

March 6, 2015

Historic Preservation Committee  
c/o Ed Zimmer  
Lincoln/Lancaster Co. Planning Dept.  
555 S. 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 213  
Lincoln, NE 68508

Dear Committee Members:

Representatives from Bryan Medical Center are scheduled to attend your Committee meeting on March 19. At that time, we will present our plans for the Sophy H. Teeters building at Bryan West Campus.

The proposed demolition of this building is based on the fact that careful evaluation has shown that it would be an economic hardship to re-purpose the building for another use. Instead, removal of the building would allow the land to be used as a memorial to the history of the site.

On February 26 a meeting was held with neighbors of the site (Irvingdale and Near South Neighborhood Associations). Those in attendance were given the opportunity to provide feedback about the proposal.

We look forward to presenting our plan to you for your consideration on March 19.

Sincerely,



David Reese  
Vice President  
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