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December 13, 2019

Laura Bishop, Chair
Minnesota Environmental Quality Board
Commissioner, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

Dear Ms. Bishop,

In a letter dated December 2, 2019, staff to the Environmental Quality Board (EQB) informed the City of Saint Paul that a petition had been received requesting that an Environmental Assessment Worksheet (EAW) be prepared for the proposed Rohn Industries Trailer Storage project. The letter further stated that the EQB has determined that the City of Saint Paul is the Responsible Governmental Unit (RGU) for determining the need for an EAW.

Under Minnesota Rules 4410.1100 Subp. 7, the RGU has 15 days from the receipt of the petition to make a decision on the need for an EAW. The same subpart also states that the EQB Chair shall extend this period by not more than 15 additional days upon the request of the RGU.

With regard to the aforementioned petition for an EAW, the initial 15-day period will conclude on December 23, 2019, unless extended at the request of the RGU. The City of Saint Paul, as the RGU, hereby requests an extension of the 15-day period for a decision on the need for an EAW by 15 additional days, to January 15, 2020. Please let me know if you need any additional information to support this request.

Sincerely,

Kristin Guild, Interim Director
City of Saint Paul Department of Planning and Economic Development

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ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD

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December 18, 2019

via Email Only

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RE: Rohn Industries Trailer Storage Petition – Request for Extension in Time for EAW Decision

Dear Ms. Guild,

On December 18, 2019, the Environmental Quality Board (EQB) received your request for an extension for the decision on the need for an Environmental Assessment Worksheet (EAW) on the above-mentioned project. The request is respectfully granted in accordance with Minnesota Rules 4410.1100, Subpart 7.

Sincerely,

Katrina Hapka

Katrina Hapka
Environmental Review Planner
Environmental Review Program
Environmental Quality Board

cc: Kathryn Murray, Petitioner's Representative (email only)
Dave Carland and Randy Rauwerdink, Project Proposer Representatives (email only)
Josh Williams, Luis Pereira, and Laura Eckert, City of St. Paul (email only)
Will Seuffert, EQB Executive Director (email only)