

Dear Council President Lantry,

My name is Libby Keefe and I live at 591 Lincoln Ave, actually in Ward 2. It is my understanding that tomorrow evening the council will be hearing an appeal regarding 576 Lincoln Ave. I would ask your consideration in granting my neighbors request to be allowed to finish the conversion of their garage to a living quarters for their parents when they visit from out of town. This project was started by the previous owners but never finished. The current owners are only trying to complete the project and provide lodging for their parents. I also believe that parking was an issue with the district council. I know that none of the adults that would use this structure would have a car. There was some concern at previous meeting that someday someone may live there that has a car. I would agree that it is possible but at the same time it is possible that every kid 16 years or older will get a licenses and perhaps a car and still live at home. Thus creating one more car for the neighborhood. Our neighborhood has always been a magnet for cars. I don't believe any of us care if there is one more. And I personally do not see how this project has any impact on the neighborhood. The family that lives directly behind this address is 100% in support. It is time for St Paul to look forward when making these decisions. This is a perfect example of the sandwich generation that we about to deal with on a daily basis.

Thank You for your time.

Best,

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