MEMORANDUM

Date:

January 14, 2011

To:

Supervisor Peggy West, Chair, Committee on Health and Human Needs

From:

Maria Ledger, Interim Executive Director, Department of Family Care

Subject:

Update on the current parking availability and meeting space for visitors to the

Department of Family Care

This memorandum is a status report on current parking availability and meeting space for visitors to the Department of Family Care.

All Department of Family Care staff that wished to park at MacArthur Square have been able to purchase parking there.

There are two conference rooms available in the Family Care Office Suites. In addition, the Department has been fortunate to be able to reserve other rooms located throughout the courthouse. The Department is validating parking for Family Care members, their families and members of the community who serve on Department Committees.

15 Department staff are now located at the Underwood Recreation Center. This space is leased from the Office for Persons with Disabilities. As a Managed Care Organization serving both frail elders and people with disabilities, we are honored to partner with the Office for Persons with Disabilities as well as Easter Seals Inc, who provides a very popular day camp at the site in the summer for people with disabilities.

The Underwood site has free surface parking and offers a large training space that will be available for our use when renovations are completed.

If you have any questions, please call me at 287-7610.

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