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Subject: We need your help for 678 Snelling Ave N St. Paul, MN 55104 Building
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Hi Angie,

I hope all is well. This is Gene Gelgelu President and CEO at African Economic Development Solutions (AEDS) a nonprofit organization that serves African immigrants in Minnesota. AEDS purchased 678 Snelling Ave N, St. Paul, MN 55104 a long-time vacant building to rehab. Currently we are working on raising funds to rehab the building.

Last year we requested DSI to give us a permit for electricity so we can have a security system on the building. We were unable to secure the permit.

Yesterday this building was on fire. I am sending you this email to request for your help in securing a permit for electricity so we can have a security system in the building. Please let me know if this is doable. Please let me know.

Sincerely,

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" The older I get, the less I listen to what people say and the more I watch what they do.",
Andrew Carnegie

