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Alderman Jim Brey
Chairman, Finance Committee
City of Manitowoc
900 Quay St. Manitowoc, WI 54220:

Dear Chairman Brey and Finance Committee members,

Please accept this letter and resume as my application for appointment to the Manitowoc Public Utilities Commission (MPU) in January 2023 for open term of Dave Luckow who resigned recently.

I will bring a perspective to the commission that will not only represent the rate payers well, but also will complement the other members skills. There are three areas I would highlight.

Through local events and healthcare government relations my work at the state and federal level with advocacy has allowed me to establish important relationships with legislators to effectively provide education on various topics that are important to our local community. I was acknowledged with an advocacy award for the work from the American Hospital Association. MPU needs strong advocacy to protect resources and have access to necessary funding of future planning.

My 12 years' experience in City Government as an alderperson is another area. In this capacity, I was able to understand the work that MPU was doing to improve their service to community as well the external environment and challenges they operate in. This knowledge will allow be to engage with the topics they are faced today and help ensure our community continues to see great service, low rates, and most importantly protection from policy that could impact operations.

Lastly is my personal career in operations and business development. My career gives me the base to understand the needs of MPU and how help make decisions best for rate payers and support operations. We have the unique ability to keep our utility local for benefit of the rate payers.

I thank you for your consideration and hope you find that I will serve this community and board well as your selection.

Thank you,

Scott R. McMeans