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February 19, 2017

Mr. Paul Widman
City of Rochester
Park and Recreation Department
Room 150
210 Fourth Street, SE
Rochester, MN 55904

Dear Mr. Widman:

We would like to obtain a permit to train our dog(s) for water rescue at Foster Arend Park similar to the one that we had last summer. We would also like to request a permit to train our dog(s) for water rescue at Cascade Lake. As you know, this training requires people to be in the water outside of the designated swimming areas and thus the request for special use permits. Details of the training requiring people to be in the water with the dog (and thus outside the designated swimming area) and safety measures are identical to past years. If you need additional information, please let us know. Thank you for your assistance in obtaining these permits.

We would like the permits to start May 1, 2017 and continue through the end October 2017. We would plan to train mostly on Saturdays, Sundays and major holidays along with some regular weekdays. If specific dates and times are needed by the Park and Recreation office, we would be happy to forward a more specific schedule at least a week in advance of the specific dates.

We appreciate the time and effort of the Park and Recreation Department in considering our request. We appreciate your helping us with the logistics of having this request considered. If there are questions, the easiest way to contact me is via e-mail at either aclapeyre@charter.net or alapeyre@mayo.edu or to leave a message on my answering machine at 288-0642.

Again, thank you very much.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andre Lapeyre". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.

Andre Lapeyre