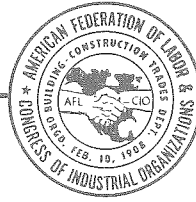


Saint Paul
Building and Construction Trades Council



April 8, 2024

Honorable Mitra Jalali
President, Saint Paul City Council
310 City Hall
15 W. Kellogg Blvd.
Saint Paul, Mn 55102

Dear Council President Jalali and Members of the Saint Paul City Council:

I am writing to express my full support of the St. Paul Building and Construction Trades Council for endorsement of the United Village Hotel Variance Appeal Application. The St. Paul building trades are committed to promoting economic growth and prosperity in the Saint Paul region, and I firmly believe that this project presents a significant opportunity for our community.

The United Village Development project embodies innovation and exclusive economic growth that is essential to the continued success of St. Paul. By creating a unique space that celebrates our city's identity, this project is poised to attract visitors for economic activity and enrich the cultural and recreational landscape of Saint Paul.

Moreover, the \$200 million private equity investment allocated for this project reflects the confidence of investors in the vitality and potential impact of such a sustainable investment. Not only will this investment create jobs and stimulate local businesses, but it will also contribute to long-term prosperity in the community.

I urge the St. Paul City Council to endorse the United Village Hotel Variance Appeal Application and support the variances necessary to realize this vision. These variances will facilitate transformative investments and advance economic growth in the community, ultimately benefiting the people of St. Paul.

Thank you for considering my support for this important initiative.

Warm regards,

Donald Mullin
Saint Paul Building Trades Council