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Memorandum

To: Mayor Hutchinson and City Council Members

From: Economic Advisory Commission

CC: Darin Atteberry, City Manager
Mike Freeman, Chief Financial Officer

Date: March 15, 2010

Subject: Recommendation on Manufacturing Use Tax

The Economic Advisory Commission (EAC) held their regular meeting on March 3, 2010. During the course of the meeting, the EAC reviewed and discussed several tax base options for the City of Fort Collins. In light of the discussion, the EAC makes the following recommendation to Council:

The EAC recommends the elimination of the manufacturing use tax if any sales tax increase is enacted for the City of Fort Collins.

Thank you for considering this recommendation.