

Letters of Support - Received List

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Position/Title</u>	<u>Organization</u>
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Byrd	Toby N		Byrd & Byrd LLC Attorneys at Law
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Cornelsen	James W.	President and CEO	Old Line Bank
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Swain	Darren	Delegate, District 24	The Maryland House of Delegates
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Manning	Robert A.	Senior Pastor	First Baptist Church of District Heights
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Morehead	Dr. Florida T.	Senior Pastor	Shalom Ministries Christian Center
Munford		Pastor	Covenant International Ministries
Tait	Dr. Lewis T., Jr.	Pastor/Teacher	Faith Bible Church Remixed
Turner	Michael C.	Rev. Dr.	The Miracle Center of Faith Missionary Baptist Church
Walker	Rev. Patrick J.	President	Baptist Convention of the District of Columbia & Vicinity
White	Joshua Kevin	Pastor	Church of The Great Commission
Willis	Cathy	Director of Operations	Riverdale Ministries
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LETTERS OF SUPPORT
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LARRY V. BROWN, CPA

September 3, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my strong support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace the current hospital. Prince George's County needs a state-of-the-art tertiary facility to serve the medical needs of our county residents. The current hospital facility is aging. Also, locating the new hospital in the Largo area, next to a Metro Station will improve access for patients and visitors. I believe the hospital project is well thought out and would be an asset to our county.

I support this project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,
Brown & Associates, LLC



Larry V. Brown
Certified Public Accountant



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September 26, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
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* Also Admitted in D.C.

Dear Mr. Steffen:

As a member of the Board of Directors of the Bowie Health Center, I am so pleased to offer my support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System.

Clearly, plans for the replacement hospital are overdue. This hospital is particularly needed, as Prince George's Hospital Center is a regional medical center for many low income residents of the county. Furthermore, the new location will be more accessible than the existing facility. This is particularly important to me because, as an elder law attorney, I am aware that many of our senior citizens cannot find sufficient public transportation and, because of a nearby Metro station will be able to gain access to the new hospital more conveniently.

I have personal knowledge that Dimensions takes its central role in the County's health care system very seriously. From what I have seen, the hospital's plans are practical, with a continuing emphasis on addressing community needs.

The acute health care needs of the residents of Prince George's County are best served with state of the art facilities that anticipate the growing demands of our aging population and improve the county's ability to recruit excellent physicians, including board-certified geriatricians.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and I hope that you will approve Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Byrd & Byrd, LLC

Jacqueline D. Byrd, Esq.
Advisory Committee on Aging, Prince George's County
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September 18, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen, Executive Director
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Dear Mr. Steffen,

I am writing to express my strong support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace the current aging hospital. Prince George's County badly needs a state-of-the-art facility to serve the medical needs of county residents, 25,000 of whom currently utilize Washington D. C. and Virginia hospitals for inpatient care.

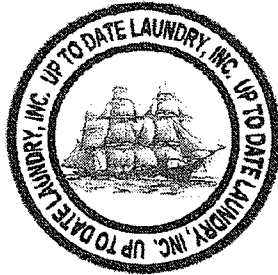
As I understand it, the new hospital will be located in the Largo area, next to a Metro Station, improving hospital access for patients and visitors. It will be linked to the University Of Maryland School Of Medicine, providing high quality, clinically advanced medical care. This new regional medical center will have significant positive impact on the economy of both the state of Maryland and of Prince George's County.

It is my opinion that the hospital project is reasonable and well thought out. I support the project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Toby N. Byrd
Byrd & Byrd, LLC

Board of Deacons, Grace Baptist Church, Bowie
Chairman, School Board, Grace Christian School
Board of Directors, Wabanna Camp and Conference Center
Past President, Westview Homeowner's Association, Bowie



September 3, 2013
Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am pleased to offer my support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System. The plans for the replacement hospital are timely and necessary. This is particularly needed, as Prince George's Hospital Center is a regional medical center for many low income residents of Prince George's County. Furthermore, the new location will be more accessible than is the existing hospital. Dimensions takes its central role as the County's health care system very seriously, and it serves more low income residents than any other provider in the County. Additionally, I find the hospital's plans to be practical with emphasis on addressing community needs.

The acute health care needs of the residents of Prince George's County are best served with state-of-the-art facilities that anticipate the growing demands of our aging population, improve the ability to recruit physicians, while making it less complicated for residents of the entire service area to access the hospital. I hope that you will approve Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Carter".

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September 18, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
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RE: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

As a member of the Prince George's Hospital Center's community, I'm writing to offer my support in favor of the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System. The new regional medical center will have a significant positive economic impact benefiting not only Prince George's County, but the State's economy as well.

As the largest Prince George's headquartered bank serving the citizens of suburban Maryland, Old Line Bank is committed to the growth and prosperity of the communities that surround us. I believe the new regional medical center will also serve as a community partner by helping to meet the ongoing demand for quality health care to the residents of Prince George's County, in a state-of-the-art facility.

I support this project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves the Certificate of Need application submitted on behalf of the Prince George's Hospital Center.

Sincerely,

James W. Cornelsen
President and Chief
Executive Officer

JWC/smr



Coalition for Smarter Growth

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September 14, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director, Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

RE: Support for Certificate of Need application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

Please accept this letter on behalf of the Coalition for Smarter Growth. Our regional organization focuses on ensuring transportation and development decisions are made with genuine community involvement and accommodate growth while revitalizing communities, providing more housing and travel choices, and conserving our natural and historic areas.

