



CITY OF SAINT PAUL
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November 6, 2012

NOTICE OF INTENT TO REVOKE LICENSE

John Aldrich, Jr.
1945 Oakdale Avenue, Apt. #112
West St. Paul, MN 55118

RE: Taxicab Driver license held by John Aldrich, Jr. d/b/a John Aldrich, Jr. for the City of Saint Paul
License ID #: 0057801

Dear Mr. Aldrich:

The Department of Safety and Inspections will recommend revocation of the Taxicab Driver license held by John Aldrich, Jr. d/b/a John Aldrich, Jr. for the City of Saint Paul. The basis for the recommendation is based on the following information:

During a required criminal history check, the Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) discovered that on November 1, 2012, you were convicted in Ramsey County District Court of Misdemeanor Traffic – Careless Driving in violation of Minn. Stat. § 169.13.2. You were then placed on supervised probation for a term of one (1) year from November 1, 2012 to November 1, 2013.

Saint Paul Legislative Code § 376.16 (e) (5) (a) (3) – Prerequisites to License. Eligibility to be licensed to operate a taxicab shall be as follows: “Shall have a driving record meeting the following standards:no conviction in the last three (3) years for any of the following offenses not involving injury or death: Misdemeanor Reckless Driving under Minn. Stat. § 169.13, subd. 1 or similar law of another state or Minnesota law as amended.”

At this time, you have two options on how to proceed:

1. If you wish to admit the facts but you contest the penalty, you may have a public hearing before the Saint Paul City Council. You will need to send me a letter with a statement admitting to the facts and requesting a public hearing. I will need to receive your letter no later than **Friday, November 16, 2012**. The matter will then be scheduled before the City Council for a public hearing to determine whether to revoke your Taxicab Driver license. You will have an opportunity to appear before the Council and make a statement on your own behalf.

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2. If you dispute the facts outlined above, or wish to present evidence that the conviction is not related to your license as a taxicab driver, or that you have been rehabilitated pursuant to Minn. Stat. §364.01 et seq, you may request a hearing before an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ). I will need to receive your letter no later than **Friday, November 16, 2012**. At that hearing both you and the City will appear and present witnesses, evidence and cross-examine each other's witnesses. After receipt of the ALJ's report (usually within 30 days), a public hearing will need to be scheduled. At that time, the City Council will decide whether to adopt, modify or reject the ALJ's report and recommendation.

Please note: If you choose an administrative hearing, the Department of Safety and Inspections reserves the right to request that City Council impose the costs of the administrative hearing per Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.05 (k).

If you have not contacted me by Friday, November 16, 2012, I will assume that you do not contest the revocation of your Taxicab Driver license. In that case, the matter will be placed on the City Council Consent Agenda for approval of the recommended penalty.

If you have questions about these options, please feel free to contact me at 266-8710.

Sincerely,



Daphne Lundstrom
Assistant City Attorney

cc: Christine Rozek, Deputy Director of DSI
Tom Ferrara, DSI

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss.

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY U.S. MAIL

COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

Julie Kraus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 6th day of
November she served the attached **NOTICE OF INTENT TO REVOKE LICENSE** and correct
copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

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(which is the last known address of said person) depositing the same, with postage prepaid, in the
United States mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.


Julie Kraus

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 6th day of November, 2012


Notary Public

