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YMCA STARTS APPLICATION PROCESS FOR HOUSING

Chicago, IL (April 6, 2007) – The YMCA of Metropolitan Chicago announced today the availability of 60 affordable housing units specifically for elderly persons 62 years of age and older. The Section 202 Supportive Housing Development, located at 166 W. 151st Street in Harvey, is scheduled to open late summer 2007.

The YMCA will accept applications through May 4. Applications are available during business hours at:

South Suburban YMCA, 178 E. 155th Street in Harvey
YMCA of Metropolitan Chicago, 801 N. Dearborn Street in Chicago

For more information, please call the YMCA at 312-932-1210.

The YMCA of Metropolitan Chicago currently operates two other senior housing facilities. In 2004, the YMCA opened the Emil Jones Jr. Senior Housing facility at 110th and Wabash and the Fred C. Matthews III, Senior Housing Center in the Grand Crossing neighborhood at 51st and Indiana.

Through its 43 affiliate locations and more than 100 extension sites, the YMCA of Metropolitan Chicago helps children learn and grow, teaches young people to lead, brings families closer, and encourages individual health and well-being. The fourth largest non-profit in Chicago and one of the largest human services organizations in the nation, YMCA programs impact hundreds of thousands of lives annually, helping to strengthen neighborhoods and respond to community needs across Chicagoland. To learn more, visit www.ymcachgo.org.

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