

St. Anthony Park Community Council/District 12
2395 University Avenue West, Suite 300E
Saint Paul, MN 55114



TO: Anton Jerve, Senior City Planner
Mike Richardson, Senior City Planner

RE: Proposed amendment to Saint Paul's 2040 Comprehensive Plan

Dear Mr. Jerve and Mr. Richardson,

The St. Anthony Park Community Council hereby submits its Community Plan for consideration by the Planning Commission, City Council, and Mayor Carter as an amendment to Saint Paul For All.

Our Community Plan was developed through extensive engagement through online, paper, and in-person surveys, and by gathering input and ideas at numerous community events and two community forums. We made concerted efforts to contact renters, people of color, residents in public housing, local students, and businesses. In total, we received input from nearly 1000 people. More details on this process are on page 61 of the Plan.

Our process has been longer than anticipated due to lack of funding for Council staff or interns to dedicate to this effort, staff changes, and availability of volunteer time, among other factors. The Plan has gone through initial, intensive review by City staff and the revised draft was resubmitted. Minor edits were made to that version as requested to produce the July 2020 version.

We understand that the City Attorney's Office has not completed its review, but that further edits can be addressed through City staff.

We look forward to your support of this plan, which has already shaped the goals and activities of our four standing committees (Equity, Environment, Land Use, and Transportation). Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kathryn Murray".

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Cc: Councilmember Mitra Nelson, Ward 4
Matt Privatsky, Ward 4 Aide
Cat Beltmann, District Council Coordinator

Attachments: St Anthony Park Draft Community Plan July 2020 (.doc/.pdf)