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Councilman Stark,

I was originally planning to attend the Council meeting tonight in person, but am now unable to do so. But I wanted to voice my opinion in support of the stadium and related development efforts in the Midway. While I realize that there are costs to the city involved, I think this is a rare opportunity to invest a smaller amount of city funds in combination with a large private investment and end up with a significant improvement to this area of the city. I am also a soccer fan and excited about the prospect of Minnesota United playing in a new stadium in Saint Paul, but more importantly I think this project will be an overall benefit to the city.

Thanks,  
Steve King  
5xx Pelham Blvd