



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: Brian Horst (Music in Meadows)
2. Mailing Address with Zip Code: 61 Dale St N #3 St. Paul, MN 55102
3. Responsible person: Brian Horst
4. Title or position: Event Manager
5. Telephone: 651 248-0857
6. Briefly describe the noise source and equipment involved: Concerts June 7<sup>th</sup> - July 19<sup>th</sup>  
Concert and Movie July 26<sup>th</sup> - August 30<sup>th</sup> 6pm - 9pm  
6pm - 9pm concert 9 - 11pm Movie
7. Address or legal description of noise source: Meadows Park
8. Noise source time of operation: Sound Stage see details above
9. Briefly describe the steps that will be taken to minimize the noise levels: We direct speakers  
to keep sound within the park and monitor db levels with  
an db level tool.
10. Briefly state reason for seeking variance: To provide amplified music during  
the concerts. The movie volume is generally within park level
11. Date(s) during which the variance is requested: June 7<sup>th</sup> - Aug 30<sup>th</sup> (see above) limits

Signature of responsible person: [Signature] Date: 4/2/12

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) 266-8989

Office Use Only	
Date Rec'd.	_____
Reviewed	_____
Date Public Notice Sent	_____
Referred to Council	_____

**NOTE: APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED NO FEWER THAN 30 (THIRTY) DAYS PRIOR TO THE EVENT DATE**



# DSI RECEIPT

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Date: 04/04/2012

Received From: BRIAN HORST MUSIC IN MEARS PARK  
61 DALE ST N APT 3 ST PAUL MN 55102

Description:

Invoice Details

802746

Noise Variance

Invoice Amount

\$164.00

Amount Paid

\$164.00

**TOTAL AMOUNT PAID:**

**\$164.00**

Paid By:

Payment Type	Check #	Received Date	Amount
Credit Card		04/04/2012	\$164.00

## Mark Kaisersatt - Music in Mears specifics...

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**From:** "Brian Horst" <brian@musicinmears.com>  
**To:** <mark.kaisersatt@ci.stpaul.mn.us>  
**Date:** 4/5/2012 11:04 AM  
**Subject:** Music in Mears specifics...

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Hey Mark,

Just got your voicemail and here are the exact times for amplified music:

June 7th - concert only 6pm to 9pm

June 14th - concert only 6pm to 9pm

June 21st - concert only 6pm to 9pm

June 28th - concert only 6pm to 9pm

July 5th - NO SHOW

July 12th - concert only 6pm to 9pm

July 19th - concert 6pm to 9pm / movie 9pm to 11pm

July 26th - concert 6pm to 9pm / movie 9pm to 11pm

August 2nd - concert 6pm to 9pm / movie 9pm to 11pm

August 9th - concert 6pm to 9pm / movie 9pm to 11pm

August 16th - concert 6pm to 9pm / movie 9pm to 11pm

August 23rd - concert 6pm to 9pm / movie 9pm to 11pm

August 30th - concert 6pm to 9pm / movie 9pm to 11pm

I think we usually have a 80 or 90 db level for the concerts and while we do you the sound stage for the movie audio, we generally run that just loud enough for the people at the park to hear it. This may even run very close to the park's after 10pm db level. We didn't run movies last year but the year prior some people showed up at the city council meeting thinking that I was programing music until 11pm. It wasn't a issue when they realized it was the movie running after 9pm. Hope this clears it up and let me know if you have any additional questions for me.

Thanks, we're looking forward to another great summer of shows!

Brian Horst

651.248.0857 cell