

March 27, 2019

Mayor Weir and Council Members  
City of Independence  
111 E Maple  
Independence, MO 64051

Dear Council Member:

The Public Safety Sales Tax Oversight Committee has met quarterly since our last presentation to Council. At our meetings we have had presentation by both Police and Fire departments. At the presentation both departments provide the committee with information regarding acquisitions and improvements planned and completed utilizing Public Safety Sales Tax funds. The Committee reviews all capital improvement projects that re completed or in progress that are funded by the sales tax. Also both departments supply a detailed financial statement that tracks current revenues and expenditures as well as expected revenues and planned uses. The reports are backed up by reports from the City Finance department that are also included and presented at our meetings.

The committee has reviewed and discussed with staff all planned and completed expenditures from the Public Safety Sales Tax. The committee certifies that all funds have been spent appropriately and in accordance with the intent of the Voter approved Public Safety Sales Tax guidelines.

Respectfully, submitted



Tom Garland  
Chairperson  
Public Safety Sales Tax Committee