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**To:** [Dan Dodge](#); [Greg Weiner](#)  
**Subject:** Fwd: Please vote NO on gun storage ordinance  
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Greg - can you add this to the public record please?

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**Subject:** Please vote NO on gun storage ordinance

**Think Before You Click:** This email originated **outside** our organization.

Mayor Carter, Councilmember Balenger, and City Council,

I am writing to ask you to please vote NO on the gun storage ordinance.

I am concerned about the financial fallout of this law, particularly the amount of legal fees the city will need to pay to fight deep-pocketed special interest groups in order to defend this ordinance in court.

As I understand the ordinance, it seems very hard to enforce, and I don't see any consequences for non-compliance. So the upside of the ordinance, though well-intended, is hard to achieve.

But the downside of the ordinance seems imminent: St Paul is going to spend a fortune in tax dollars on lawyers fees to fight for this ordinance against nationally funded pro-2A groups. I would rather those tax dollars go to help fund SPPS, SPPD, community centers, roads, and parks.

Please vote NO on the gun storage ordinance.

Thank you,

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