

TELEGRAMS TO:

MR. WILLIAM C. BARTHOLOMAY
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD
MILWAUKEE BRAVES, INC.
2 NORTH RIVERSIDE PLAZA
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

THE GREAT METROPOLITAN ATLANTA AREA WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME
YOUR FINE BALL CLUB HERE STARTING NEXT YEAR. EXCELLENT SUPPORT WILL
BE YOURS IN 1965 AND FUTURE YEARS. IDPLEDGE MY PERSONAL EFFORTS
FOR ATTENDANCE SUCCESS.

CHARLES HENSON,
TAX ASSESSOR _ CITY OF ATLANTA

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I JOIN THOUSANDS OF OTHER BASEBALL ENTHUSIASTS OF THIS CITY IN
URGING YOU TO BRING THE MILWAUKEE BRAVES TO ATLANTA. A WARM
WELCOME AND OUR SUPPORT AWAIT THEM.

CHIEF C. H. HILDEBRAND
ATLANTA FIRE DEPARTMENT

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WITH SIX MILLION OF YOUR POTENTIAL FANS USING THE ATLANTA AIRPORT
THIS YEAR, WE EXPRESS OUR FERVENT HOPE THAT YOU WILL TAKE THE
NECESSARY STEPS TO BRING THE BRAVES TO ATLANTA AND MAKE THIS
POTENTIALITY A REALITY.

GRADY H. RIDGEWAY, GENERAL MANAGER
THE ATLANTA MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

MY OPINION IS THAT NO CITY IN THE COUNTRY WOULD SUPPORT THE
BRAVES LIKE ATLANTA. COME ON DOWN, WE NEED YOU.

ERNEST J. BREWER
PURCHASING AGENT
CITY OF ATLANTA

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NOT ONLY ATLANTA BASEBALL FANS BUT ALSO THOSE FROM THROUGHOUT
THE ENTIRE SOUTHEAST ARE ANXIOUS TO HAVE A MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL
TEAM IN OUR OWN SECTION THAT WE CAN SUPPORT. WE TRUST THAT THE
MILWAUKEE BRAVES WILL BE THAT TEAM.

CARL T. SUTHERLAND
PERSONNEL DIRECTOR
CITY OF ATLANTA

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COME ON BRAVES. COME TO ATLANTA WHERE PROGRESS IS A HABIT AND OUR
PEOPLE WAIT WITH OPEN ARMS.

J. HOWARD MONROE
CITY HALL SUPERINTENDENT

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HOPE YOU SEE FIT TO MOVE BRAVES TO ATLANTA NEXT YEAR. EXCELLENT
ATTENDANCE ASSURED.

HARRY H. NIEBRUEGGE

ATLANTA BRAVES FANS ARE EAGERLY AWAITING YOUR FAVORABLE
DECISION TO GIVE ATLANTA BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL.

JUDGE HERSCHEL COLE
TRAFFIC COURT
CITY OF ATLANTA

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ATLANTA IS THE HUB OF THE SOUTHEAST. ITS CITIZENS LOVE SPORTS AND
WOULD WELCOME THE BRAVES. COME TO ATLANTA AND WE'LL BACK YOU
TO THE HILT.

S. W. GRAYDON
SANITARY ENGINEER
CITY OF ATLANTA

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ACCORDING TO NEWS REPORTS, THERE IS A POSSIBILITY THAT THE BRAVES
MIGHT MOVE TO ATLANTA. THIS IS WONDERFUL NEWS AS A DYNAMIC TEAM
SUCH AS THE BRAVES COULD NOT FIND A CITY AS DYNAMIC AND SPORTS-
MINDED AS ATLANTA. I HEREBY MAKE A STRONG PERSONAL PEEA URGING
THE BRAVES MOVE TO ATLANTA.

PAUL B. IVEY
LAND AGENT
CITY OF ATLANTA

THE BRAVES' FANS WILL HAVE A NEW FREEWAY SYSTEM OF SIX INTERSTATE
HIGHWAYS PLUS A NEW MAJOR THOROUGHFARE SYSTEM TO BRING THEM TO
SEE ALL HOME GAMES IN THE NEW ATLANTA STADIUM. WE WILL WELCOME
YOU TO ATLANTA.

KARL A. BEVINS
CITY TRAFFIC ENGINEER
CITY OF ATLANTA

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EARNESTLY URGE YOUR FAVORABLE CONSIDERATION OF AN OPPORTUNITY
TO ESTABLISH A TRULY GREAT TEAM IN A MOST PROMISING GEOGRAPHICAL
AREA.

