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September 7, 2011

Pete Crum  
Saint Paul Police Department  
367 Grove Street  
Saint Paul, MN 55101

RE: Letter of Commendation – 2011 City of Saint Paul Employee Cookout Committee

Dear Pete,

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Sincerely,

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cc: Tom Smith, Chief  
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Steve Zaccard  
Saint Paul Fire Department  
645 Randolph  
Saint Paul, MN 55102

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Sgt. John Wuorinen  
Saint Paul Police Department  
367 Grove Street  
Saint Paul, MN 55101

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Dear Sgt. Wuorinen,

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John, I especially want to recognize and thank you for your time and effort in checking IDs to allow employees and their families to enjoy a few beers at the beer truck.

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Ann Simerson  
Parks and Recreation  
400 City Hall Annex  
Saint Paul, MN 55102

RE: Letter of Commendation – 2011 City of Saint Paul Employee Cookout Committee

Dear Ann,

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Ann, I especially want to recognize and thank you for your efforts in coordinating the YJC kids to umpire the kickball games and to provide assistance with the jumpeastle, climbing wall, face painting, pinky painting and the bingo games.

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cc: Mike Hahm, Director  
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Chriscell Bedard  
Planning and Economic Development  
1300 City Hall Annex  
Saint Paul, MN 55102

RE: Letter of Commendation – 2011 City of Saint Paul Employee Cookout Committee

Dear Chriscell,

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cc: Cecile Bedor, Director  
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Sue Feuerherm  
HREEO  
280 City Hall  
Saint Paul, MN 55102

RE: Letter of Commendation – 2011 City of Saint Paul Employee Cookout Committee

Dear Sue,

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Sue, I especially want to recognize and thank you for the additional effort you put forth to make the cookout a success ~ single-handily working with all the outside vendors to make sure that we had all the food and supplies needed to makes this a great event.

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cc: Luz Maria Frias, Director  
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Jane Wateland  
Human Resources  
200 City Hall Annex  
Saint Paul, MN 55102

RE: Letter of Commendation – 2011 City of Saint Paul Employee Cookout Committee

Dear Jane,

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Jane, I especially want to recognize and thank you for the additional effort you put forth to make the cookout a success ~ the coordinating of tables for HealthPartners and Healthy St. Paul, providing transportation to and from the cookout for the palm reader, compiling printouts for registration and the coordination of the cookout supplies.

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cc: Angela Nalezny, Director  
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Cindy Morrison  
Parks and Recreation  
400 City Hall Annex  
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Dear Cindy,

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Cindy, I especially want to recognize and thank you for the additional effort you put forth to make the cookout a success ~ reserving the space at Como, along with all the tables and chairs we needed, coordinating the kickball tournament, and the coordinating of so many of the Parks activities that Parks personnel would participate in.

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Mike Thoemke  
Public Works  
1500 City Hall Annex  
Saint Paul, MN 55102

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Mike, I especially want to recognize and thank you for the additional effort you put forth to make the cookout a success ~ the coordinating of the truck from the police lot to assist in the loading and unloading of all the cookout supplies at Como.

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cc: Rich Lallier, Director  
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Elaine McMahon  
Saint Paul Public Library Agency  
90 West Fourth Street  
Saint Paul, MN 55102

RE: Letter of Commendation – 2011 City of Saint Paul Employee Cookout Committee

Dear Elaine,

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Elaine, I especially want to recognize and thank you for the additional effort you put forth to make the cookout a success ~ the coordinating of the Bookmobile and Brodini Comedy/Magic Show. The show was a big hit with the children.

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cc: Kit Hadley, Director  
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Nancy Denkinger  
Office of Financial Services  
700 City Hall  
Saint Paul, MN 55102

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Dear Nancy,

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Nancy, I especially want to recognize and thank you for the additional effort you put forth to make the cookout a success ~ the coordinating of all the volunteers, coordinating the table for the Emergency Management staff and your assistance with the cook out supplies we needed to makes this a great event.

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Julie Kraus  
City Attorney's Office  
400 City Hall  
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