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I DO NOT approve of the city imposing this MANDATORY fee for an OPTIONAL project. The people in this neighborhood are not made of money and do not have \$600 just sitting waiting for something like this. These people need it for food and mortgages. The roads highlighted in the letter sent out with the plans for this project, THAT HASN'T BEEN APPROVED, are in good condition. Better condition than the surrounding areas. We do not live in an HOA and charging people that live here for projects that aren't needed, wanted, or even properly talked about, is disgusting. The city of Saint Paul is abusing it's power by forcing the residents to pay for something none of us want. I would like a detailed list of all of the imperfections, pot holes, and anything else that needs fixing- because I can drive 2-3 blocks past the project boundaries and find 3x more issues with those roads. This takes advantage of already marginalized people, and will make it harder for families to pay for things they actually need.

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