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April 4, 2016

Tony Wendland Xcel Energy 825 Rice Street Saint Paul MN 55117

Dear Mr. Wendland:

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, in order to bore a section of pipeline under West 7th Street and the railroad tracks at the intersection of Duke Street and Colborne Street for pipe replacement.

A public hearing on your request for a variance has been scheduled for **Wednesday**, April 20, 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