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September 16, 2013

Russell Klein/Owner of Meritage 410 St. Peter Street Saint Paul MN 55102

Dear Mr. Klein:

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 live music from 12:00 noon to 8:00 p.m. during the Meritage Oysterfest on October 13, 2013 in the street in front of Meritage Restaurant at 410 St. Peter between 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets.

A public hearing on your request for a variance has been scheduled for **October 2, 2013**, **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 Barb McMonigal-St. Dennis, Environmental Health Specialist, at 651-266-1937, or e-mail her at barb.mcmonigalst.dennis@ci.stpaul.mn.us

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Sincerely,

Natasha Howard

Department of Safety & Inspections