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Mr. Robert M. Hayward
Kirkland & Ellis LLP
200 East Randolph Drive
Chicago, IL 60601-6636

Dear Mr. Hayward,

Thank you for contacting me regarding the Willow Road improvement project. I appreciate the information you have shared with me about the complexity and sensitivities involved with this issue.

As we discussed, to clarify our stance now that we are more fully aware of the issues, the following is a statement we are disseminating regarding our stance on the project:

Kohl Children's Museum of Greater Chicago's primary concern is providing a safe Museum visit, including safe travel to and from its facility. Any discussions regarding specific plans for development or expansion of local roadways must be resolved by representatives within the communities most affected by the road expansion.

Please feel free to share this information as you feel appropriate and thank you once again for being in touch.

Sincerely,

Sheridan Turner
President and CEO

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