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INPUT WILL BE SOUGHT FEB. 6 AND 7 ON CAMPUS MASTER PLAN

In an effort to ensure viable and efficient planning for the future, Stritch is working with an outside firm called Performa Higher Education/Kahler Slater to create a campus master plan. An outgrowth of the strategic and financial plan, this project will focus on physical space.

Input will be sought from all segments of the University community as well as key external stakeholders such as local government officials and key business representatives.



At the end of the process, in September or October, the University will have a detailed road map that reflects long range needs and outlines how to invest resources wisely. The plan will help Stritch create a more aesthetically pleasing environment – one that truly is 21st century – but which also reflects the University’s history, mission, vision and values.

Specifics will range from creating appropriate instructional and social-gathering spaces to addressing

pedestrian and vehicular traffic and parking needs. All major decisions will be made with an environmental awareness.

Performa consultants will seek input on Stritch’s current status and people’s vision for the future in a series of meetings on Feb. 6 and 7. Groups of 20 to 25 will meet for an hour and a half each, dividing up into smaller subgroups for roundtable discussions.

Schedules will be finalized within the next few days and shared with the campus community, including instructions for signing up.

“Input is critical to the success of this planning process, so I encourage as many people as possible to attend a session and share their valuable insights,” said Sister Mary Lea Schneider, Stritch president.

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