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Andy Faris
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Dear Andy,

We received your letter requesting an additional 30-day extension on October 4, 2010. In your letter, you reference the default letter we sent you on September 16, 2010 regarding the non-payment of event related invoices for the 2010 Taste of Minnesota. In that letter we established October 4, 2010, as the deadline for receiving payment and a resolution acceptable to all parties associated with the event. As of today, October 6, 2010, we have not received payment, nor any proposed resolution or plan. In our phone conversation Monday, October 4, 2010, you offered no details or certainty as to if or when a proposed plan would be forthcoming, and therefore we see no benefit to either party in granting your request for a 30-day extension.

The Department of Parks and Recreation invoice totaling \$23,652.91 for the 2010 Taste of Minnesota remains past due as of September 2, 2010. This non-payment is a violation of our agreement.

This letter is formal notice that the Department of Parks and Recreation is terminating the agreement between the City of Saint Paul and International Event Marketing, LLC, executed on May 5, 2009.

With the termination of the May 5, 2009 agreement, the City of Saint Paul will begin pursuing new plans for dates surrounding July 4th, 2011, including potential uses of Harriet Island.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

Mike Hahm, CPRP
Director



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