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Kurt Eggebrecht
Appleton Health Department
100 N Appleton Street
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Dear Mr. Kurt Eggebrecht,


I wish to obtain a variance from the City of Appleton noise ordinance. I am a senior at St. Francis Xavier High School and first chair, first violinist for the school's Chamber Orchestra. In addition, I am a member of the Pit Orchestra for the Fall Musical. To increase my comfort level while playing for crowds, I wish to play my acoustic violin with an amplifier downtown Appleton. I do not expect to receive any monetary benefit for my actions.

I would play music every day – weather permitting – during the summer months of June, July, and August. I plan to play on the sidewalk of W. College Avenue between N. Walnut St. and N. Division St as the sidewalk is wide enough to not impede the flow of people walking. In addition, I plan to play from 8p.m. to 11p.m. I will be the only person present while the noise is produced and I do not wish to annoy or disturb those around me.

Thank you for your consideration of the matter. I look forward to your response.

Sincerely,


John Hoffman

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