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Illinois Yearly Meeting  
Site Envisioning Committee

**Report to Continuing Committee at the meetinghouse in Lake Forest**

Site Envisioning Committee met twice since the last Continuing Committee.

In McNabb on 11-19-11, we met with Friends from the standing committees and our field secretary, Judy Wolicki, to craft a refinement to the master plan, and forward our collective vision for the site and related activities on the McNabb campus.

All at the meeting reviewed a matrix of input assembled from the reports submitted by the standing committees and monthly meetings, reviewed the master plan map prepared using the same data, and heard or read a draft of the history of the site development from the first visioning retreat to the present. Site Envisioning took counsel from the committees and folded the information into the plans.

Our next meeting was held in Bloomington on 01-21-12. It was a meeting to which all members and attenders of the Yearly Meeting were invited to offer input and provide criticism to the work that preceded this meeting. Over twenty Friends met to review our evolving progress. After a presentation of the updated master plan and an open commentary session, we broke into smaller groups to discuss specific issues. We reconvened and shared our observations.

When we adjourned, Friends carried packets of information containing the master plan and related reports back to their monthly meetings. Additional packets of the information were mailed to those meetings that had no representation at this session. The history, master plan and reports along with the printed observations were posted on the committee portion of the ILYM website.

The committee looks forward to additional commentary from the results of the review of those postings. Our intent is to present the plan and support data during the Annual Session.

Respectfully submitted,

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Clerk