

Legislation Text

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Approving the attached resolution to authorize Andre Haustein's request to proceed *in forma pauperis* for his appeal of his dangerous dog determination to the Minnesota Court of Appeals.

WHEREAS, Andre Haustein has petitioned for a writ of certiorari to appeal a determination by the Department of Safety and Inspections that his dog is a dangerous animal to the Minnesota Court of Appeals; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Haustein has filed a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* during the course of that appeal; and

WHEREAS, Minn. Stat. § 563.01, subd. 3 states that upon a finding that the appeal is not of a frivolous nature, a litigant shall be allowed to proceed *in forma pauperis* if he files an affidavit substantially compliant with the language of the statue and which is found not to be untrue; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Haustein has submitted to the Department of Safety and Inspections an affidavit for proceeding *in forma pauperis* that meets the requirements of Minn. Stat. § 563.01; and

WHEREAS, such affidavit at this time is not found by the Saint Paul City Council to be untrue, nor is the appeal frivolous; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Saint Paul City Council authorizes Mr. Hausteins request to proceed *in forma pauperis* for his appeal of his dangerous dog determination to the Minnesota Court of Appeals.