

City of Saint Paul

Meeting Agenda

City Council

Council President Amy Brendmoen
Councilmember Mitra Jalali
Councilmember Rebecca Noecker
Councilmember Jane L. Prince
Councilmember Dai Thao
Councilmember Chris Tolbert
Councilmember Nelsie Yang

City Hall and Court House 15 West Kellogg Boulevard Council Chambers - 3rd Floor 651-266-8560

Wednesday, May 27, 2020

3:30 PM

Council Chambers - 3rd Floor

All public hearings at 3:30 p.m.

Please see below for new meeting guidelines due to the COVID-19 health pandemic emergency.

ROLL CALL

CONSENT AGENDA

Items listed under the Consent Agenda will be enacted by one motion with no separate discussion. If discussion on an item is desired, the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda for separate consideration.

1 RES 20-770 Authorizing the Fire Department to accept the donation of a \$100 gift card to Shamrocks from an anonymous donor.

Sponsors: Brendmoen

Approving the Memorandums of Agreement between the City of Saint Paul and the North Central States Regional Council of Carpenters for 2019

Wage Corrections to the Building Inspector and Senior Building Inspector classifications in the May 1, 2019 - April 30, 2022 Labor Agreement.

Sponsors: Brendmoen

Attachments: Carpenters MOA 2019 Wage Rate Correction

Carpenters MOA 2019 Wage Rate Correction Detail

3 RES 20-742 Establishing the rate of pay for the new classification of Plan Review Examiner III in EG 02, AFSCME Technical, Grade 045.

Sponsors: Brendmoen

Attachments: Plan Review Exam III Financial Analysis

4	RES 20-744	Changing the rate of pay for the Health Information Administrator classification.
		<u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
		Attachments: H Info Admin Financial Analysis
5	RES 20-787	Approving the Memorandum of Agreement for the 2020 Wage and Fringe Adjustment for the International Union of Painters and Allied Trades District Council #82. (To be laid over one week for adoption) <u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
		Attachments: Painter 2020 MOA Wage & Fringe Adjustment
6	RES 20-785	Approving the Mayor's reappointment of Jeanette Sobania to the Civil Service Commission.
		<u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
7	RES 20-786	Approving the Mayor's reappointment of Karen Reid to two-year term on the Lower Mississippi River Watershed Management Organization. <u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
8	RES 20-792	Approving the Mayor's reappointment of William Carter III to the Civil Service Commission. <u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
FOR DISCUSSION		
9	SR 20-46	Staff report from the Administration.

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Sponsors: Brendmoen

RES 20-801 Requesting the Administration to work collaboratively with City Council to 10

create an expedited path allowing for bars and restaurants to add additional outdoor dining spaces in accordance with state guidelines.

Sponsors: Noecker, Prince, Brendmoen and Yang

Attachments: CRC email

Comment rec'd by Council

ORDINANCES

An ordinance is a city law enacted by the City Council. It is read at four separate council meetings and becomes effective after passage by the Council and 30 days after publication in the Saint Paul Legal Ledger. Public hearings on ordinances are held at the third reading.

Second Reading

11 Ord 20-15 Creating Chapter 190 of the Saint Paul Legislative Code entitled "Prohibition of Conversion Therapy Directed to Minors."

Sponsors: Brendmoen, Jalali, Thao, Noecker, Tolbert, Yang and Prince

SUSPENSION ITEMS

RES 20-816 Approving the use of grant funds through the Neighborhood STAR Year-Round Program for Safe City Inc. and the District 7 Frogtown Neighborhood Association.

Sponsors: Thao

<u>Attachments:</u> 4-17-20 STAR Board YR Recommendations

RES 20-815 Approving the use of grant funds through the Neighborhood STAR Year-Round Program for Big River Pizza.

Sponsors: Noecker

RES 20-812 Approving the use of grant funds through the Neighborhood STAR

Year-Round Program for the District 6 Planning Council.

