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VIA MAIL & EMAIL: graciemay586@yahoo.com

Re: Appeal for Property at 586 Burgess Street

Dear Tom Novak:

This email is to confirm that at the Legislative Hearing on August 2, 2022 for the appealed Special Tax Assessment for the property at 586 BURGESS STREET. (File No. VB2212, Assessment No. 228818) Legislative Hearing Officer Moermond recommended that the City Council continue the Public Hearing to April 5, 2023 to see if property has received its Code Compliance Certificate and will recommend the assessment is made payable over 5 years or prorate if applicable.

The City Council Public Hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, September 14, 2022 at 3:30 pm. in room 300 City Hall. If you are contesting Ms. Moermond's recommendation, you may appear in person or send written testimony to be added to the record to legislativehearings@ci.stpaul.mn.us or by voicemail at 651-266-6805. If you don't wish to contest, no further action is needed and the Council will proceed with Ms. Moermond's recommendation above.

As discussed in the hearing, the property will require a Code Compliance Inspection. The Code Compliance form can be found online here: https://www.stpaul.gov/departments/safety-inspections/vacant-buildings. I have also included a copy. Please contact the Department of Safety and Inspections directly at 651-266-8989 for questions regarding the application or payment process. Please include the lock box code in your Code Compliance Application.

Also note that your **Code Compliance Inspection Report** can be used in lieu of a Truth in Sale of Housing (TISH) report should you decide to sell the property. Again, **you do not need to pay for a TISH as well,** many realtors do not understand that.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 651-266-8585.



Sincerely, /s/ Joanna Zimny Legislative Hearing Executive Assistant

Encl: Code Compliance Inspection form