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Thank You Letter to the Mayor and City Council of Hamilton

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Dear Mayor Eisenberger and City Council,

On behalf of the Hamilton Bulldogs I want to take this opportunity to thank you for the steadfast support in our bid for the 2018 Mastercard Memorial Cup. It was with great pride that we presented Hamilton's bid to the CHL panel, and I can assure you, the response was overwhelmingly positive in regards to what our great city has to offer in hosting a national event of this magnitude.

It is important I take this opportunity to especially recognize the passion and professionalism your Tourism department showed in supporting this very intensive bid.

Although we are very disappointed in not winning the bid for this event, this experience has taught me how wonderful it is to be a part of such an amazing community with so much potential. I have stated this many times over the years, as the owner of Hamilton's team, I am committed to hockey in Hamilton and enriching the life of Hamiltonians particularly the young ones.

Rest assured that we will take this learning opportunity and apply it as we will bid again and bring this community the event it deserves!

Respectfully,

Michael Andlauer
Owner, Hamilton Bulldogs Hockey

cc: Steve Staios
cc: Mayor Fred Eisenberger and Council
cc: City Clerks Department
cc: Tourism Hamilton