Sponsors: Brendmoen

LEGISLATIVE HEARING ITEMS

12	RLH TA 20-237	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 335 ARBOR STREET. (File No. CG2001B1, Assessment No. 200104) <u>Sponsors:</u> Noecker <u>Attachments:</u> 335 Arbor Street. FW 335 ARBOR STREET Q4 2019 Assessment Error.4-7-202
13	RLH TA 20-274	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 503 ARLINGTON AVENUE EAST. (File No. CG2001B3, Assessment No. 200106) Sponsors: Brendmoen Attachments: 503 Arlington Avenue East. RE FW 503 ARLINGTON AVENUE EAST Q4 2019
14	RLH TA 20-190	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 984 ARMSTRONG AVENUE. (File No. CG2001B1, Assessment No. 200104) <u>Sponsors:</u> Noecker
15	RLH TA 20-188	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 143 BAKER STREET WEST. (File No. CG2001A3, Assessment No. 200102) <u>Sponsors:</u> Noecker <u>Attachments:</u> 143 Baker.previous appeal.10-24-19 143 Baker St.Zimny- Botz emails.5-6-20
16	RLH TA 20-225	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 108 CLEVELAND AVENUE SOUTH, UNIT 4. (File No. CG2001A2, Assessment No. 200101) Sponsors: Tolbert

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Attachments: 108 Cleveland Ave S.chain emails.4-1-20.pdf

17 18	RLH TA 20-220 RLH TA 20-224	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1145 DALE STREET NORTH. (File No. CG2001C3, Assessment No. 200110) Sponsors: Brendmoen Attachments: 1145 Dale Street North. RE 1145 Dale St N Q4 2019 Assessment Error.3-20-20 Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 48 DELOS STREET WEST. (File No. CG2001A3, Assessment No. 200102) Sponsors: Noecker Attachments: 48 Delos Street West.RE 48 Delos Street West Q4 2019 Assessment Error.3-30
		48 Delos St.chain emails.4-1-20.pdf
19	RLH TA 20-198	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 644 DAYTON AVENUE. (File No. CG2001A1, Assessment No. 200100)
		Sponsors: Thao
		Attachments: 644 Dayton Avenue. Bill Oct-Dec 2019.3-9-2020
		644 Dayton Avenue. RE 644 Dayton Ave E Q4 2019 Assessment Error.3-11-20
		644 Dayton Avenue. Trash Payment Oct-Dec 2019.3-09-2020
20	RLH TA 20-276	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1003 ENGLEWOOD AVENUE. (File No. CG2001C3, Assessment No. 200110)
		Sponsors: Thao
		Attachments: 1003 Englewood Avenue Avenue. RE 1003 Englewoos Ave Q4 2019 Assessme
21	RLH TA	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1223
	<u>20-236</u>	FARRINGTON STREET. (File No. CG2001C2, Assessment No. 200109)
		<u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
		Attachments: 1223 Farrington Street. Notice of No Acceptance.4-4-2020
22	RLH VO 20-16	Appeal of Lorn Ross McDowell to a Correction Notice-Reinspection Complaint (which includes condemnation) at 588 FOREST STREET. Sponsors: Prince Attachments: 588 Forest St.appeal.5-4-20
		588 Forest St.McDowell Ltr.5-15-20
		300 T Orest attiviceDowell Ett.3-13-20
23	RLH TA 20-221	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1140 GALTIER STREET. (File No. CG2001C2, Assessment No. 200109)
		Sponsors: Brendmoen
24	RLH TA 20-296	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 302 GOODHUE STREET. (File No. CG2001A1, Assessment No. 200102)
		Sponsors: Noecker
		Attachments: 302 Goodhue Street. FW 302 GOODHUE STREET Q4 2019 Assessment Error.

25	RLH TA 20-227	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 712 HAGUE AVENUE. (File No. CG2001A1, Assessment No. 200100)
		Sponsors: Thao
		Attachments: 712 Hague Ave.chain emails.4-2-20.pdf
		712 Hague Ave.Billing.4-2-20.pdf
26	RLH TA 20-207	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1059 HAGUE AVENUE. (File No. CG2001A1, Assessment No. 200100) <u>Sponsors:</u> Thao <u>Attachments:</u> 1059 Hague Avenue.Cart Photo.2-04-2020
		1059 Hague Avenue.Duplicate Bill for 1061 Hague Avenue.2-25-2020
		1059 Hague Avenue.FW 1059 Hague Avenue Q4 Assessment Error.3-6-2020
27	RLH TA 20-206	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 473 HOWELL STREET SOUTH. (File No. CG2001B1, Assessment No. 200104)
		<u>Sponsors:</u> Tolbert
		Attachments: 473 Howell Street South.FW Two Certification Issues.03-03-2020
28	RLH TA 20-191	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 908 LAUREL AVENUE. (File No. CG2001A2, Assessment No. 200101)
		Sponsors: Thao
		Attachments: 908 Laurel Avenue. 908 LAUREL AVENUE - Q4 Assessment Error
		908 Laurel Ave.email.4-8-20.pdf
29	RLH TA 20-193	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1244 LINCOLN AVENUE. (File No. CG2001A2, Assessment No. 200101) <u>Sponsors:</u> Tolbert <u>Attachments:</u> 1244 Lincoln Avenue. FW Rick Stout 1244 Lincoln Ave St Paul.3-17-2020 1244 Lincoln Avenue. FW 1244 Lincoln Ave Q4 Assessment Error.3-17-2020
30	RLH TA 20-202	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1378 LINCOLN AVENUE. (File No. CG2001A2, Assessment No. 200101)
		Sponsors: Tolbert
		Attachments: 1378 Lincoln Avenue. Q4 Bills.3-4-2020
		1378 Lincoln Avenue. Change in Contact Information. 3-4-2020
		1378 Lincoln Avenue.Temporary Service Hold Applicant.3-4-2020
31	RLH TA 20-218	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 786 MANOMIN AVENUE. (File No. CG2001A3, Assessment No. 200102)
		Sponsors: Noecker
		Attachments: 786 Manomin Avenue. RE Remove Q4 Pending Assessment 786 Manomin.3-2

