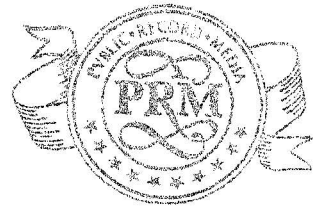


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Bonnie Kollodge/Data Practices Responsible Authority
Metropolitan Council
390 Robert St. N.
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I am requesting access to government data under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act (Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 13). Through this request, I am seeking to inspect and/or copy public data created, produced, received, maintained or disseminated between the dates Jan. 1, 2014 and Nov. 1, 2015 related to the following public data:

- Any and all correspondence between the Metropolitan Council and Major League Soccer and/or Bill McGuire and his associates related to locating a soccer stadium on Metropolitan Council property at/near Interstate 94 and Snelling Avenue in St. Paul.
- Any and all correspondence between the Metropolitan Council and the City of St. Paul and/or the St. Paul Port Authority related to locating a soccer stadium on Metropolitan Council property at/near Interstate 94 and Snelling Avenue in St. Paul.

If responsive data are found, I would first like the opportunity to inspect such data, prior to identifying specific sub-sets of data to copy.

Please consider this letter a formal request for the indefinite retention of the requested data, pending the resolution of its status.

As required by section 13.03, Subd. 3(f) of the Minnesota Statutes, I am requesting that in the event that any portion of my request is not granted, you certify in writing that the request has been denied, and cite the specific statutory section, temporary classification, or other provision of law upon which the denial was based.

This request is made as part of news gathering, and is not for commercial use.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or clarifications regarding the scope of this request. I can be reached at [REDACTED], or by U.S. mail.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mike Kaszuba', with a long, sweeping horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Mike Kaszuba
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