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Paul Groshko
Spavia
467 Jackson Avenue
Glencoe, Illinois 60022

Re: Starbucks Gift Card

Dear Mr. Groshko:

I wanted to thank you for your generous offering of a Starbucks gift card to my office. Unfortunately, due to the City's ethics rules, City employees are barred from accepting "any gift of cash, gift card or cash equivalent." As such, I have enclosed the gift card that was left with my office yesterday.

Again, thank you for your generous offering. And we certainly look forward to your opening Spavia in the Lincoln Park area in the very near future. Please let us know if there is anything more we can do to assist with the permitting and licensing process.

Sincerely,

Michele Smith
Alderman, 43rd Ward