32	RLH TA 20-196	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 385 MARYLAND AVENUE EAST. (File No. CG2001B3, Assessment No. 200106)
		Sponsors: Brendmoen
		Attachments: 385 Maryland Avenue East.RE Parcel #202922330163 385 Maryland Ave E.3-1
		385 Maryland Ave E.Johnson Ltr.4-14-20
33	RLH TA 20-256	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 93 MILTON STREET NORTH. (File No. CG2001A2, Assessment No. 200101)
		Sponsors: Thao
		Attachments: 93 Milton Avenue North. RE Republic Services retroactive invoices received.4-1
		93&99 Milton St N.Lein Email & Republic Letter&Invoice.4-16-20.pdf
34	RLH TA 20-255	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 99 MILTON STREET NORTH UNIT 1. (File No. CG2001A2, Assessment No. 200101)
		Sponsors: Thao
		Attachments: 99 Milton Avenue North Unit 1.RE Republic Services retroactive invoices receive
		93&99 Milton St N.Lein Email & Republic Letter&Invoice.4-16-20.pdf
35	RLH TA 20-213	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 542 OHIO STREET. (File No. CG2001A3, Assessment No. 200102)
		Sponsors: Noecker
		Attachments: 542 Ohio St.Notice of Non-Payment.3-25-2020
		542 Ohio Street. FW Mr. Carlson Concilliation Court.3-25-2020
		542 Ohio Street. RE 542 Ohio.3-25-2020
		542 Ohio St.chain emails.4-2-20.pdf
		542 Ohio St.chain email followup.4-2-20.pdf
		542 Ohio St.chain emails.4-6-20.pdf
		542 Ohio RUBBISH TESTIMONY
		542 Ohio Rubbish Non Service

36	RLH TA 20-214	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 542 OHIO STREET. (File No. CG1904A3-1, Assessment No. 190167)
		<u>Sponsors:</u> Noecker
		Attachments: 542 Ohio St.Notice of Non-Payment.3-25-2020
		542 Ohio Street. FW Mr. Carlson Concilliation Court.3-25-2020
		542 Ohio St.chain emails.4-2-20.pdf
		542 Ohio St.chain email followup.4-2-20.pdf
		542 Ohio St.chain emails.4-6-20.pdf
		542 Ohio RUBBISH TESTIMONY
		542 Ohio Rubbish Non Service
37	RLH TA 20-215	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 197 SIDNEY STREET WEST. (File No. CG2001A3, Assessment No. 200102) <u>Sponsors:</u> Noecker <u>Attachments:</u> 197 Sidney Street West. RE Assessment Sidney St W.3-30-2020 197 Sidney St W.Pillsbury-Owner email.3-30-20.pdf
38	RLH TA 20-212	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 331 SIDNEY STREET WEST. (File No. CG2001A3, Assessment No. 200102) (Amend to delete) <u>Sponsors:</u> Noecker <u>Attachments:</u> 331 Sidney Street West.FW 331 Sidney Street West Q4 2019 Assessment Error
39	RLH TA 20-238	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1347 SIMPSON STREET. (File No. CG2001B4, Assessment No. 200107) <u>Sponsors:</u> Jalali <u>Attachments:</u> 1347 Simpson Street. Assessment Payment St. Paul 1347 Simpson St. Garbai

