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To whom it may concern: I live at 357 Fulton Street, a corner house off Jefferson. I am 71 years old, male and widower and living on a very limited pension. I have been assessed for \$3,063.06 for the work done on Jefferson. I didn't ask for the work to be done. Nor did I think that it needed doing. And now you have put up a divider at Victoria & Jefferson. About 6 times drivers have taken out the sign there. The divider doesn't work. It makes it harder for me to back out of my driveway. The timing of all this could not have been worse with the Virus & with inflation soaring. I have to stretch out the funds that I have. I don't feel that St. Paul is for the little people. I complained about the alley snow removal. No one on Fulton/Clifton was collecting monies to pay someone to keep the alley clear of snow. Recycling & Trash Collectors would sometime not pick up our offerings as the alley snow was too deep. I was told by a City Council Member to start collecting monies and contract someone to do the work. I have done so for the last 5 years. I always come up \$200 short and pay this out of my own pocket. I have talked to other people who do the same and they say that you just can't get some to pay for it. Not fair. Our taxes should cover this. I have also asked for the removal of one female Ginko tree as I cannot any longer keep up with all the stinky fall berries. The three trees on my property have been butchered by the city anyways to protect power lines. I don't know. Not much fun living here. Do as you will. Stephen R. Pastick 357 Fulton Street St. Paul, MN 55102