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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Sound Level Variance
Visit Saint Paul – Crashed Ice Village 2017

Dear St. Paul Property Owner:

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). Property owned by you and located near the noise sources, may be affected by this variance request. Rental property owners must provide a copy of this notice to all renters or post a copy in a common area of the building so it can be viewed by the occupants.

Description of Variance:

Location: The Crashed Ice Village Event will take place on a closed portion of 7th Street West between Kellogg Boulevard West (174 7th Street West) and Walnut Street North (258 7th Street West) on February 4, 2017.

Noise Sources: Visit Saint Paul has applied for a sound level variance in order to provide amplified outdoor music using electronically powered equipment at the recommended locations, times and decibel level limits (dBA) described below:

1. The variance shall be for the hours of 2:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m. in the street on West 7th Street on February 4, 2017 outside Tom Reid's, 258 7th Street West and at Eagle Street/The Liffey, 174 7th Street West, and under the overhang in front of Cossetta's, 211 7th Street West and in fully enclosed tents from 2:00 p.m. on February 4, 2017 until 1:00 a.m. on February 5, 2017 for a DJ/Live Music from tents at Burger Moe's Parking Lot, 242 7th Street West, Cossetta's Parking Lot, 211 7th Street West, during the Crashed Ice Village Visit Saint Paul Event.
2. All electronically powered equipment used in conjunction with the event shall not exceed 95 dBA as measured at 50 feet from the sound sources outside on the street from 2:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m. on February 4, 2017, and not exceed 80 dBA as measured at 50 feet from the sound source outside of the fully enclosed tents from 11:00 p.m. on February 4, 2017 until 1:00 a.m. on February 5, 2017.

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

Date: Wednesday, February 1, 2017

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Location: 3rd floor, City Hall Council Chambers, 15 Kellogg Boulevard West

If you attend the public hearing, you will be given the opportunity to present verbal comments or objections before the City Council. If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may within fifteen (15) days of the mailing date on this notice, submit written comments or objections with the City of St. Paul, Department of Safety and Inspections, 375 Jackson Street, Suite 220, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806, attention Barb McMonigal-St. Dennis or by email to barb.mcmonigal-st.dennis@ci.stpaul.mn.us. Written comments or objections must be received on or before Tuesday, January 31, 2017.