



**CITY OF SAINT PAUL**  
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Re: Appeal for Property at 1016 Desoto Street

Ana Silva:

This is to confirm that at the Legislative Hearing on Tuesday, April 8, 2025 Legislative Hearing Officer Marcia Moermond recommended that the City Council **grant to May 2, 2025 for compliance with the March 26 Summary Abatement Order (including removal of mini-fridge).**

As discussed in the hearing, the City does provide households with one bulky item pick-up per calendar month with regular garbage service. These pickups are included in the cost of your regular collection. **Contact the City at least two business days in advance of your garbage collection day** to request a pickup. Fill out the [online request form](#) or call 651-266-6101. You can find more about the program and other resources online here:

<https://www.stpaul.gov/departments/public-works/garbage-and-recycling/residential-collection/bulky-item-collection>

If you wish to move forward with installation of a fence, you do need to submit a site plan to the Department of Safety & Inspections Plan review. You can find information on that process and forms online here: <https://www.stpaul.gov/departments/safety-inspections/building-and-construction/construction-permits-and-inspections/building-permits-inspections/fence-plan-review-permit-and>

This matter will go before the City Council at Public Hearing on **Wednesday, April 23, 2025 at 3:30 pm. in room 300 City Hall.** If you are contesting Ms. Moermond's recommendation you may:

1. appear in person (*please arrive before 3:30 p.m. and check in with staff outside Council chambers when you arrive*); or
2. **Should you wish testify to Council directly by phone, you must register to do so online by no later than noon on Tuesday, April 22, 2025 here:**

<https://www.stpaul.gov/department/city-council/city-council-public-hearing-live-testimony>.

If you don't wish to contest then **no further action is needed** and the Council will proceed with Ms. Moermond's recommendation above without discussion. **If you will be contesting please call our office no later than close of business Monday April 21 so we may provide an interpreter for you.**

After the April 23 Public Hearing, Ms. Moermond will review this case under a new resolution at an May 6 Legislative Hearings at 11:00 a.m. to determine if you have abated the nuisance(s) listed above on deadline. The City Council Public Hearing will be scheduled for Wednesday, May 7, 2025 at 3:30 pm. in room 300 City Hall. You are welcome to attend any of these hearings. If you are contesting Ms. Moermond's recommendation from the May 6 Legislative Hearing, you may appear in person or, **should you wish to address testify by phone you must register by noon on the Tuesday May 6 via the link above.**

If you have any questions, please contact our office at 651-266-8585.

Sincerely,

/s/

Joanna Zimny

Legislative Hearing Executive Assistant

c: CE Supervisors  
Willie Williams – Department of Safety & Inspections, Code Enforcement Officer