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**Subject:** Courtesy Copy: Sound Level Variance Application Irish Fair of MN, Irish Fair 2016

**This is a courtesy copy of an email bulletin sent by Barb McMonigal-St. Dennis.**

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**Event:** Irish Fair 2016

**Description of Variance:**

**Locations:** Harriet Island Regional Park

**Noise Source:** Irish Fair of Minnesota, represented by Erin Cooper, Director, has requested a sound level variance, at a requested sound level limit of 100 dBA at 75 feet, in order to provide amplified music and the use of a sound system, during the Irish Fair of Minnesota, from 6:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 11, 2016, from 2:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Friday, August 12, 2016, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 13, 2016 and from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 14, 2016. The Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) recommends the following conditions: 1) Variance will be for the hours of 6:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 11, 2016, from 2:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Friday, August 12, 2016, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 13, 2016 and from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 14, 2016. 2) Target Main Stage: All electronically powered equipment, PA systems, loudspeakers or similar devices used in conjunction with the event must not exceed 100 dBA at the sound mix or 100 feet from stage, whichever is the shorter distance. Amplified sound on Target Stage must end at 10:00 p.m., per Parks Department end time Policy. 3) Pub Stage (Tent): All electronically powered equipment, PA systems, loudspeakers or similar devices used in conjunction with the event must not exceed 95 dBA at the sound mix or 50 feet from stage, whichever is the shorter distance. Pub Stage amplified sound to end at 11:00 p.m., per Parks Department end time Policy. 4) All Other Stages: All electronically powered equipment, PA systems, loudspeakers or similar devices used in conjunction with the event must not exceed 90 dBA at the sound mix or 50 feet from stage, whichever is the shorter distance. 5) The applicant shall provide personnel and equipment who will provide continuous sound level monitoring at each sound mix during the hours of the variance. 6) All electronically powered equipment, PA systems, loudspeakers, or similar devices located on the event grounds must be turned off no later than the above identified times at the specific locations on the event dates.

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

Date: Wednesday, August 3, 2016

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Location: 3rd floor, City Hall Council Chambers