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Council President Payne, Council Vice-President Osman, and Members of the City Council:

This letter is to inform you that I have vetoed Council Action No. 2026A-0450.

The Minnesota Ballpark Authority promotes economic opportunity and works to make sure that the ballpark is an asset that benefits the entire city. Our city's representative in that seat has and should continue to prioritize that mission.

During the Council discussion of this matter, the qualifications for this nominee were cited as "Somebody who had knowledge of the legislative process, who understood the importance of HCMC, and an emerging topic was around the potential strike... with the concession workers at the Twins stadium." These are important issues that are not related to the work of the Ballpark Authority.

This nomination is ultimately the governing body's to make and the lack of outreach to my office and other Councilmembers raises concerns that city priorities that the Ballpark Authority considers will fall by the wayside.

Yours Truly,



Mayor Jacob Frey
City of Minneapolis