January 10, 2022
Ms. Cathy McLear
AARP Minnesota State Director
1919 University Avenue, Suite 300
St. Paul, MN 55104

Dear Ms. McLear,

On behalf of the City of West St. Paul, Minnesota, I am pleased to offer this letter of our ongoing commitment to creating an age-friendly environment. West St. Paul is excited to join AARP’s Age-Friendly Communities network and we are committed to becoming a livable community to promote health and sustainable growth and contribute to the well-being of citizens in all stages of life.

The City of West St. Paul promotes successful aging and strives to improve the quality of life for all residents. There is great value in utilizing AARP’s Eight Domains of Livability in establishing a more age-friendly city.

- Open Spaces And Buildings
- Transportation
- Respect and Inclusion
- Housing
- Communications and Information
- Civic Participation and Employment
- Health Services and Community Support
- Social Participation

As a participant in AARP’s Age-Friendly Community program, it is the intent of the City of West St. Paul to encourage active aging by optimizing opportunities for residents of all ages.

We look forward to working with the AARP, Living Longer and Stronger in West St. Paul as well as other organizations to make our city a place where everyone can age with dignity and thrive as an active member of our community.

Sincerely,

David Nagler
Mayor