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TO: Capitol River Council District 17
Dayton's Bluff District 4 Community Council

Dear Ladies/Gentlemen:

This is to inform you of a request for a variance from the sound level limitations as indicated in the St. Paul Noise Ordinance (Chapter 293 of the St. Paul Legislative Code).

A public hearing before the City Council on this variance request will be held on:

Date: Thursday, January 2, 2014
Time: 5:30 p.m.
Location: 3rd floor, City Hall Council Chambers

Anyone attending the public hearing will be given the opportunity to present verbal comments or objections before the City Council.

Anyone unable to attend the public hearing, may, within fifteen (15) days of the mailing date on this notice, file written comments or objections with the: City of Saint Paul, Department of Safety and Inspections, 375 Jackson Street, Suite 220, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806.

Description of Variance:

Location: Lower Town Ballpark building excavation at 5th Street East and Broadway Street

Noise Source: Veit and Company Inc., represented by Nate Iverson, Project Manager has requested a variance from the sound level limitations in Chapter 293.07 in order to allow pile driving of beams for retaining wall shoring. The request is from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. between February 24, 2014 and March 28, 2014. It is expected that the pile driving will be completed in a total of 2 to 6 days. To reduce the impact on nearby residents, DSI is recommending the following conditions. That the variance be approved for up to six (6) pile driving work periods of 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. between February 24, 2014 and March 28, 2014 and no pile driving on Saturdays and Sundays. Veit and Company Inc. will also notify residents, property owners and businesses 48 hours before any pile driving.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call Barb McMonigal-St. Dennis, Environmental Health Specialist, at 651-266-9137 or e-mail her at barb.mcmonigal-st.dennis@ci.stpaul.mn.us.

Sincerely,

/s/

Vicki Sheffer
Department of Safety and Inspections