COUNCIL MEETING DATE:

Monday, November 6, 2017

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Study Session: Sugar Sweetened Beverage Tax Program Expenditure Opportunities

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Please use the sugar proceeds to offset the budget shortages in the school district!
Dear City Council:

Thank you for having the study session regarding the expenditure of proceeds from the sugar sweetened beverage tax. I have a prior commitment, and will not be able to attend.

I would like to see the proceeds spent on informing and otherwise educating Albany residents of all ages about the extremely negative health impacts of sugar sweetened beverages, and presenting healthy delicious alternatives. Foremost in my mind is educating our schoolchildren, if this is not in conflict with the AUSD. Children can be taught how to read food labels. Many of them will likely bring their new knowledge home to their parents. Have panels of people who have Type 2 diabetes and other serious health concerns related to consuming sugar-sweetened beverages describe the very real challenges they face every day in managing these diseases.

Thank you,

Julie

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Nov 6th 2017..............Maureen Crowley [Albany Resident]

Suggestions on how to use Albany’s Soda Tax monies:

One third to: our public schools for nutrition education.

One third to: YMCA to provide reduced fees to Albany lower income citizens

One third to: local churches who have help with mental health issues of our homeless population such as St. Albans church