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City of Manitowoc
Mayor Justin M. Nickels and City Hall Council
Manitowoc City Hall
900 Quay Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220

RE: The Haven – Fundraising

Dear Mayor Nickels and the members of the City Hall Council:

I am writing this letter on behalf of The Haven requesting permission to do occasional fundraising events on City property during some of the planned events, ie Farmer's Market, Sputnikfest, etc. This would provide The Haven an opportunity to raise awareness in our community and the Haven's program which is now available to men in need of shelter

We did this event at the Manitowoc Garden Fair, on The Haven property, and we were able to collect a substantial amount in contributions. We did not "charge" for the hats; we asked for a "donation" of \$10.00. Individuals who were not able to donate that amount, were able to receive a fun Heavenly Hat regardless. Other possibilities of fundraising would be to sell The Haven t-shirts, first aid kits, other various merchandise, and future brat fry's as well.

Thank you all for your consideration. The Haven of Manitowoc County is happy to be a part of this community and helping save lives. Our program depends on fund raising events to help with costs such as daily operations, case management, Life skills programming, and maintenance.

The Haven of Manitowoc County would like to express a sincere thank you to your consideration given in the past couple years to make our program possible. I will await correspondence regarding your permission to move forward on this initiative. If there is anything else needed, please let me know. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Michael Etheridge, Associate Director

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