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Beloit Casino Scores New Milestone in Approval Process

(Black River Falls, WI) The Bureau of Indian Affairs has published a Notice of Availability of a Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) for the Ho-Chunk Nation Fee-to-Trust and Casino Project. This is another significant step in the process which ultimately will allow for one of the most significant entertainment developments and job creators in the Stateline Region.

"We've been working with our partners on getting this project off the ground. This is just another step in the whole process, but it's building a great amount of excitement. We'll be pleased to see the impact that the Ho-Chunk Nation can have on the unemployment in the Beloit area and beyond," said Ho-Chunk Nation President Wilfrid Cleveland.

"The City of Beloit is thrilled to see this process move forward. We are committed to our partnership with the Ho-Chunk Nation and are ready to hit the ground running," said City Manager Lori Curtis Luther. "The hard-working families of Beloit deserve the livable wages and quality benefits this development will bring to our community. This game-changing project significantly and positively impacts the City's ability to provide high-quality services for all residents and taxpayers.

"Individuals and families from across the country will visit this entertainment destination and experience the beauty and diversity of our community firsthand. We can't wait to show the rest of Wisconsin and the United States how we are Beloit Proud."

This FEIS publication kicks off a public comment period prior to the Bureau's recording of decision, followed by Governor Evers' concurrence.

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