



July 18, 2003  
Carmen Vidal-Hallett  
Department of Planning

Dear Ms. Vidal-Hallett,

At our July regular meeting of the Lincoln Park Advisory Council (LPAC), Mr. Neal David and Ms. Kelly McGrath, of Lincoln Park Zoo, gave a very professional and well thought out presentation of the plans for a new Children's Zoo and an upgrade of the west entrance. Many concerns were brought to the fore and answered accordingly; everyone at the meeting seemed to understand and enjoy the presentation. It can not be conveyed enough that these presentations and the like are very important to the community. This type of interaction allays people's concerns and disseminates information to a large body of interested parties. LPAC "by its nature" is a body that is dedicated to Park preservation and improvement. These meetings and our postings are very important to a large number of the membership. Other groups involved in Lincoln Park, for example the Park District, a developer or simply a group doing plantings, should be held to this high standard, it would assist LPAC in being proactive. The plan was well thought out and very mindful of the community. It is my pleasure to inform you that the LPAC membership has officially endorsed this project.

Sincerely,

Frank Fuscaldo  
Corporate Secretary, Lincoln Park Advisory Council

Cc: Ald. Vi Daley  
David Doig  
Neal David, LPZ  
Kelly McGrath, LPZ