

Saint Paul Public-Correction Follow-Up — April 28, 2026

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Source note

This public derivative is limited to the direct City-facing April 28 follow-up thread described in the native message record. Attorney-client interpretation, litigation strategy, private contact information, signature graphics, and unrelated quoted material are excluded.

Native source hash recorded in the internal provenance ledger:
bd2ae82e540234d7f3655963f1d4f6f07b6ded0c4da79e6115a971a6ffd32d4f.

11:46 a.m. request for public follow-up

Josh's attorney wrote to Parks Director Andy Rodriguez, with Assistant City Attorney Sarah Sullivan copied, that he had not seen anything from the Department publicizing the retraction of Josh's ban, referred to prior discussion of working on public-facing language, and asked where the matter stood.

The message also stated counsel's concern that the original ban had spread widely and damaged Josh's image and work. That statement establishes counsel's stated concern; it does not independently quantify reputational or economic damage.

12:31 p.m. Director response

Andy Rodriguez replied: "As I noted in my earlier email (attached for reference), I'm planning to hold off on moving forward with this for now."

The substantive earlier email referenced by Rodriguez was not identified in the reviewed native thread.

2:09 p.m. clarification request

Counsel asked Rodriguez to clarify whether "for now" meant indefinitely or whether the Department had an actual intent to announce anything through the Department, and if so, when.

No subsequent response appears in the supplied native thread. This derivative does not state that no later communication occurred in another medium or outside the supplied thread.