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Marilyn Franzen  
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Dear Ms. Franzen:

This is to confirm that our office has received your application for a variance for the Event Start at the East End of Upper Landing Park and the Event Finish, at Shepard Road and Sherman from the city's noise ordinance and that it is being processed.

The Department of Safety and Inspections will be recommending that a variance be issued to you, with conditions, in order to present amplified music and the use of a sound system for announcements from 6:45 a.m. until 12:00 p.m., with a pre-event sound check from 6:45 a.m. until 7:00 a.m. on Saturday, August 1, 2015 at the MN Half Marathon Event Start at the East End of Upper Landing Park and the Event Finish, at Shepard Road and Sherman.

A public hearing on your request for a variance has been scheduled for **Wednesday, July 15, 2015, at 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, please contact:**

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