



CITY OF SAINT PAUL

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Sound Level Variance

Visit Saint Paul – NCAA Frozen Four Fan Fest

Dear St. Paul Property Owner:

This is to inform you of a request for a variance from the sound level limitations as indicated in the St. Paul Noise Ordinance (Chapter 293 of the St. Paul Legislative Code). Property owned by you and located near the noise source, may be affected by this variance request. Rental property owners must provide a copy of this notice to all renters or post a copy in a common area of the building so it can be viewed by the occupants.

Description of Variance:

Location: Parking lot at Cleveland Circle, 7th St W and 5th St W

Noise Sources: Visit Saint Paul, National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), has applied for a sound level variance in order to provide live, amplified music, using electronically powered equipment, in the parking lot of Cleveland Circle, with a sound level limit of 90 dBA at 50 feet on Thursday, April 5 from 2:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday, April 7, 2018 from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The Department of Safety and Inspections is recommending: 1) The variance shall be for the hours of 2:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 5, with pre-event sound check at 2:00 p.m., and 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 7, 2018, with a pre-event sound check at 2:30 p.m. 2) All electronically powered equipment used in conjunction with the event shall not exceed 90 dBA as measured at 50 feet on Thursday, April 5 and Saturday, April 7, 2018. 3) The applicant will provide personnel and equipment to ensure compliance with the sound level variance conditions. 4) All electronically powered equipment, PA systems, loudspeakers or similar devices must be turned off no later than 8:30 p.m. on April 5 and 7:00 p.m. on April 7, 2018.

A public hearing before the City Council on this variance request will be held on:

Date: Wednesday, March 21, 2018

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Location: 3rd floor, City Hall Council Chambers

If you attend the public hearing, you will be given the opportunity to present verbal comments or objections before the City Council. If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may within fifteen (15) days of the mailing date on this notice, submit written comments or objections with the City of St. Paul, Department of Safety and Inspections, 375 Jackson Street, Suite 220, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806, attention Barb McMonigal-St. Dennis or by email to barb.mcmonigal-st.dennis@ci.stpaul.mn.us. Written comments or objections must be received on or before Tuesday, March 20, 2018.