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Dear Mr. Hawkinson:

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 (DSI) has recommended that a variance be issued, with conditions. DSI's recommendation is for construction and work using various pieces of equipment, including pile hammer, excavator, lattice boom crane, etc. equipment at 839 University Avenue West, beginning Monday, July 11, 2016, through Friday, July 29, 2016. Work periods are Monday through Friday, beginning at 7:00 a.m. and ending at 5:00 p.m. The contractors working on the project will use best practicable methods for controlling noise such as, but not limited to, H Pile with lagging area, noise blankets, shields or portable sound barriers. Construction activities will be scheduled to minimize noise as much as possible in the evening and early morning hours. Equipment should be fitted with manufacturer's approved exhaust mufflers.

A public hearing on your request for a variance has been scheduled for **Wednesday, May 18, 2016 at 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, please contact:

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Enclosure