

TO: City Clerk, 15 W. Kellogg Blve., 310 City Hall, St. Paul, MN 55102

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IN RE: FIL#J2409B

Property address: 1039 Carroll Ave

Parcel ID#35-29-23-33-0023

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Who expects to have a window explode in a shower of glass through the bedroom over the bed even onto the pillow I'm sleeping on, in Minnesota Winter, New Year's Eve, 1/1/24.

Police arrived, found the brick, tried to assure you it was a random act of drunkenness youth revelers on this particular New Year's Eve, but you wonder *to what purpose, what meanness, what cause and effect?* Talk about vulnerable and not safe, the Intent to damage and destroy palpable, real, evident.

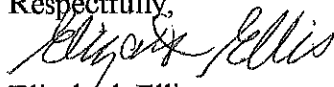
And then there's the aftermath, the repair stage and its cost, \$1,040 materials and labor.

The Police offered to have the space, a hole, the size of a basketball, boarded up. I took them up on their offer not knowing whom I could call at Midnight. There must be a reparation, restitution fund, but no. I receive a bill nearing and almost \$500 from the City of St Paul.

When the Policeman found the brick next to my bed, glass shards on my pillow. I cried. On leaving the Policeman said, "Happy New Year." I burst into tears. Again.

I appeal to your forbearance, restraint and tolerance to reduce your costs from this criminal damage to my property. The perpetrator has not stepped up to the plate.

Respectfully,


Elizabeth Ellis