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The Honorable Tina Hill
Board Chairwoman
McHenry County Board
2200 North Seminary Ave.
Woodstock IL 60098

RE: Proposed Continuous Flow Intersection Project at Randall & Algonquin Road

Dear Chairwoman Hill:

On behalf of our Walgreens store in the Village of Lake in the Hills at 100 N. Randall Road, I write today regarding the planned Continuous Flow Intersection road project that we have recently learned about, that will negatively impact our store located at this intersection.

As you are aware, this Continuous Flow Intersection, while seemingly the County's preferred solution to deal with increased traffic, will detrimentally impact the full and convenient access that our customers and patients have today at this store. As you can imagine, Walgreens selects site locations that optimize our success, but also ensure that we are the most convenient retailer for the neighbors that we serve. To the extent that it is no longer convenient to access our store, not only would this store be challenged, but our ability to be the convenient healthcare and daily living needs retailer that we have become to the neighborhoods that we serve.

We certainly understand and appreciate that the growth of McHenry County and its communities within necessitates traffic mitigation and road improvement options. We simply plead for relief and ask that a traditional intersection be placed at this intersection. We would welcome your personal review and response to our concerns. I can be reached at (847) 315-4863 or via email at donovan.pepper@walgreens.com. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

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cc: Members of the McHenry County Board
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The Hon. Paul Mulcahy, Village President, Lake in the Hills