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Jim Buron West End Festivals 1810 Como Avenue Saint Paul MN 55108

Dear Mr. Buron:

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, with conditions, to allow you to provide announcements and amplified music on May 21, 2016 from 4:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m., with a pre-event sound check beginning at 2:00 p.m., during the Twin Cities Burger Battle at Harriet Island.

A public hearing on your request for a variance has been scheduled for **Wednesday**, April 6, **2016 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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Enclosure