



CITY OF SAINT PAUL  
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Jackie Johnson/Race Director  
Team Ortho Foundation – Monster Dash Race  
2906 North 2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Minneapolis, MN 55411

Dear Ms Johnson:

This is to confirm that our office has received your application for a variance from the city's noise ordinance and that it is being processed.

The Department of Safety and Inspections has recommended that a variance be issued to allow the use of an amplified sound system for the Monster Dash Pre-Race gathering on October 26, 2013 from 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. from Summit Park along Summit Avenue to the start line, 400 feet east of Summit Avenue and Nina Street. The recommendation for a noise limit of 80 dBA as measured 50 feet from sound source.

A public hearing on your request for a variance has been scheduled for **October 16, 2013, 5:30 p.m.**, Third Floor, City Council Chambers, at the Saint Paul City Hall/Ramsey County Courthouse, 15 Kellogg Boulevard W., Saint Paul, Minnesota.

You may wish to be present at this hearing to answer any questions that the City Council might have. After the public hearing, the Council may grant, deny, or modify the variance request.

**If you have any questions, you can reach Barb McMonigal-St. Dennis, Environmental Health Specialist, at 651-266-9137, or e-mail her at [barb.mcmonigal-st.dennis@ci.stpaul.mn.us](mailto:barb.mcmonigal-st.dennis@ci.stpaul.mn.us)**

Sincerely,

Natasha Howard  
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