September 26, 2016

VIA E-MAIL
Mr. Sam Stecklow
South Side Weekly
Email: sam.stecklow@gmail.com

RE: 16-FOIA-219 Train Station Inspections

Dear Mr. Stecklow:

We are in receipt of your request under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq.

On September 8, 2016, we received your narrowed request for copies of the most recent safety inspections of the Metra stations within the city limits of Chicago, including but not limited to, the structures, walkways and staircases, as well as any recommendations made by the inspector and whether Metra followed those recommendations ("Request").

In response to your Request, Metra is providing you with a spreadsheet containing the most recent safety inspections of the Metra stations within the city limits of Chicago. The spreadsheet contains pertinent columns for: the station name, date issue was identified, the description of the repair issue, the department or railroad responsible for the repair, date reported, the status of the repair, date of completion, Quality Control Inspector’s verification date, and the latitude and longitude of the location of the station.

If I can be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact me

Sincerely,

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Attachment