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Dear Commission Streamlining Task Force members:

As a citizen concerned about the transparent and equitable use of tax revenue, I am writing to express my support for the Sugary Drinks Distributor Tax Advisory Committee (SDDTAC). The SDDTAC was established by the will of the voters and its formation reflects a strong public mandate to ensure that soda tax revenues are used transparently and equitably to improve public health. The SDDTAC's participatory process ensures that those most impacted by sugary drink consumption and diet related disease benefit from the tax.

The SDDTAC dedicates hundreds of hours collectively every year to review data, hear from residents, and make thoughtful, community-centered decisions. This isn't just a government body—it's a bridge between the city and the people.

Sincerely,

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