

Vang, Mai (CI-StPaul)

From: Ultan Duggan <duggan.ultan@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 1:17 PM
To: Vang, Mai (CI-StPaul)
Subject: Re: 1449 University Ave W, J2008P

Think Before You Click: This email originated outside our organization.

Mai , I am sending a written copy ,signed , to you by snail mail. I am including a copy of the first notice .

I have worked on the Avenue since 1980. I was very involved in the light rail discussions and pushed hard to get a stop at Hamline . The fencing along the avenue practically destroyed business ,including my Dr Scholl's shoe store. Closing Pascal for upgrades and improvements , preliminary to the building of the soccer stadium drove a few more nails into the Avenue coffin..Compounding this has been the lack of parking,poor signage, vandalism including graffiti and the continuing street / alley closures. A lot of change in my 40 years there . And then , the clamor and upheaval of protests could be the final nail in the coffin. I urge you to ask councillors,representatives and senators to convene a public meeting on the avenue : a meeting of conciliation, a meeting of community building with food and music and speakers to inspire the rest of us to stay and rebuild.The soccer stadium would be the perfect venue for such a community building opportunity.

Promote,,promote, promote ,promote .

Ultan Duggan 651-470-6268

you may share this with the mayor ,other dignitaries ,local businesses and the media..

On Wed, Sep 2, 2020 at 9:24 AM Vang, Mai (CI-StPaul) <mai.vang@ci.stpaul.mn.us> wrote:

Hello Mr. Duggan,

We have not received a graffiti waiver our office sent to you on your graffiti assessment. The hearing was yesterday and we have laid it over to December 1 for deletion if you can submit a waiver by October 1, 2020. I have attached another one in case you lost the other one.