

## **APPLICATION FOR APPEAL**

### Saint Paul City Council – Legislative Hearings

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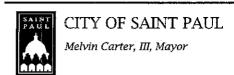
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We need the following to process your ap	peal: CITY CLE	RK		
\$25 filing fee (non-refundable) (payable to (if cash: receipt number		(provided by Legislative Hearing Office) Tuesday, January 30 Time 2:30		
Attachments you may wish to includ This appeal form completed	e			
O Walk-In OR O Mail-In		<u>Location of Hearing:</u> Room 330 City Hall/Courthouse		
for abatement orders only: O Email	OR OFax			
Address Being Appealed:				
Number & Street: 1560 CAN	FIELD City: S	Γ.PAUL <sub>Sta</sub>	te: MN Zi	<sub>p:</sub> 55108
Appellant/Applicant: WILLIAM GOBELY Email NONE				
Phone Numbers: Business NONE	Residence NON	<b>1E</b> ce		
Signature:		Date:	AN 25,	2018
Name of Owner (if other than Appellant):				
Mailing Address if Not Appellant's:				
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What Is Being Appealed and Why? Attachments Are Acceptable  Comments:  We appeal status of vacant building previously. It was				
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O Summary/Vehicle Abatement	decided their was probable cause that major code and safety life violations exist that warrant vacant building assessment. So a DSI Code Compliance Report(CCR) was ordered. It was clear from the CCR no safety life violations nor were any major code violations discovered. The very few items listed for Plumbing, Mech, and Electrical were immediate abated. IRT building, only interior work and roof replacement abatement remains. The Owner should be			
Fire C of O Deficiency List/Correction				
Code Enforcement Correction Notice				
O Vacant Building Registration				
Other (Fence Variance, Code Compliance, etc.)				

Steve Magner, Manager of Code Enforcement



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January 03, 2018

Randy Bibeau 3192 Frontier Drive Woodbury MN 55129

# VACANT BUILDING REGISTRATION FEE WARNING LETTER

The Saint Paul City Council has adopted legislation which requires owners of vacant buildings to pay an annual fee and submit a registration plan on the form(s) enclosed with this letter. The annual fee is \$2,127.00. The purpose of this fee is to partially reimburse the City for administrative costs for registering and processing the Vacant Building Owner Registration forms and for the cost of monitoring these properties for compliance with Saint Paul Legislative Codes.

The fee for the vacant building located at 1560 CANFIELD AVE is now past due. You have fifteen (15) days from the date of this letter to pay this bill before this fee is sent to assessment, to be collected with your property taxes.

#### **DO NOT MAIL CASH**

Saint Paul Legislative Code, Chapter 43, requires this fee be paid no later than thirty (30) days after the building becomes vacant, and if not paid, the owner shall be subject to collections and prosecution as prescribed in the Legislative Code. Also, if at any time the registration fee is unpaid and owing, building permits will be denied for this building.

The full amount owed will be assessed to, and collected with, the taxes for this property as permitted by Saint Paul Legislative Code Chapter 43.

The owner(s) still will be subject to a criminal Summons and Complaint for failure to pay this vacant building registration fee. This citation will necessitate a court appearance in Ramsey County District Court and the owner(s) will be subject to penalties provided for by law. The enclosed registration form must accompany the fee payment.

If you wish to pay in person, you may do so from 8:00am to 4:00pm Monday through Friday at:

DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND INSPECTIONS 375 Jackson Street, Suite 220 Saint Paul, MN 55101-1806

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All category 2 and category 3 vacant buildings must be winterized with gas and water services shut off or, alternately, an excess flow gas valve must be installed in the dwelling, within sixty (60) days of the date of this notice.

## WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE CITY OF SAINT PAUL IS REQUIRED BEFORE A CATEGORY 2 OR CATEGORY 3 VACANT BUILDING CAN BE OCCUPIED OR SOLD.

Category 2: Requirements include: 1. register/re-register the building, 2. pay outstanding fee(s), 3. obtain a code compliance report, 4. submit for approval a rehab cost estimate from a licensed contractor and a schedule for completion of all code compliance work, 5. submit proof of financial responsibility acceptable to the City, and 6. obtain Zoning approval of the proposed use.

**Category 3:** All requirements listed for Category 2 vacant buildings, AND obtain a **Certificate of Occupancy** OR **Certificate of Code Compliance** prior to the sale of the building.

If the use of this building meets the definition of a nonconforming use by the Zoning Code, then the use will lose its nonconforming status 365 days from the date the building was declared vacant.

If you have questions about this registration fee or other vacant building requirements, please contact the Enforcement Officer, Matt Dornfeld, at 651-266-1902.

This registration form and fee is required by law. Your prompt attention to this matter is appreciated.

You may file an appeal to this fee or registration requirements by contacting the City Clerk's Office by calling (651)266-8688. Any appeal of this fee must be made within ten (10) days of the date of this notice.

Steve Magner Vacant Buildings Program Manager

Enclosures: Regulations Requirements Information Vacant Building Registration Form

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Also Sent To:

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