HOMER W. TOWNSEND
SUPERINTENDENT
MOTOR TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT

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THE BRAVES WILL HAVE IN ATLANTA, AMONG OTHER NUMEROUS ADVANTAGES,
THE BEST POLICE DEPARTMENT IN THE NATION AT THEIR DISPOSAL. WE
URGE YOUR EVERY CONSIDERATION OF OUR OFFER.

CHIEF HERBERT T. JENKINS
ATLANTA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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THE LIBRARY FAMILY OF ATLANTA URGES YOU TO MAKE ATLANTA THE HOME
OF THE BRAVES

EDWIN HALL JACOBS DIRECTOR

ATLANTA IS BIG LEAGUE IN EVERY WAY.

JACK C. DELIUS
GENERAL MANAGER
CITY OF ATLANTA PARKS AND RECREATION

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ATLANTA IS THE GREATEST SPORTS CITY IN THE ENTIRE SOUTHEAST AND
A MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL TEAM WOULD BE ANOTHER GREAT ASSET TO
THIS WONDERFUL CITY. I AM QUITE SURE THAT THE PEOPLE OF ATLANTA
WILL SUPPORT A TEAM LIKE THE MILWAUKEE BRAVES, AND I WILL
PERSONALLY GIVE THEM ALL THE SUPPORT I POSSIBLY CAN.

CHARLES L. MATHEWS
MUNICIPAL REVENUE COLLECTOR
CITY OF ATLANTA

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ATLANTA NEEDS BIG LEAGUE TEAM FOR A BIG LEAGUE TOWN --- URGE
THAT YOU BRING BRAVES TO ATLANTA.

ALDERMAN E. GREGORY GRIGGS
CITY OF ATLANTA

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NO CITY IN AMERICA CAN MATCH ATLANTA'S DYNAMIC GROWTH AND
ENTHUSIASM ---NOR PROVIDE A BETTER HOME FOR THE BRAVES.

ALDERMAN J. M. FLANIGEN
CITY OF ATLANTA

CONSTRUCTION OF NEW STADIUM IN RECORD TIME INDICATES ATLANTA'S
INTEREST IN MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL. SUCH INTEREST WILL ASSURE
SUCCESS FOR THE BRAVES IN OUR CITY.

ALDERMAN CHARLIE LEFTWICH
CITY OF ATLANTA

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THE BUILDING OF ATLANTA NOW AND IN THE FUTURE IS MY JOB AND MAIN
CONCERN. I POINT WITH PRIDE TO OUR RECORD OF UNSURPASSED GROWTH
THIS YEAR. WE ARE A GROWING, ENTHUSIASTIC AND BRAVE CITY, AND IT
WOULD BE OUR PLEASURE TO HAVE THE BRAVES JOIN US IN OUR GREAT FUTURE.

W. R. WOFFORD
BUILDING OFFICIAL
CITY OF ATLANTA

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WE KNOW OF NO MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL CLUB WE WOULD RATHER HAVE
IN ATLANTA THAN THE MILWAUKEE BRAVES AND URGE YOUR FAVORABLE
CONSIDERATION. WE PLEDGE OUR FULL SUPPORT.

J. J. LITTLE
CITY CLERK
CITY OF ATLANTA

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ENTHUSIAM FOR MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL IS AT A PEAK IN ATLANTA ---
WE ARE READY TO SUPPORT THE BRAVES.

Mr. William C. Bartholomay
2 North Riverside Plaza
Chicago, Illinois

We want to urge your acceptance of the invitation to bring the Milwaukee Braves to Atlanta next year.

Alderman Milton G. Farris
Atlanta, Georgia

Mr. William C. Bartholomay
2 North Riverside Plaza
Chicago, Illinois

It is a pleasure to join with citizens from throughout this state and particularly those in Atlanta to extend a warm invitation to make this your home and to be a part of a great and growing major part of tomorrow's sportsworld.

Sam Massell, Jr., Vice Mayor
City of Atlanta

Mr. William C. Bartholomay
2 North Riverside Plaza
Chicago, Illinois

Atlanta welcomes the opportunity to host your distinguished baseball team. We have a new modern physical stadium. Our government is receptive to an expanded sports program. Our citizens and neighbors provide an ideal climate and audience for professional baseball.

Paul Weir, General Manager
Atlanta Water Works

Mr. William C. Bartholomay
2 North Riverside Plaza
Chicago, Illinois

I urge your acceptance of Atlanta's offer to bring the Braves to Atlanta.
This will be a tremendous boost in the arm to the sporting world and the
entire southeast.

Alderman Douglas L. Fowlkes
City of Atlanta
