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I have lived in the neighborhood at 1668 Charles Avenue for 20 years. When we bought our house the CVS site was a vacant lot. We were glad when the CVS was built, but the decline has been very depressing and maddening. Our neighborhood has seen so much investment and numerous improvements we are proud of (YMCA, Hamline Student Center, A-line bus, light rail, stadium, etc.). There is so much beauty and so much potential, and we are suffering from neglect at the intersection and the COMPLETE LACK of CURBS on nearby streets. Fry and Aldine streets have boulevards which have eroded so much that cars are parking right next to the sidewalks. We see the Loons fans walk to the stadium from our street and I want to feel proud of our neighborhood (and I do) but I also feel embarrassed. The neglect is shameful.
We need a well-kept and safe neighborhood. I support the blank slate! And I ask for more city support to keep the intersection clean and safe!
We need ACTION!

Jenna Johnson

For a happy life you need three things: someone to love, something to do, something to look forward to.