the Saskatoon & District Labour Council, a partnership that is working to build community together. Labour's commitment to the United Way is about supporting and working collectively to create and foster positive communities.

Mr. Speaker, I'd like to ask all members to join with me in celebrating the surpassing of Saskatoon United Way's fundraising goal with a special thank you to the PotashCorp employees and the United Steelworkers for their great achievements. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.