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September 11, 2014

Homestead Properties Attn: Matt Hanish 525 15<sup>th</sup> Ave. S. Hopkins MN 55343 Loucks Associates Attn: Richard Licht 7200 Hemlock Lane Suite 300 Maple Grove, MN 55369

RE: Zoning File # 114-307-093 Pleasant Ridge

Dear Matt Hanish:

On July 8, 2014, you submitted an application for a Combined Plat for Pleasant Ridge to create eight (8) residential parcels (zoned R2) at 0 Pleasant Avenue (South of 292-318 Irvine Avenue). City staff have reviewed the plat and have identified the following issues:

Department of Public Works (contact is Colleen Paavola, 266-6104):

No issues or concerns.

**PED Zoning:** No issues or concerns

Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) (contact is 651-266-9088):

No issues or concerns

**Fire Prevention Division (contact is Angie Wiese, 651-266-6287):** No issues or concerns.

Saint Paul Regional Water Services (contact is Dave Marruffo, 651-266-6813): No issues or concerns.

**Division of Parks and Recreation (contact is Mike Kimble, 651-266-6417):** §69.511 requires the dedication of land for parks or cash in lieu of land at the time of platting. Parks and Recreation will recommend that the City Council accept a cash dedication of **\$1,166.00** be accepted in lieu of land. Based on these comments, staff approves the combined plat subject to the following condition(s):

- 1. That only single-family homes may be built on the lots.
- 2. That a parkland dedication fee-in-lieu of land shall be paid prior to the city clerk signing the final plat.
- 3. The applicant shall file a copy of the Council Resolution approving the plat with the Ramsey County Recorder's Office.

A public hearing will be scheduled before the City Council for Wednesday, October 1, 2014 at 5:30 p.m. If you have further questions, please contact me at 651-266-6618 or by e-mail at jake.reilly@ci.stpaul.mn.us.

Sincerely,

Jake Reilly Senior City Planner

cc: Zoning File # 14-307-093 Pleasant Ridge Paul Dubruiel District 17 Craig Hinzman, County Surveyor John Rupp, Owner