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First Step in Children's Memorial Redevelopment

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Informational Meeting
TONIGHT, Tuesday, September
20
5:30 p.m.

Walter Payton College Prep
Second Floor Recital Hall
1034 N. Wells

5th Annual Walk for Maya

Sunday, September 25
9am on-site registration and
activities for children

- 9:45am program
- 10am walk begins

Lincoln Park, at the corner of
Belden and Lincoln Park West.

The 5th annual walk for Maya
is a 1 mile walk through the
gardens of Lincoln Park in
honor of 4 year old
Maya Hirsch, who tragically lost
her life when a driver ran a
stop sign at the intersection of
Belden
and Lincoln Park West.

Please join me and Senate

Dear Friend,

I have promised that the development process for the Children's Memorial Hospital site will be transparent and data driven. This means we need to understand the impact Children's has on the neighborhood *today* so we can compare it to the impact of any future proposal.

At our town hall meeting, Children's Memorial Hospital introduced the new developer, McCaffery Interests, and brought this information to you:

- Over **\$1.5 million people** go on the hospital property **per year**
- Over **12,500 trucks** make deliveries to the hospital
- Over **1300 cars** go in and out of garage each day (and it holds 900 cars)
- Children's baseline traffic study estimated that **Children's alone is responsible for 30% of the traffic around the site**
- Some of our local businesses, including popular neighborhood institutions, could loose between 7% and 50% of their business when the hospital leaves

We also reviewed the results of the HOK study, which you can find [here](#).

I am requiring the developer to hold a series of community meetings to discuss tentative site plans and then revise those plans based on feedback.

Our timeline is as follows:

Children's moves out June 9, 2012, and the site will be ready for demolition in the fall of 2012. In order to allow proper construction planning we must aim to have a plan approved by City Council in late spring of 2012. I will work very hard with all of you to ensure ample and complete community participation.

President John Cullerton
in urging motorists to
STOP for pedestrians

You can see all the presentations from the meeting on my
[website](#).



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Wrap-Up for Lincoln Park Hospital Site

The Chicago Plan Commission approved the amended plans for the Lincoln Park Hospital project at its Sept. 15 meeting. You can see the amended plans [here](#).

Sincerely,

43rd Ward Alderman Michele Smith

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