

August 27, 2013

Dear Members of D.P.H.,

After attending the August 22nd meeting, I am convinced that the Melrose Wakefield Hospital group is indifferent to the rights of the residences living in the hospital area.

Please note the following reasons telling why the proposed building should not be permitted.

1. A "for profit" facility does not belong in a residential area.
2. Common sense dictates that there is no space for the proposed building when it will use and take away a parking area.
3. The added traffic will create an even greater safety hazard for the residents. Traffic is very fast and heavy when the resident children are going to school. We do not need more speeding vehicles in the neighborhood.

It is my sincere hope that when the D.P.H. makes their decision that they will think of the residents who deserve and love to live in a quiet area with green trees and safe streets. Please keep the area residential.

Sincerely,

*Clarence Minkell*