



CITY OF SAINT PAUL
Mayor Christopher B. Coleman

390 City Hall
15 West Kellogg Boulevard
Saint Paul, MN 55102

Telephone: 651-266-8510
Facsimile: 651-228-8521

December, 2011

Dear Resident,

A sense of security on our sidewalks and in our neighborhoods is essential to our city's quality of life. This feeling of safety comes from a strong sense of community. Our residents know that safety comes first in Saint Paul, and have come to expect that we deal with public safety issues quickly.

Graffiti is a serious nuisance and quality of life crime. That is why we decided to "get tough" on graffiti and require that it be removed within 72 hours of receiving a complaint.

Please join us, on short notice, in keeping our neighborhoods safe and clean. As the enclosed graffiti abatement order states, if you need help with graffiti removal, the City has a graffiti removal program that provides *free removal*. If you choose to remove the graffiti yourself, please do so by the date indicated on the order.

Please help us eliminate graffiti from our community. If you have any question about this order, or to report graffiti, please call the City's Information and Complaint Line at 651-266-8989 with a description and specific location of the graffiti.

Thank you for your patience, understanding and partnership in making Saint Paul the Most Livable City in America!

Christopher B. Coleman
Mayor

Kathy Lantry
City Council President