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December 13, 2013

Nate Iverson Veit and Company Inc. 14000 Veit Place Rogers, MN 55374

Dear Mr. Iverson:

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.

Veit and Company Inc. has requested a variance from the sound level limitations in Chapter 293.07 in order to allow pile driving of beams for retaining wall shoring. The request is from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. between February 24, 2014 and March 28, 2014. It is expected that the pile driving will be completed in a total of 2 to 6 days. To reduce the impact on nearby residents, DSI is recommending the following conditions. That the variance be approved for up to six (6) pile driving work periods of 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. between February 24, 2014 and March 28, 2014 and no pile driving on Saturdays and Sundays. Veit and Company Inc. will also notify residents, property owners and businesses 48 hours before any pile driving.

A public hearing on your request for a variance has been scheduled for **Thursday**, **January 2**, **2014**, **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 651-266-9137, or e-mail her at barb.mcmonigal-st.dennis@ci.stpaul.mn.us.

Sincerely,

Vicki Sheffer Department of Safety & Inspections