



CITY OF SAINT PAUL
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Application for Sound Level Variance

City of Saint Paul Noise Ordinance
Chapter 293 of the Saint Paul Legislative Code

1. Organization or person seeking variance: Northern States Power d/b/a Xcel Energy
2. Address: 825 Rice Street, Saint Paul, MN 55117
3. Responsible person: Conrad A. Miller
4. Title or position: Senior Engineer
5. Telephone: (651) 229-2564
6. Briefly describe the noise source and equipment involved: Directional drilling equipment will be used to install a new 20" steel pipeline under Interstate 35E as part of a pipeline replacement project.
Noise will be from operation of diesel engines tied to the equipment and support trucks.
7. Address or legal description of noise source: Directional drilling equipment will be set up on Eleanor Avenue between Pleasant Avenue and Interstate 35E.
8. Noise source time of operation: 7:00 AM until 10:00 PM
9. Briefly describe the steps that will be taken to minimize the noise levels: Support equipment will be placed around the drilling machine to buffer noise from the engine.
10. Briefly state reason for seeking variance: Pipeline replacement requires installation under I35E.
Open cut installation and shutdown of I35E is not possible.
11. Dates during which the variance is requested: April 15, 2014 - June 15, 2014

Signature of responsible person: *Conrad A. Miller* Date: 2/10/2014

Return completed Application and \$164.00 fee to:
CITY OF SAINT PAUL
DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND INSPECTIONS
375 JACKSON STREET, SUITE 220
SAINT PAUL, MN 55101-1806
(651) 266-9090

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DSI RECEIPT

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Department of Safety and Inspections
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Phone: (651) 266-8989 Fax: (651) 266-9124
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Date: 02/12/2014

Received From: XCEL ENERGY
825 RICE ST ST PAUL MN 55117

Description:

Invoice Details

887464

Noise Variance

Invoice Amount

\$164.00

Amount Paid

\$164.00

TOTAL AMOUNT PAID:

\$164.00

Paid By:

Payment Type	Check #	Received Date	Amount
Check	871342	02/12/2014	\$164.00