

December 16, 2015

Board of PRCS
Attn: Director, Tom Molbeck
800 Center Street, Rm 127
Racine, WI 53403

Dear Board of PRCS & Mr. Molbeck,

Grace Church in partnership with Convoy of Hope, Wheaton Franciscan Hospital, RUSD and many other community groups from Racine, WI will be hosting a one-day event on September 17, 2016 called Convoy of Hope. This is a community-wide effort to provide thousands of struggling people in our community with groceries, health and community services, family portraits, haircuts, prayer and games and activities for children - all free of charge to each guest.

The event will be using the facilities and parking lots at Walden III School and we are looking to obtain permission/park permit to use Franklin Park (adjacent to Walden School). We are working with Convoy of Hope, a national non-profit organization with a great deal of experience coordinating events like this. Our Convoy of Hope coordinator has assured us that this location (both the park and the school) would be ideal for an event like this. This area of Racine was chosen strategically to be in an area of town where there is a great need. We anticipate 5,000-6,000 people in attendance (1,000 of them being volunteers - who will park at Grace Church and be shuttled to the event).

In the past few months in the pre-planning of this event, we have met with Art Howell, Chief of Police and Mayor John Dickert, both are aware and in support of the event. Art Howell has assured us that police support can and will be provided. In addition, there will be a volunteer security team for the event.

We are requesting the following:

- Park Permit for the use of Franklin Park from Thursday, 9/15 8:00AM thru Saturday, 9/17 at 11:00PM
- Security at the park overnight on Thursday, 9/15 and Friday, 9/16
- Access to the park until 11:00PM for cleanup on Saturday, 9/17

We are excited about the community impact of this event and look forward to hearing from you. Please let us know what questions you have.

Thank you,

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