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- Yog hais tias koj hais tsis to taub tsab ntawv no, hu rau tus txhais lus ntawm (651) 266-8989. Nws yog pab dawb zwb.
- Si necessita un traductor, por favor llamanos al (651)266-8989. No costo.

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## June 15, 2016

Marna J Johnson 1954 Palace Ave St Paul MN 55105-1730

## **CORRECTION NOTICE**

RE: **1954 PALACE AVE** File #: **16-046343** 

Dear Sir or Madam:

The City of Saint Paul, Department of Safety and Inspections has inspected the above referenced property on **June 15, 2016** and has determined that the following deficiencies exist in violation of the Saint Paul Legislative Code<sup>1</sup> (see footnote 1, below).

- 1. GARAGES. All garages and accessory structures must be in sound condition and secure from unauthorized entry. Repair or replace any missing doors, windows, or hardware for same. Please repair or remove the garage including replacing the garage door and securing the garage.
- 2. GARAGE. The exterior walls and/or trim of the house and/or garage has defective, peeled, flaked, scaled or chalking paint or has unpainted wood surfaces. Scrape and repaint to effect a sound condition in a professional manner.
- 3. GARAGE. The roof is deteriorated, defective, or in a state of disrepair. Repair or replace the roof covering to a sound, tight and water impervious condition. Permit may be required.
- 4. GARAGE. The eaves and soffits are in a state of disrepair or deterioration. Repair all defects, holes, breaks, loose or rotting boards, to a professional state of maintenance. Permit may be required.

You are hereby notified to correct these deficiencies in accordance with the appropriate codes. The Enforcement Officer will re-inspect these premises on or after **July 15, 2016**, by which date the violations noted must be corrected. **Failure to correct these deficiencies may result in the issuance of criminal charges**<sup>2</sup> and/or a civil lawsuit, and possible abatement/assessment by the City. All repairs and new installations must be made in accordance with the appropriate codes. Permits may be obtained by calling 651-266-8989.

You may file an appeal to this notice by contacting the City Clerk at 651-266-8585. Any appeal must be made in writing within 10 days of this notice. (You must submit a copy of this Notice when you appeal, and pay a filing fee.)

If you have any questions or request additional information, please contact me. To arrange an appointment or request an extension of time to complete repairs, you will need to speak directly to me at 651-266-1940.

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Sincerely,

Lisa Martin Badge # 335

## **CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER**

Footnotes:

- To see the Legislative Code go to <u>www.stpaul.gov</u> on the internet, click on "Departments", then click on "Department of Safety and Inspections", scroll down the page for the "Codes". Most Correction Notices derive from Chapter 34.
- <sup>2</sup> Criminal charges can be brought on the day the violation is observed, but generally we allow time to correct unless this is a repeat violation.

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**WARNING** Code inspection and enforcement trips cost the taxpayers money. If the violations are not corrected within the time period required in this notice, the city's costs in conducting a reinspection after the due date for compliance will be collected from the owner rather than being paid by the taxpayers of the city. If additional new violations are discovered within the next following 12 months, the city's costs in conducting additional inspections at this same location within such 12 months will be collected from the owner rather than being paid by the taxpayers of the real property and are in addition to any other fines or assessments which may be levied against you and your property.

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