The 2013 ANNUAL SAINT PAUL SIDEWALK POETRY CONTEST WINNERS

It is wonderfully gratifying to see so many residents play their civic role of submitting a poem to our city's sidewalk poetry contest. We received more than 500 poems from 236 entrants! Congratulations to the winners and recipients of honorable mentions; please read on to see their poems and bios.

WINNERS	**HONORABLE MENTIONS**
Susan Downing	Caroline Bassett
Charles Matson Lume	D S Elliott
Susan Olsson	Anna Musielewicz [youth submission]
Paige Riehl	Kaya Solheid [youth submission]
Marcy Steinberg	Jennifer Pennington
	Greg Watson

If your poem wasn't selected as a winner this year, we encourage you to submit next year. Honorable mention recipients may submit again. All selections are made in an anonymous review process.

We now have 46 poems in our sidewalk collection and it continues to expand. This year will see the number of poem installations exceed 700 throughout the City of Saint Paul. We are in our sixth year of this unique Saint Paul tradition. *Everyday Poems for City Sidewalk* is a program of Public Art Saint Paul and the City's Public Works Department. As Public Works goes about its business maintaining sidewalks, we efficiently install beautiful poems into this everyday element of our lives. This award-winning program invites our residents to write in our city-sized "book" of poetry.

Thank you, all, for your submissions, and thank you for helping Saint Paul pave its streets with poetry!

Sincerely,

Marcus Young
City Artist in Residence

2013 Selection Panel Members:
Eileen O'Toole
Khary Jackson
John Minczeski
Marcus Young

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