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To: Guy Desjardins
Cc: Mario Zanth; Ryan
Subject: Request for an amendment to the chip wagon by-law 2017-84

Good evening Mr. Mayor, Mario,

My name is Éric-Daniel Hunt and I live here in Rockland. By day I am a paralegal with a home office. I believe you know my father Daniel Sabourin who also resides in Rockland, he was very involved in politics in this area for many years in the past and worked with Jean-Marc Lalonde on several of his campaign.

I'm writing to you today in order to request for support to make an amendment to the chip wagon by-law. My husband and I both have backgrounds and culinary arts and are looking to open a new food vending truck here in Rockland. We would be offering Mexican foods and beverages. We had the opportunity to meet with our city counsellor tonight in order to talk about the project and he seems thrilled about the idea. I also spoke with urban planning today and the finance department at City Hall. It seems like everyone wants Tako Taco to become a reality. To this end I did a bit of research and found out that the section 3.3 of the by-law prohibits a food vending truck from being located on any property adjacent to Laurier Street between Simoneau and Laporte.

We would like to request an amendment to the by-law to remove this restriction. As you know many businesses including restaurants and other food preparation and reselling premises operate on Laurier Street already. It seems only fair that food vending trucks also be afforded the opportunity to be visible and accessible to the residents of Rockland by being on the main street. It is my understanding that Mario supports our position and will be asking for yourself and the clerk to add this item to your agenda for the upcoming meeting on Monday.

We would kindly request your support to make this amendment a reality in order to allow us to file our application with a request to be placed on Laurier Street. We are currently exploring a few options on Laurier.

We remain available should you have any questions. We trust that you also see the value in amending the by-law. We look forward to a positive response. We completely understand that amending the by-law does not equate to us being granted a license or our application being approved. That said, we believe that this amendment is the right first step.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely, Ryan Hunt and Éric-Daniel Hunt <u>613-314-4221</u> <u>ericdaniel.hunt@gmail.com</u>