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To: Mary Klauda

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Subject: RE: Griggs/Scheffer Area Paving & Lighting - Public Hearing Comment for 15 April 2020

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Mary,

Thank you for reaching out. There is a potential opportunity for you to defer the assessment. A description is available at the following website: https://www.stpaul.gov/departments/financial-services/assessments/deferrals.

Please call 651-266-8858 if you have questions or need assistance with the application. If you have questions regarding the project construction or design, or need help finding out information on everything else, please feel free to call me.

Chris

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From: Assessments (CI-StPaul) <Assessments@ci.stpaul.mn.us>

Sent: Thursday, April 9, 2020 11:36 AM

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This email has been added to the public record as testimony for this item.

From: Mary Klauda <klaudamp@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, April 3, 2020 8:15 AM

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Subject: Griggs/Scheffer Area Paving & Lighting - Public Hearing Comment for 15 April 2020 meeting

I am submitting this comment/concern for the above public meeting.

I recently received a Public Hearing Notice for the above project along with the estimated assessment calculation. I was stunned at the amount. For my property @ 1287 Hartford, the estimated assessment is \$5616.

With the situation we are in now with COVID19 and its drastic implications on the economy, I am doubtful the everyone will be able to handle this extra expense, even with the loan options offered. I am a recent retiree with a fixed income and whose life investments that are on shaky ground. Are interest- free loans an option?

I understand that these aren't easy times for any person, business, or government entity, but I wanted to raise my concerns. Thank you for listening.

Sincerely, Mary Klauda 1287 Hartford AVe 651-269-0747