

From: Linda Barnett
Sent: Sunday, July 31, 2016 8:53 PM
To: #CI-StPaul_Ward3
Subject: August 3rd meeting about Randolph Ave. assessments

Hi,

I am a homeowner at 14xx Randolph Ave. and received a letter about the meeting on August 3rd about the assessments to homeowners for the reconstruction of Randolph Ave. I am unable to get home from work in time to attend the meeting, and the letter said I could write a letter and my statements would be read and considered for the decision.

I am very much opposed to having to pay for the new street lights. The street lights we had were very adequate and did not need to be replaced. I did not ask for new lights. The new lights are too bright and they shine into my house and light up my entire living room and bedroom. It is unbelievable how intrusive they are. I am sure the city did not even take into consideration how intrusive and bothersome the new lights would be. They never think of us the homeowners but always want us to pay for everything.

I have paid taxes and my street assessments for 31 years so there should be plenty of money to cover street lights. It is so unfair that I should have to pay an extra \$1000.00 for these lights. The city should be paying for these new lights not the homeowners. This is not my private street so why should I foot the bill especially when we did not need new street lights.

I hope you will think about the homeowners in your decision and not charge us for the new street lights.

Thank you for listening to my concerns. I wish I could be at the meeting to voice them to you in person.

Sincerely,

Linda Barnett