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The Honorable Mayor Thomas C. Hoye, Jr.
Members of the Taunton Municipal Council
141 Oak Street
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RE: Proposed Destination Resort Casino

Dear Mayor Hoye and Members of the Municipal Council:

At the March 13, 2012 meeting of the Municipal Council, you called for an election on June 9, 2012 and you authorized and directed this office to formulate the exact language to appear on the ballot. Please be advised that I have this day completed this task and have provided the final ballot language to the City Clerk so that she can order the ballots. I expect that the ballot will appear substantially as follows:

BALLOT QUESTION

Shall the City of Taunton, pursuant to Section 91 of Chapter 194 of the Acts of 2011, approve the operation of a tribal gaming establishment proposed by the Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe to be located east of Route 24 in the immediate vicinity of the intersection of Route 24 and Route 140?

YES

NO

If you should have any questions, please contact me. Thank you, as always, for allowing me to be of service to you and the people of Taunton.

Very truly yours,

Jason D. Buffington, Esq.
City Solicitor