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The Friends of the St. Paul Public Library Elizabeth Boyd – Director of Individual & Planned Giving 325 Cedar Street, #555 St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Ms. Boyd:

This is to confirm that our office has received your application for a variance from the city's noise ordinance and that it is being processed.

The Department of Safety and Inspections has recommended that a variance be issued to allow you to present amplified live band music during a music event at 90 West 4th Street, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on September 15, 2013. The recommendation is for a noise limit of 85 dBA as measured at 50 feet from the sound source.

A public hearing on your request for a variance has been scheduled for September 4, 2013, 5:30 p.m., Third Floor, City Council Chambers, at the Saint Paul City Hall/Ramsey County Courthouse, 15 Kellogg Boulevard W., Saint Paul, Minnesota.

You may wish to be present at this hearing to answer any questions that the City Council might have. After the public hearing, the Council may grant, deny, or modify the variance request.

If you have any questions, you can reach Barb McMonigal-St. Dennis, Environmental Health Specialist, at 651-266-9137, or e-mail her at <u>barb.mcmonigal-st.dennis@ci.stpaul.mn.us</u>

Sincerely,

Natasha Howard

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