



CITY OF SAINT PAUL  
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## Sound Level Variance Application

City of Saint Paul Noise Ordinance (Chapter 293)

**Note:** A public hearing before the Saint Paul City Council is required. Application and fee must be received no fewer than forty five (45) days prior to the public hearing date that is before the requested Variance start date.

1. Organization/person seeking variance: Saint Paul Festival & Heritage Foundation dba: Saint Paul Winter Carnival
2. Mailing Address w/zip code: 75 W. 5th Street, Suite #429, Saint Paul, MN 55102
3. Responsible person: Rosanne Bump Title: CEO
4. Event Name: Saint Paul Winter Carnival
5. Telephone: (651) 223-7401 E-Mail: rbump@spfhf.org
6. Date(s) during which the variance is requested: January 26 Through February 5, 2017
7. Noise source - Time(s) of operation: See attached sheet for daily hours  
- Time(s) of pre-event sound check: Included during the daily hours
8. Address or legal description of Noise source: 109 4th Street W, Saint Paul, MN Rice Park
9. Sound level requested: 95 dBA at 100 feet
10. Describe the noise source and all equipment involved: a stage will be placed on the West side of inner circle in Rice Park. Live music and recorded music during hours listed on request
11. Describe the steps that will be taken to minimize the noise levels: Speakers will be strategically placed to minimize sound reflection. Smaller sound system to be used at event
12. State reason for seeking variance: (E.g. music, announcements, construction, etc.)  
Music for event, celebrating Saint Paul's Civic Event 131st Year, Saint Paul Winter Carnival
13. Attach site diagram showing location of noise source(s), streets, stages, tents, etc. (If there will be amplified sound, indicate location and direction that all speakers will be facing.) Multiple locations may require more than one application.
14. Return completed Application, Site Diagram, and \$169.00 fee to:

CITY OF SAINT PAUL  
DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND INSPECTIONS  
375 JACKSON STREET, SUITE 220  
SAINT PAUL, MN 55101-1806

Signature of responsible person: 

Date: 4/30/16

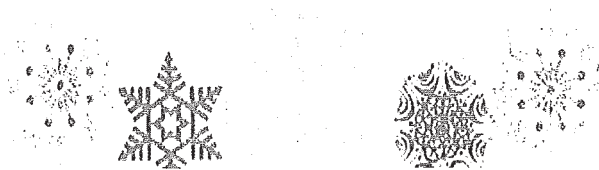
## Rice Park – Winter Carnival's Center Stage

As tradition would have it, Saint Paul's beautiful and historic Rice Park will act as center stage for the 131<sup>st</sup> Saint Paul Winter Carnival. Check out the variety of events and activities to be hosted in Rice Park this year:

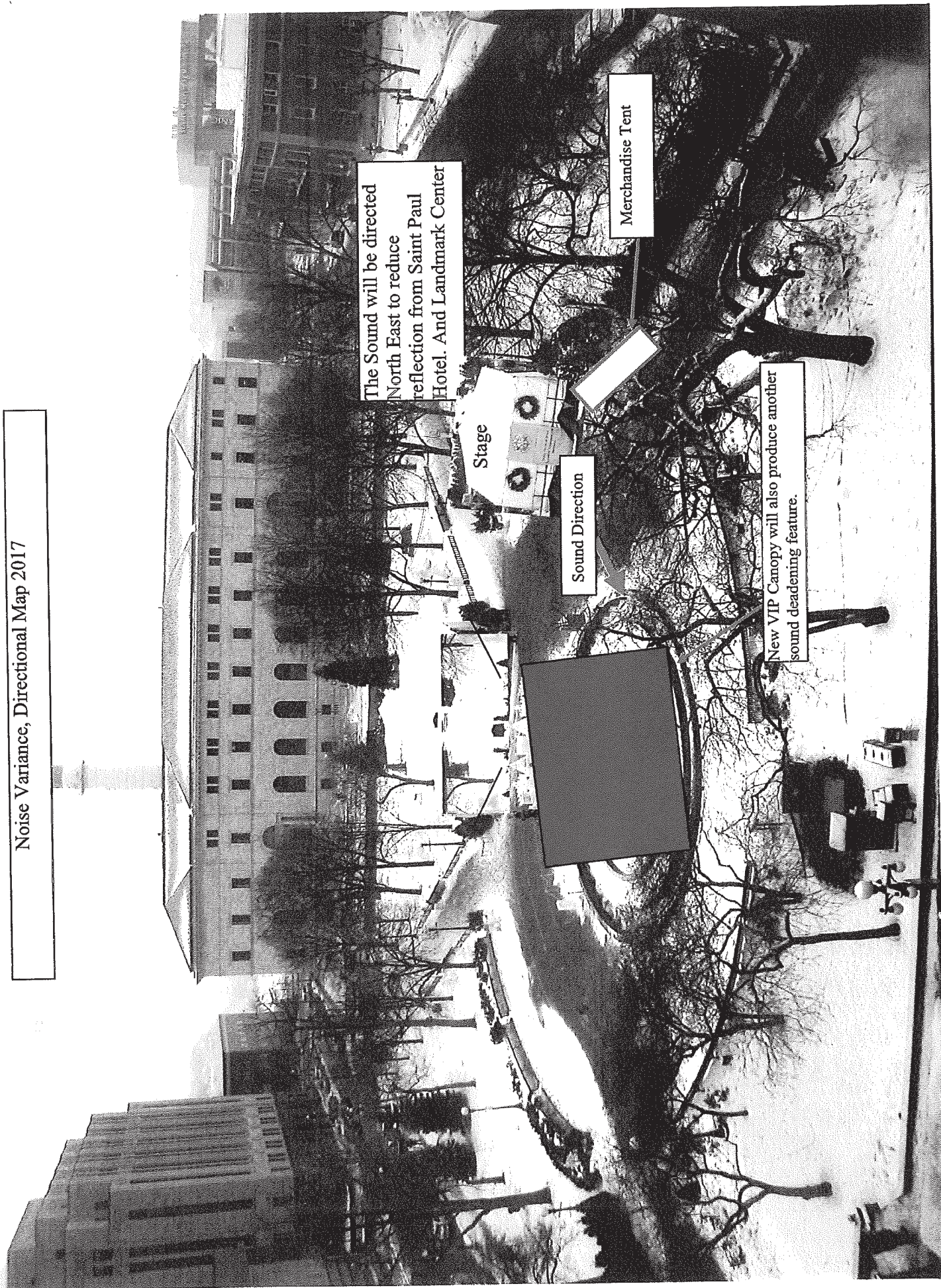
- Wrangle up a tasty morsel or a hot beverage when the Traditional fare comes back to Rice Park.
- Enjoy live music performed by local artists and Performers.
- The Ice Bar will return to refresh Carnival goers, proper protocols and permits will be established at a later date
- All three Winter Carnival Parades --- the Moon Glow Pedestrian, Grande Day and Torchlight --- will all end in Rice Park. Plus, the post-Torchlight Parade Overthrow of Boreas pageantry will take place across the street on the steps of the Library.
- On both Saturdays during Carnival (January 28<sup>th</sup> and February 4<sup>th</sup>), the Memorial Blood Centers will host a blood drive. Look for their vehicle parked near Rice Park.

### \*\*\* Hours of Operation \*\*\*

<u>Carnival Dates</u>	<u>Music (Max Hours)</u>
Thursday, January 26	11 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Friday, January 27	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Saturday, January 28	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Sunday, January 29	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Monday, January 30	11 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Tuesday, January 31	11 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Wednesday, February 1	11 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Thursday, February 2	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Friday, February 3	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Saturday, February 4	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Sunday, February 5	9 a.m. to 10 p.m.



Noise Variance, Directional Map 2017





## DSI RECEIPT

### CITY OF SAINT PAUL

Department of Safety and Inspections  
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Date: 12/09/2016

Received From: ST PAUL FESTIVAL & HERITAGE FOUNDATION  
75 5TH ST W STE 429 ST PAUL MN 55102

Description:

Invoice Details

979688

Noise Variance

Invoice Amount

\$338.00

Amount Paid

\$338.00

**TOTAL AMOUNT PAID:**

**\$338.00**

Paid By:

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Credit Card		12/09/2016	\$338.00