

CITY OF SAINT PAUL Mayor Melvin Carter

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August 22, 2018

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUSPEND LICENSES

Cha Sur Vang, Owner Solange Auto Service 291 Fillmore Avenue East St. Paul, MN 55107

RE:

Auto Repair Garage and Auto Body Repair/Painting Shop licenses held by Cha Sur Vang d/b/a Solange Auto Service for the premises located at 291 Fillmore Avenue East in Saint Paul

License ID #: 20010005008

Dear Licensee:

The Department of Safety and Inspections will recommend suspension of the Auto Repair Garage and Auto Body Repair/Painting Shop licenses held by Cha Sur Vang d/b/a Solange Auto Service for the premises located at 291 Fillmore Avenue East in Saint Paul. The recommendation is based on the following information:

On June 8, 2018, you were sent a letter and RENEWAL INVOICE from the Department of Safety and Inspection (DSI) stating your Auto Repair Garage and Auto Body Repair/Painting Shop licenses expired on May 31, 2018 and are now delinquent. You were also required to submit a completed Certificate of Compliance Minnesota Workers' Compensation Law Form along with your license fee payment.

You were asked to pay the delinquent license and late fees and submit the information listed above no later than June 29, 2018. As of today, neither has been received.

In addition to the suspension of your Auto Repair Garage and Auto Body Repair/Painting Shop licenses, per Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.05 (m) (2), the licensing office will also recommend a \$500.00 matrix penalty for failure to submit required information to maintain your licenses.

You have four (4) options to proceed:

If you do not contest the imposition of the proposed adverse action, you may do nothing. If I have not heard
from you by Friday, August 31, 2018, I will presume that you have chosen not to contest the proposed adverse
action, and the matter will be placed on the September 12, 2018 City Council Consent Agenda for approval of
the proposed remedy.

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- 2. You can pay the delinquent license and late fees and submit the required information listed above and send it directly to DSI at 375 Jackson Street, Ste. 220, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806 no later than Friday, August 31, 2018. A self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience. Payment of the delinquent license and late fees and submission of the required information will be considered a waiver of the hearing to which you are entitled.
- If you wish to admit the facts but contest the penalty, you may have a public hearing before the Saint Paul City 3. Council, you will need to send me a letter with a statement admitting the facts and requesting a public hearing no later Friday, August 31, 2018. The matter will then be scheduled before the City Council to determine whether to suspend your Auto Repair Garage and Auto Body Repair/Painting Shop licenses and impose the \$500.00 matrix penalty. You will have an opportunity to appear before the Council and make a statement on your own behalf.
- If you no longer wish to do business in the City of Saint Paul, you will need to complete and return the attached 4. REQUEST TO CANCEL LICENSE with the CITY OF SAINT PAUL to the Department of Safety and Inspections, at 375 Jackson Street, Ste. 220, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806 no later than Friday, August 31, 2018.

If you have not contacted me by Friday, August 31, 2018, I will assume that you do not contest the suspension of your Auto Repair Garage and Auto Body Repair/Painting Shop licenses and imposition of a \$500.00 matrix penalty. In that case, the matter will be placed on the September 12, 2018 City Council Consent Agenda for approval of the recommended penalty.

If you have questions about these options, please feel free to contact Julie Kraus, my Legal Assistant at (651) 266-8776.

Sincerely,

Therese Skardal & Therese Skarda

Assistant City Attorney License No: 024989

Cc:

Cha Sur Vang, 408 Blair Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55103

Bahieh Hartshorn, Community Organizer, West Side Community Organization, Baker Center

209 Page Street West, St. Paul, MN 55107

Attachments: Certificate of Compliance Minnesota Workers' Compensation Law form

REQUEST TO CANCEL LICENSE with the CITY OF SAINT PAUL

STATE OF MINNESOTA) ss.

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY U.S. MAIL

COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

Julie Kraus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 22nd day of August, she served the attached **NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUSPEND LICENSES** and a correct copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

Cha Sur Vang, Owner Solange Auto Service 291 Fillmore Avenue East St. Paul, MN 55107

Cha Sur Vang 408 Blair Avenue St. Paul, MN 55103

Bahieh Hartshorn, Community Organizer West Side Community Organization Baker Center 209 Page Street West St. Paul, MN 55107

(which is the last known address of said person) depositing the same, with postage prepaid, in the United States mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.

Julie Kraus

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of August 2018

Notary Public

KAREN M. DOUMANY
NOTARY PUBLIC - MINNESOTA
My Commission Expires