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Mayor Justin Nickels
Common Council President Eric Sitkiewitz
900 Quay Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220

Dear Mayor Nickels and Common Council President Sitkiewitz,

At the Ad Hoc Sales Tax Committee meeting held April 30th, the committee unanimously recommended an ordinance to the County Board to enact a half percent sales tax for Manitowoc County beginning January 1st, 2020.

One item that the committee was pleased to add was the section that would give thirty (30) percent of the estimated 5.3 million dollars that Manitowoc County is projected to receive in sales tax revenue back to all municipalities in Manitowoc County based on equalized value.

Included in this correspondence is a copy of the proposed ordinance. The Committee would like each municipality to provide their feedback regarding whether or not they support the proposal.

It is our intent to have a vote on this ordinance at the June 18th County Board meeting. If your Common Council decides to take a position, we would appreciate having that information by that date.

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

Jim Brey
Chairman
Manitowoc County Board

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Chairman
Ad Hoc Sales Tax Committee

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