



# Door-to-Door

THE MIRIAM HOSPITAL NEIGHBORHOOD CONNECTION • SPRING 2011

*Dear Neighbors,*

Spring is here, and we have started one of several exciting projects aimed at improving landscaping around the hospital. Currently underway are the Resurfacing and Landscaping Improvement Projects of Parking Lots B and C. Slated to last approximately 6–8 weeks, the work includes a major landscaping overhaul using native and sustainable planting materials. Trees within the lots and along the external perimeters coupled with special lighting designed to minimize light trespassing are planned for installation. Future projects include landscaping improvements near The Fain Building in partnership with Groundwork Providence and The Groden Center. These projects will commence in the late spring, early summer months and will be discussed at our upcoming Landscaping Forum Meeting scheduled for **Wednesday, May 4 at 6:00 pm** in the Hurvitz 2 Conference Room.

This edition of our Door-to-Door newsletter features our new design; with less paper to reduce the amount of paper we use for Community Relations. Within a two-year time frame our goal is to have a large database of email addresses for our neighbors who prefer receiving communications from us electronically. If you would like to receive the Door-to-Door newsletter through email, please contact me at the Neighborhood Hotline (*shown at the end of this letter*). The Miriam is embarking on an ongoing journey toward increased sustainability, with many more efforts underway. If you are interested in learning more about this work, I invite you to attend our Community Environmental Forum Meeting scheduled for **Wednesday, April 27 at 6:00 pm** in the Hurvitz 1 Conference Room. All are welcome to attend.

For neighborhood and community issues, ideas, and concerns I can be reached on The Neighborhood Hotline at **793-4040**, or by email at [tmhneighbors@lifespan.org](mailto:tmhneighbors@lifespan.org).

Sincerely,  
Monica Anderson  
Community Liaison  
The Miriam Hospital

## **Parking Lots B and C Resurfacing and Landscaping Project**

Our parking lots located on Summit Avenue are undergoing a resurfacing and landscaping improvement project. All work is weather dependant, but our goal is to be completed by the end of May. Work will commence at 8:00 am and conclude each day by 4:00 pm. The timeline and major elements are outlined as follows:

### **April 2011**

- Site Preparations
- Reclamation of Asphalt
- Installation of Low Lighting
- Binder Course
- Curb and Sidewalk Installation
- Entrance Work

### **May 2011**

- Fence and Bollard Installation
- Asphalt Curb/Berm
- Landscaping
- Surface Course
- Signs and Pavement Markings





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**with Santa Mamba**  
Thursday, May 5  
6:00-10:00 pm

Sunday, May 1  
1:00-4:00 pm  
Hope Street

**HOPE FOR THE EARTH**

Thursday, April 28  
11:30 am-1:30 pm  
Main Hospital Lobby

**MIRIAM EARTH DAY**

Wednesday, May 4  
6:00-7:00 pm  
Hurvitz 2 Conference Room

**LANDSCAPING MEETING**



**Meetings & Events**