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Dear Mayor and Council,

We will be issuing an Information Bulletin on Tuesday to let Vancouver homeowners know that the declaration period for the Empty Homes Tax for the 2020 tax year will begin on Tuesday, November 24, and the deadline to declare is February 2, 2021.

The Empty Homes Tax Annual Report for the 2019 tax year will also be made public on Tuesday, and highlights the 25 per cent reduction in vacant properties since the program was launched in 2017, along with a report out on revenue collected to date and investments in affordable housing initiatives.

Best,  
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