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Saint Paul City Councilmembers
15 Kellogg Blvd W
Saint Paul, MN 55102

Re: Support of Ordinance 17-60

Dear Councilmembers,

I am writing to urge you to support of City Ordinance 17-60 and the Saint Paul Overlay. As a resident and taxpayer of St Paul, I am concerned about the sustainability of our communities - in particular the environmental, health, and economic impact of our infrastructure. St Paul can pave the way for citizens by setting a stellar example in this area.

In addition, green buildings have been shown to require far less resources to operate, which should save money and be a boon to the city. Hopefully, this will translate into decreased taxes and fewer assessments...though I would be satisfied to hear that these savings are used to offset increases elsewhere in the budget.

Please use this opportunity to demonstrate your commitment to our shared future and fiscal foresight.

Sincerely,

Steve Pincuspy