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## **Frey Applauds Court of Appeals Ruling Upholding Minneapolis' Minimum Wage Ordinance**

*The Court of Appeals affirmed a lower court's decision to uphold the City of  
Minneapolis' \$15 minimum wage ordinance*

MINNEAPOLIS – Minneapolis Mayor Jacob Frey released the following statement applauding the Court of Appeals' ruling to uphold Minneapolis' minimum wage ordinance:

**"Our minimum wage ordinance is here to stay. After more than a year of litigation, thousands of Minneapolis workers and families can rest a little easier knowing that the ordinance protecting their livelihoods is on firm legal ground. I commend our City Attorney's office for their excellent work."**

As a City Council Member, Frey was one of the first four City Council Member to support raising the minimum wage. Frey both authored the staff direction to begin drafting an ordinance and played an important role in shaping and passing the final ordinance.

As Mayor, Frey has increased funding for enforcement of the minimum wage ordinance.

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