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## Pick 'n Save Move A Positive For N. 76<sup>th</sup> & Good Hope Business District

### *Ald. Puente Says Roundy's Plans Move to Larger Former Home Depot Location*

A new Pick 'n Save store will be a positive development for the busy cluster of stores, restaurants and retail outlets near N. 76<sup>th</sup> St. and W. Good Hope Rd. on the city's northwest side, Alderman Robert W. Puente said today.

In announcing the development – whereby the Pick 'n Save now located in a 62,000 square foot building at 7830 W. Good Hope Rd. will move to the former Home Depot, a 102,000 square foot building at 7401 W. Good Hope – Alderman Puente said he is fully supportive of the move and believes his constituents will quickly see “the many positive attributes” it will bring.

“Roundy's has indicated the larger new store will increase jobs there by an estimated 25%, and it will be a full-service location with a bank, liquor store and pharmacy,” said the alderman, whose 9<sup>th</sup> Aldermanic District includes the 76<sup>th</sup> and Good Hope properties affected by the development.

“This move will also keep a sizable property (former Home Depot) viable and generating traffic that will positively impact the other businesses in the area and along the N. 76<sup>th</sup> business corridor,” he said.

The owner of what will soon be the former Pick 'n Save location at 7830 W. Good Hope has indicated that there is “an interested party” for the location, and the owner is also actively pursuing other potential tenants for the location, Alderman Puente said.

The development proposal will be heard by the City Plan Commission at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, February 16, 2009 in the first floor board room at 809 N. Broadway.

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