



July 12, 2011

President Christina Olague  
San Francisco Planning Commission  
1650 Mission Street, Suite 400  
San Francisco, CA 94103-2479

Dear President Olague and Members of the Planning Commission:

As Pastor of San Francisco Lighthouse, I am writing to express our congregation's support of California Pacific Medical Center's (CPMC) plan to invest in the future health care of San Francisco by rebuilding health facilities at St. Luke's and at Van Ness and Geary, and implementing major renovations at its Davies Campus. CPMC has created a plan that will provide overdue state-of-the-art medical services to the residents of San Francisco, many of which are currently underserved.

San Francisco Lighthouse is comprised of an ethnically diverse and inter-generational congregation located in the heart of the City. San Francisco Lighthouse provides care in the form of meals and services for the homeless, an addiction support group, and youth mentorship programs. We provide much needed services for many San Franciscans at no cost to our beloved city, hundreds of which are homeless and live on the streets of our city within a couple blocks of our church. We actively engage our community and we care about the health of this City; however, we cannot provide all of the care our neighborhood needs alone. CPMC's proximity to our church and central location is invaluable. Its physicians, nurses, and therapists provide the services that we are unable to offer and to a population much in need of care.

San Francisco Lighthouse believes CPMC's rebuild is crucial to the future of healthcare in San Francisco. Implementation of this plan will not only address the public's safety by making buildings earthquake-safe, but it will also create thousands of jobs, revitalize a San Francisco neighborhood that is in need of beautification and care, and provide services for those most often overlooked. CPMC's rebuild plan is holistic and will bring a wide-range of needed benefits to our community.

The Van Ness Corridor and Pulk Gulch area is in dire need of CPMC's presence and soon. As a lover of the people of this community, and as a caregiver to the spiritual and social health of my neighborhood the rebuild could not happen soon enough.

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**San Francisco Lighthouse enthusiastically supports CMPC's rebuild plan and respectfully requests that the Planning Commission approve this project.**

Thank you for your consideration,



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San Francisco Lighthouse

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