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FOR INFORMATION CALL

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MEDIA ADVISORY

Community meeting on youth facilities RESCHEDULED for FEBRUARY 12

Alderman Chantia Lewis reminds residents that the 9th District community meeting that was originally scheduled for Thursday, January 31 (canceled because of inclement weather) has been rescheduled for **Tuesday, February 12**. The meeting is about a proposed **State Juvenile Offender Facility** at N. 73rd St. and W. Mill Rd. and a proposed **secure care center** for youth at N. 62nd St. and W. Mill Rd.

The meeting will start at 6 p.m. on Tuesday at **Direct Supply, 6663 N. Industrial Rd.**

Regarding the 73rd and Mill Rd. facility: As part of Act 185, the State has mandated that the Lincoln Hills and Copper Lake juvenile offender facilities close by January 2021. Additionally, Milwaukee County is planning a new secure care center for youth with less-severe offenses, with at least one location in the 9th District under consideration at N. 62nd St. and W. Mill Rd.

“I encourage everyone to come out for this important meeting. These proposed projects have the potential to impact every part of our community, and I want to make sure every voice is heard during this process.” Alderman Lewis said.

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