



# APPLICATION FOR APPEAL

**Saint Paul City Clerk**

310 City Hall, 15 W. Kellogg Blvd.

Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102

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CITY CLERK

The City Clerk needs the following to process your appeal:

- \$25 filing fee payable to the City of Saint Paul (if cash: receipt number \_\_\_\_\_)
- Copy of the City-issued orders or letter which are being appealed
- Attachments you may wish to include
- This appeal form completed
- Walk-In OR  Mail-In

**YOUR HEARING Date and Time:**

Tuesday, 6-19-12

Time 1:30 P.M.

**Location of Hearing:**

Room 330 City Hall/Courthouse

## Address Being Appealed:

Number & Street: 645 Gutzian St. City: St. Paul State: MN Zip: 55106

Appellant/Applicant: Hong Yang Email jackyang80@gmail.com

Phone Numbers: Business \_\_\_\_\_ Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Cell 651-253-3686

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 6/1/12

Name of Owner (if other than Appellant): \_\_\_\_\_

Address (if not Appellant's): <sup>(mailing Address)</sup> 6144 Homestead Ave S. Cottage Grove MN 55016

Phone Numbers: Business \_\_\_\_\_ Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Cell 651-253-3686

## What Is Being Appealed and Why? *Attachments Are Acceptable*

- Vacate Order/Condemnation/Revocation of Fire C of O
- Summary/Vehicle Abatement
- Fire C of O Deficiency List
- Fire C of O: Only Egress Windows
- Code Enforcement Correction Notice
- Vacant Building Registration
- Other

Deficiency #1 - window in the west bedroom on the 2nd floor measured H 21.5 m, W 27 in. Glazed Area: H 49 m, W 23.5 m.

The code requirement for the window is H 24 m, W 20 m. I'm appealing for the variance on this window side. Thank you!



CITY OF SAINT PAUL  
Christopher B. Coleman, Mayor

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May 10, 2012

HONG JIE YANG  
6144 HOMESTEAD AVE S  
COTTAGE GROVE MN 55016-4132

### FIRE INSPECTION CORRECTION NOTICE

RE: 645 GOTZIAN ST  
Ref. #115724  
Residential Class: C

Dear Property Representative:

Your building was inspected on May 10, 2012 for the renewal of your Fire Certificate of Occupancy. Approval for occupancy will be granted upon compliance with the following deficiency list. The items on the list must be corrected prior to the re-inspection date.

**A re-inspection will be made on June 8, 2012 at 10:00 am.**

Failure to comply may result in a criminal citation or the revocation of the Fire Certificate of Occupancy. The Saint Paul Legislative Code requires that no building shall be occupied without a Fire Certificate of Occupancy. The code also provides for the assessment of additional re-inspection fees.

**YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTIFYING TENANTS IF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING LIST OF DEFICIENCIES ARE THEIR RESPONSIBILITY.**

#### DEFICIENCY LIST

1. 2nd Floor - West bedroom - MSFC1026.1 - Provide and maintain an approved escape window from each sleeping room. The minimum size must be 5 square feet of glazed area with a minimum of 24 inches of openable height and 20 inches of openable width. With a finished sill height not more than 48 inches. This work may require permit(s). Call DSI at (651)- 266-9090. Refer to the Escape Windows for Residential Occupancies handout for more information.-Double hung window opening.  
H 21.5 in. - W 27 in.  
Glazed area.  
H 49 in. - W 23.5

2. 2nd Floor - SPLC 34.12 (2), 34.35 (1) - Repair and maintain all required and supplied equipment in an operative and safe condition.-1 Smoke detector not working, Hard wire smoke detector hanging from ceiling.
3. 2nd Floor - MN State Statute 299F.50 Immediately provide and maintain an approved Carbon Monoxide Alarm in a location within ten (10) feet of each sleeping area. Installation shall be in accordance with manufacturers instructions.
4. Basement - UMC 504.6 - Provide, repair or replace the dryer exhaust duct. Exhaust ducts for domestic clothes dryers shall be constructed of metal and shall have a smooth interior finish. The exhaust duct shall be a minimum nominal size of four inches (102 mm) in diameter. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-8989.-REQUIRES LICENSED CONTRACTOR WITH PERMIT AND REINSPECTION BY WARM AIR / VENT INSPECTOR. CALL GARY 266-9064
5. Basement stairs - SPLC 34.12 (2), 34.35 (1) - Repair and maintain all required and supplied equipment in an operative and safe condition.-Smoke detector not working.
6. Basement stairs - SPLC 34.09 (2) 34.32 (2) - Provide an approved guardrail with intermediate balustrade or rails 4 inches or less apart. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-9090.
7. By front door. - SPLC 34.10 (7), 34.33 (6) - Repair and maintain the walls in an approved manner.-Patch the holes and/or cracks in the walls. Paint the wall.
8. Thru-out - SPLC 34.09 (3), 34.32 (3) - Provide or repair and maintain the window screen.
9. SPLC 34.11 (6), 34.34 (3) - Provide service of heating facility by a licensed contractor which must include a carbon monoxide test. Submit a completed copy of the Saint Paul Fire Marshal's Existing Fuel Burning Equipment Safety Test Report to this office.- FURNACE INSTALLED WITHOUT PERMIT MUST GET PERMIT AND HAVE MECHANICAL INSPECTOR APPROVE INSTALLATION.
10. SPLC 39.02(c) - Complete and sign the smoke detector affidavit and return it to this office.

Saint Paul Legislative Code authorizes this inspection and collection of inspection fees. For forms, fee schedule, inspection handouts, or information on some of the violations contained in this report, please visit our web page at: <http://www.stpaul.gov/cofo>

You have the right to appeal these orders to the Legislative Hearing Officer. Applications for appeals may be obtained at the Office of the City Clerk, 310 City Hall, City/County Courthouse, 15 W Kellogg Blvd, Saint Paul MN 55102 Phone: (651-266-8688) and must be filed within 10 days of the date of this order.

If you have any questions, email me at: [mike.cassidy@ci.stpaul.mn.us](mailto:mike.cassidy@ci.stpaul.mn.us) or call me at 651-266-8984 between 7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Please help to make Saint Paul a safer place in which to live and work.

Sincerely,

Mike Cassidy  
Fire Inspector

Reference Number 115724