40	RLH RR 20-22	Ordering the rehabilitation or razing and removal of the structures at 678 SNELLING AVENUE NORTH within fifteen (15) days after the May 27, 2020 City Council public hearing. (To be referred back to Legislative Hearing on June 23)
		<u>Sponsors:</u> Jalali
		Attachments: 678 Snelling Ave N.OTA 2-12-20
		678 Snelling Ave N.PH 3-20-20
		678 Snelling Ave N.SHPO 3-12-20
		678 Snelling Ave N.Photos 10-5-16
		678 Snelling Ave N.Photos #1.2-6-20
		678 Snelling Ave N.Photos #2.2-6-20
		678 Snelling Ave N.chain email.4-24-20.pdf
		678 Snelling Ave N.Malanga Ltr.5-1-20
		678 Snelling Ave N.Malanga Ltr.5-15-20
		678 Snelling Ave N.Malanga revised Ltr.5-15-20
		678 Snelling Ave N.Steen Zimny emails.5-15-20
		678 Snelling Ave N.Team Inspection Report 5-27-20.pdf
41	RLH TA 20-235	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 2085 STILLWATER AVENUE. (File No. CG2001C3, Assessment No. 200110) <u>Sponsors:</u> Yang <u>Attachments:</u> 2085 Stillwater Avenue. RE 2085 Stillwater Ave Hauler Assessment Inquiry.4-7-
42	RLH TA 20-208	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1003 SUMMIT AVENUE. (File No. CG2001A1, Assessment No. 200100)
	<u> 20 200</u>	<u>Sponsors:</u> Thao
		Attachments: 1003 Summit Avenue.FW 1003 Summit Ave Q3 Assessment Error.3-11-2020
43	RLH TA 20-187	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 1641 THOMAS AVENUE. (File No. CG1904E1, Assessment No. 190160) <u>Sponsors:</u> Jalali
		Attachments: 1641 Thomas Avenue.FW 1641 Thomas Ave.Q3 Assessment Error.3-20-2020
		1641 Thomas Avenue.Payment dates for garbage disposal.3-19-2020
44	RLH VBR 20-31	Appeal of Chris Greene, RD Management LLC, to a Vacant Building Registration Fee Warning Letter at 1400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE WEST. <u>Sponsors:</u> Thao
		Attachments: 1400 University Ave W.appeal.5-4-20
		1400 University Ave W.Revocation Notice.2-20-19.pdf
		1400 University Ave W.STAMP inquiry.5-11-20.pdf

1400 University Ave.Greene Ltr.5-15-20

RLH TA 20-277	Ratifying the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 462 WARWICK STREET. (File No. CG2001B1, Assessment No. 200104)
	Sponsors: Tolbert
	Attachments: 462 Warwick Street. RE FW 462 Warwick Street Q4 2019 Assessment Error.4-2
	462 Warwick Street. Building Permit.4-20-2020
RLH TA 20-216	Deleting the Appealed Special Tax Assessment for property at 799 WATSON AVENUE. (File No. CG2001B2, Assessment No. 200105) Sponsors: Noecker
	Attachments: 799 Watson Avenue. RE 799 Watson Ave Q4 2019 Assessment Error.3-30-202
RLH AR 20-54	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001A1, Assessment No. 200100)
	<u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
	Attachments: Assessment Roll CG2001A1
<u>RLH AR</u> <u>20-55</u>	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001A2, Assessment No. 200101)
	<u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
	Attachments: Assessment Roll CG2001A2
RLH AR 20-56	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001A3, Assessment No. 200102) <u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
	Attachments: Assessment Roll CG2001A3
RLH AR 20-57	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001A4, Assessment No. 200103)
	<u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen
	Attachments: Assessment Roll CG2001A4
<u>RLH AR</u> <u>20-58</u>	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001B1, Assessment No. 200104)
	Sponsors: Brendmoen
	20-277 RLH TA 20-216 RLH AR 20-54 RLH AR 20-55 RLH AR 20-56 RLH AR 20-57

Attachments: Assessment Roll CG2001B1

52	RLH AR 20-59	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001B2, Assessment No. 200105) <u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen <u>Attachments:</u> Assessment Roll CG2001B2
53	RLH AR 20-66	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001B3, Assessment No. 200106) Sponsors: Brendmoen Attachments: Assessment Roll CG2001B3
54	<u>RLH AR</u> <u>20-67</u>	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001B4, Assessment No. 200107) Sponsors: Brendmoen Attachments: Assessment Roll CG2001B4
55	RLH AR 20-68	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001C1, Assessment No. 200108) Sponsors: Brendmoen Attachments: Assessment Roll CG2001C1
56	RLH AR 20-69	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001C2, Assessment No. 200109) <u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen <u>Attachments:</u> Assessment Roll CG2001C2
57	<u>RLH AR</u> <u>20-70</u>	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001C3, Assessment No. 200110) Sponsors: Brendmoen Attachments: Assessment Roll CG2001C3
58	<u>RLH AR</u> <u>20-71</u>	Ratifying the assessment for the City's cost of providing Collection of Delinquent Garbage Bills for services during October to December 2019. (File No. CG2001C4, Assessment No. 200111) <u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen <u>Attachments:</u> Assessment Roll CG2001C4

