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Dear Sirs,

I am writing today to formally request that you meet with the State Legislators from the Milwaukee County area, both Democrats and Republicans. I feel it is also important that any meeting be in a setting where press is able to attend, if not the general public.

The purpose of the meeting would be to debrief lawmakers on the various discussions and proposals being floated over the construction of a new Arena and the use of public financing as part of the package. When the Milwaukee area went through this exercise during the building of Miller Park, it became a rushed and politically toxic process which often marginalized public input.

Given that nearly all the public financing methods so far on the table would require a vote in the Legislature, it is critical this conversation not be delayed until after the Election. The taxpaying public deserves better.

My office would be happy to coordinate the timing and location as well as inviting Legislators for this meeting. I am hopeful that in the next 60 days, you could make yourselves available for this debriefing and allow elected officials to ask questions and offer input.

Please contact my Capitol office at: 608-266-1707.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,


Josh Zepnick
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