

CITY OF SAINT PAUL

Christopher B. Coleman, Mayor

Civil Division 400 City Hall 15 West Kellogg Blvd. Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102

Telephone: 651 266-8710 Facsimile: 651 298-5619

March 29, 2012

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUSPEND LICENSE

James Marcotte Rivertown Theatre, LLC 627 Smith Avenue South St. Paul, MN 55107

RE:

Dance or Rental Halls license held by Rivertown Theatre, LLC d/b/a Rivertown Theatre, LLC for the premises located at 627 Smith Avenue South in Saint Paul License ID #20070001571

Dear Mr. Marcotte:

The Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) has recommended suspension of the Dance or Rental Halls license held by Rivertown Theatre, LLC d/b/a Rivertown Theatre, LLC for the premises located at 627 Smith Avenue South in Saint Paul. The basis for the recommendation is as follows:

On February 29, 2012, you were sent a letter and <u>RENEWAL INVOICE</u> from the Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) stating that your Dance or Rental Halls license expired November 29, 2011. You currently owe \$250.00 in delinquent license and late fees.

You were also asked to submit a completed <u>Certificate of Compliance Minnesota Workers' Compensation Law</u> form. You were given until March 21, 2012, to pay the license and late fees and submit the requested information. As of today's date, neither has been received.

In addition to the suspension of your Dance or Rental Halls license, per Saint Paul Legislative Code §310.05 (m) (2), the licensing office will also recommend a \$500.00 matrix penalty for failure to submit the required information in order to maintain your license.

At this time, you have three options on how to proceed:

1. You can pay the delinquent license and late fees and submit the requested information. If this is your choice, you should send the payment and information directly to the Department of Safety and Inspections, at 375 Jackson Street, Ste. 220, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806 no later than **Monday**, **April 9**, **2012**. Information should be directed to the attention of Christine Rozek. A self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience. Payment of the delinquent license and late fees and submission of the requested information will be considered to be a waiver of the hearing to which you are entitled.

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- 2. If you wish to admit the facts but contest the penalty, you may have a public hearing before the Saint Paul City Council. You will need to send me a letter with a statement admitting the facts and requesting a public hearing no later than Monday, April 9, 2012. The matter will then be scheduled before the City Council for a public hearing to determine whether to suspend your license and impose the \$500.00 matrix penalty. You will have an opportunity to appear before the Council and make a statement on your own behalf.
- 3. If you no longer wish to do business in the City of Saint Paul, you will need to send a written statement to that effect to the Department of Safety and Inspections, at 375 Jackson Street, Ste. 220, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806 no later than Monday, April 9, 2012. Information should be directed to the attention of Christine Rozek.

If you have not contacted me by Monday, April 9, 2012, I will assume that you do not contest the suspension of your license and imposition of the \$500.00 matrix penalty. In that case, the matter will be placed on the City Council Consent Agenda for approval of the recommended penalty.

If you have questions about these options, please feel free to contact me at 266-8710.

Sincerely,

Meghan Kisch

Assistant City Attorney

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Christine Rozek, Deputy Director of DSI James Marcotte, 8237 – 80th Street North, Stillwater, MN 55082

AFFIDAVIT OF SURVICE BY U.S. MAIL

COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

Julie Kraus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the day of March she served the attached the **NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUSPEND LICENSE** and correct copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

James Marcotte Rivertown Theatre, LLC 627 Smith Avenue South St. Paul, MN 55107

James Marcotte 8237 – 80th Street North Stillwater, MN 55082

(which is the last known address of said person) depositing the same, with postage prepaid, in the United States mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.

Julie Kraus

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 2972 day of March, 2012

Notary Public

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NOTARY PUBLIC - MINNESOTA MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JAN 31 2000