



Legislation Details (With Text)

File #: RES 13-1684 **Version:** 1
Type: Resolution **Status:** Passed
In control: City Council
Final action: 11/6/2013
Title: Approving adverse action against all licenses held by Budget Towing, Inc. of St. Paul at 560 Randolph Avenue.
Sponsors: Dave Thune
Indexes:
Code sections:
Attachments: 1. Notice of Violation, 2. SPLC 361.07 - Tow Trucks

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
11/12/2013	1	Mayor's Office	Signed	
11/6/2013	1	City Council	Adopted	Pass

Approving adverse action against all licenses held by Budget Towing, Inc. of St. Paul at 560 Randolph Avenue.

WHEREAS, all licenses held by Budget Towing, Inc. of St. Paul d/b/a Budget Towing, Inc. of St. Paul (License ID #20120005762) for the premises located at 560 Randolph Avenue in Saint Paul were the subject of a Notice of Violation dated October 3, 2013, stating the Department of Safety and Inspections received a complaint regarding a tow truck driver charging a pickup owner a \$150.00 towing fee despite the fact that the vehicle had not been hooked up to the tow truck; and

WHEREAS, the tow truck driver would not move his vehicle until the \$150.00 towing fee was paid and then refused to give the pickup owner a copy of the receipt showing his payment in violation of Saint Paul Legislative Code § 361.07; and

WHEREAS, the licensing office recommended a \$500.00 matrix penalty; and

WHEREAS, licensee did not respond to the Notice of Violation to pay the \$500.00 matrix penalty or request a public or administrative hearing; and

WHEREAS, the Notice of Violation stated that if the licensee failed to pay the \$500.00 matrix penalty or request a public or administrative hearing by October 14, 2013, that the matter would be placed on the consent agenda to impose the recommended penalty; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, Budget Towing, Inc. of St. Paul d/b/a Budget Towing, Inc. of St. Paul is hereby ordered to pay a matrix penalty of \$500.00 matrix penalty for charging a towing fee for a vehicle that had not been hooked up to the tow truck and refusing to give the owner a receipt showing his payment in violation of Saint Paul Legislative Code § 361.07.