PUBLIC HEARINGS

59	RES PH 20-128	Authorizing an increase in the Department of Parks and Recreation Grant Fund Budget in the amount of \$12,000 to reflect grant funding received from the National League of Cities (NLC), through its Institute for Youth, Education and Families, and Children & Nature Network (C&NN) Cities Connecting Children to Nature Catalytic Assistance grant, and authorizing the proper City Officials to enter into a grant agreement. Sponsors: Brendmoen Attachments: CCCN Catalytic Assistance Agree Asha May'20
		CCCN Grant FS Sheet \$12K
60	RES PH 20-124	Amending the 2019 Capital Improvement Budget in the amount of \$40,000 to accept additional financing from the Sanneh Foundation to fund City staff time for project supervision for the renovation of field space at the Conway Recreation Center. <u>Sponsors:</u> Prince
		Attachments: Conway-Sanneh Contribution \$40K
61	RES PH 20-107	Authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with the Metropolitan Council for Intersection Improvements at Kellogg and Wacouta and amending the financing and spending plans in the Department of Public Works Capital Budget to establish the project budget. Sponsors: Noecker Attachments: Met Council CCA 191064 Kellogg & Wacouta RES PH 20-107 Kellogg Wacouta Signal
62	RES PH 20-103	Amending the spending budget for the Public Works Grant Fund related to the 2020 Ramsey County SCORE Incentive Grant. Sponsors: Brendmoen Attachments: Financial Analsis Res PH 20-103
63	RES PH 20-136	Authorizing the Department of Public Works to apply for and, if awarded, accept funds from the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency for the Prevention of Wasted Food and Food Rescue in an amount of up to \$75,000 for budget and program year 2020. Sponsors: Brendmoen
64	RES PH 20-116	Amending the financing and spending plans in the Department of Public Works Capital Budget by transferring \$70,000 in revenues into the 2020 Gold Line Bus Rapid Transit Lighting Design Project. <u>Sponsors:</u> Brendmoen <u>Attachments:</u> RES PH 20-116 Gold Line BRT

65 <u>ABZA 20-2</u>

Public hearing to consider the appeal of Lucas Wiborg to a decision of the Board of Zoning Appeals to deny three variances for density, off-street parking, and side yard setback at 1769 Grand Ave.

Sponsors: Tolbert

Attachments: Appeal Application - 1769 Grand Ave vf

1769 Grand Variance App packet 03.30.20

1769 Grand Ave Site Plan

1769 Grand Ave Elevations

1769 Grand Ave Floor Plans

1769 Grand Ave Staff Report

1769 Grand Ave Resolution

General and Hearing Minutes

Correspondence From Neighbors

1769 Grand Ave GIS Map

Dist. 15 Support Letter

1769 Grand Ave BZA Presentation

1769 Grand Ave Hearing Notice

Correspondence rec'd by Council

ADJOURNMENT

In-person meetings, or meetings conducted under Minn. Stat. § 13D.02 of the City Council, are not practical or prudent because of the COVID-19 health pandemic emergency declared under Minn. Stat. Chapter 12 by the Minnesota Governor Tim Walz and Saint Paul Mayor Melvin Carter. In light of the COVID-19 health pandemic, members of the City Council will participate in City Council meetings by telephone or other electronic means.

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The public may comment on public hearing items in writing or via voicemail. Any comments and materials submitted by 12:00 pm of the day before the meeting will be attached to the public record and available for review by the City Council. Comments may be submitted as follows:

Written public comment on public hearing items can be submitted to Contact-Council@ci.stpaul.mn.us, CouncilHearing@ci.stpaul.mn.us, or by voicemail at 651-266-6805.

While the Council will make best efforts to decide all issues before them, the Council may delay decisions on certain matters where the members believe meeting in-person is necessary. All City Council public hearings will be held at 3:30 p.m. and there will be no separate 5:30 p.m. public hearings. More information is available at www.stpaul.gov/departments/city-council

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