• Thank you, Madam Mayor, Chair Mondale and Mr. Clark

• When I was mayor of Brooklyn Park I recognized that we needed to work with what we had

• Redevelop and Revitalize (610 & Zane Ave. corridor project stories)

• Like Zane Ave., The Village project is Smart Growth. Built on existing transit and revitalizing a creek that many had forgotten about

• With the help of the new and improved Met Council, this city, this region and this state is headed in the right direction

• We stress a “more livable community”

• The Twin Cities is a great place to live and raise a family and continuing efforts like this will ensure a great community for future generations

• Thank you