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Don't Forget - this Wednesday Children's Memorial Town Hall Meeting

Lincoln Park Hospital Redevelopment Wrap-Up at Plan Commission

Sept. 15
9:00 a.m.
City Council Chamber
City Hall, 121 N. LaSalle St.
2nd Fl.

You can see the amended plans here.



Fire Station Garden Dedication
Hosted by
Lincoln Central Association

Saturday, September 17th
11:00 a.m.
Fire Station Park
Located on Larrabee just south of
the Fire Station on Armitage

Come see this beautiful new addition to our neighborhood.

43rd Ward Office

Dear Friend,

Thanks to our neighborhood and police from Districts 18 and 19, an individual with a history of 167 arrests and 19 convictions has been taken off our streets.

The man accosted 43rd Ward resident Colleen Day on N. Halsted St. in November 2010. The mother of one immediately committed herself to working with police, witnesses, and me in a dogged pursuit of justice, letting her friends and neighbors know about her court dates and asking them to come. And they did. Over 50 ward residents supported Colleen at various court dates. Twenty residents showed up at the first date alone.

In our crowded local courtrooms, where 150 cases might be heard in a day, our neighbors' presence made a huge difference. We insisted that the State's Attorney fully prosecute this case - and they were pleased to do so, with all that neighborhood support. After four court dates, the man was tried, sentenced and sent to jail.

You can help make a difference in other cases in our ward. To participate in Court Advocacy, please contact Officer Incaprera in the 18th District Community Policing Office at 312-742-5778 (south of Fullerton), or Sergeant Lemon in the 19th District Community Policing at 312-744-5574 (north of Fullerton). And even more important, if you are a victim of a crime, and the offender is apprehended, contact me. Ward residents, and I, will support you all the way.

Town Hall Meeting **Children's Memorial Hospital Development**

September 14, 2011

6:30 p.m.

Bigler Auditorium at Children's Memorial Hospital
2300 Children's Plaza

Please join me to discuss:

735 W. Wrightwood

Office Hours:

Monday

9a.m. - 7p.m.

Tuesday-Thursday

9a.m. - 6p.m.

Friday

9a.m. - 12p.m. & 2p.m. - 6p.m.

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- The impact of redeveloping Children's Memorial Hospital on the community
- Selection of McCaffery Interests as the developer of the site and an introduction to their work both locally and nationally
- The current economic impact of the hospital, including discussions with local business owners
- Current traffic data and long term traffic implications of the Hospital's departure
- The developer's plan to gather community feedback on the site's development plans as they unfold

*Please note that the entrance to Bigler Auditorium is accessible from the main hospital driveway, directly across from the main entrance.

We look forward to seeing you!

Sincerely,

43rd Ward Alderman Michele Smith

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