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Steve Heckler, Director HSR Events PO Box 8162 St. Paul, MN 55108

Dear Mr. Heckler:

This is to confirm that our office has received your application for a variance from the city's noise ordinance and that it is being processed.

The Department of Safety and Inspections has recommended that a variance be issued to allow you to provide amplified sound for a music festival from 12:00 noon until 10:00 p.m. during the Festa Italiana on September 21 & 22, 2012 on Harriet Island.

A public hearing on your request for a variance has been scheduled for **August 1, 2012**, **5:30 p.m.**, Third Floor, City Council Chambers, at the Saint Paul City Hall/Ramsey County Courthouse, 15 Kellogg Boulevard W., Saint Paul, Minnesota.

You may wish to be present at this hearing to answer any questions that the City Council might have. After the public hearing, the Council may grant, deny, or modify the variance request.

If you have any questions, you can reach Mark Kaisersatt, Environmental Health Specialist, at 651-266-1908, or e-mail him at Mark.Kaisersatt@ci.stpaul.mn.us

Sincerely,

Natasha Murphy

Department of Safety & Inspections

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