

July 11, 2024 Saint Paul Police Foundation 161 St. Anthony Ave, Suite 927 Saint Paul, MN 55103

On July 11, 2024 the Saint Paul Police Foundation reviewed a donation request from Target Corporation for Safe Summer Nights. On July 31, 2024 Target approved the donation and put a check in the mail.

The Safe Summer Nights program is designed to provide opportunities for police officers to become acquainted with residents of the neighborhoods they serve over a meal rather than during times of trouble. The initiative began in 2014 when Safe Summer Nights partnered with the Saint Paul Police Department and the Saint Paul Parks & Recreation Department to host events in Saint Paul that brought neighborhood families and police officers together in a picnic-type setting. Safe Summer Nights help bridge the gap between police and the people they serve. The FREE, public events feature food, activities for children and ample opportunities for attendees to meet their Saint Paul police officers. The Bear Cat vehicle, which is always popular with kids, will be there too. Each event occurs on Thursdays in June, July and August from 5pm-7pm. The funds are needed to cover the cost to put on the event which includes food, activities and giveaways.

The donation request was approved by the foundation in the amount of \$4,000.

Sincerely,

Kristen Sheehan

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Executive Director

Saint Paul Police Foundation