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Dear Mayor and Council,

Today we will issue an information bulletin reminding residential property owners that they have four weeks until the February 2, 2021 deadline to make their Empty Homes Tax declaration for the 2020 tax year. As of this morning, 46 per cent of property owners had already made their declarations (just slightly behind last year's figure of 48 per cent as of this date, which is on track consideration the declarations kick off in November 2020 was later than in 2019). We continue with advertising and other forms of communication to ensure a high declaration rate as we've had in previous years.

Best,
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