We are pleased to express our support for the Certificate of Need application for the Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. We strongly support the proposed relocation and replacement of the old hospital with the new Regional Medical Center at the Largo Town Center Metro station. Given the hospital's aging facilities, we welcome the renewal and upgrading of these essential medical facilities that provide essential care for Prince George's residents, including uninsured patients. We are eager to see the delivery of state-of-the-art facilities to better serve county and southern Maryland residents.

We also commend the decision to locate the new medical center at the Largo Metro station, which is both a rail and bus hub. The central location, and direct transit access will give the medical center enhanced accessibility for patients, visitors and workers. The new access that will be offered with this Metro-station location will help the large workforce have better transportation choices for commuting to work, and will help the hospital recruit and retain workers who seek better transportation options.

Over the last year, we have highlighted the opportunity to enhance access to healthcare and jobs by locating the new hospital at a Metro station. We are pleased with the decision of the applicants to relocate the medical center to the Largo Metro station and take full advantage of this new accessibility. We will continue to support the efforts of the applicants as they work to design a world-class medical facility for Prince George's and southern Maryland.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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THOMAS P. DeVITO, INC.

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR

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September 5, 2013

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4160 Patterson Avenue
Baltimore, Md. 21215

RE: Certificate Of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my strong support for the Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center to replace the current hospital. Prince George's County needs a state-of-the-art tertiary facility to serve the medical needs of its residents. The current hospital facility is aging and needs to be improved to meet the demands of its aging population. Also, locating the new hospital in the Largo area, next to a Metro Station will improve access for patients and visitors. I believe this project is well thought out and would be an asset to the county.

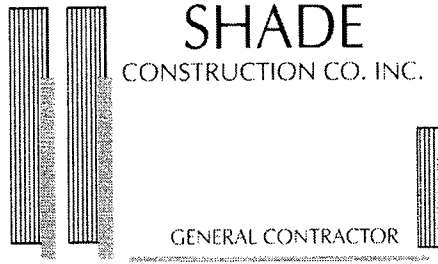
I support this project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center Certificate of Need Application.

Sincerely,



Thomas P. DeVito, Jr.

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Sincerely,

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September 5, 2013

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RE: *Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center*

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my strong support for the Certificate of Need Application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to relocate from Cheverly, Maryland, to a new state-of-the-art facility in Largo, Maryland, adjacent to the Largo Metro stop. The functional obsolescence of the current facility, combined with a much more accessible location of the proposed hospital, make this plan an absolutely necessity and long overdue.

In spite of numerous arguments from neighboring hospital systems which the Commission is certain to hear regarding the potential loss of patients and reduced profits because of this new hospital, I would suggest that their loss of patients would be Prince George's County residents who currently leave the county for their healthcare needs for obvious reasons.

The residents of Prince George's County have a critical need for a centrally located state-of-the-art teaching hospital that provides a variety of specialty care and tertiary services, and I encourage the Commission to approve the Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need Application.

Sincerely,

TRANSWESTERN

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September 12, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

It is with great pleasure that I express my strong support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace the current hospital. Prince George's County needs a state-of-the-art tertiary facility to serve the medical needs of the County's residents. The current hospital facility is aging. I believe the hospital project is well thought-out and would be an asset to our county.

In addition to meeting the medical needs of the County residents, this site meets the needs of accessibility. Locating the new hospital in the Largo area next to a Metro Station will improve access for patients, workers, and visitors. As the President of Smart Growth America's Leadership Institute, I am a strong proponent for careful land use and location decisions and for development oriented around transit. For facilities such as a hospital, it is critical that visitors of all abilities and employees can get to the facility using transit or by walking, as driving is not always an option. This site meets those important goals. This, of course, is Maryland state policy that facilities such as the new hospital should be located in transit-accessible sites.

In summary, I support this project wholeheartedly and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Parris N. Glendening".

Parris N. Glendening
Governor (1995-2003)



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September 19, 2013

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Executive Director
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

On behalf of Progressive Cheverly, we wish to express our support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility.

Prince George's Hospital Center as a new regional medical center, is uniquely suited to serve the range of medical needs of all of the residents of Prince George's County. The new location will be more assessable than is the existing hospital, and will be very close to public transit. The Dimensions Health Care system takes its central role in the County's health care system seriously and currently serves more low income residents than any other provider in the County.

The acute health care needs of the residents of Prince George's County will be best served with state-of-the-art facilities that anticipate the growing demands of our young and our aging populations, improve the ability to recruit physicians, while making it easier for residents of the entire service area to access the hospital. We look forward to your approval of Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Barbara H. Guest and Leon Harris
Co-Chairs Progressive Cheverly Health Committee



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September 25, 2013

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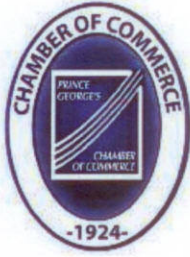
Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express the Prince George's Chamber of Commerce support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. After many years and many false starts, our county leadership has invited broad community input and strong support from our state leaders, to come to agree on a real solution to improving health infrastructure and building the health system necessary to meet the complex needs of our residents. The proposed hospital replacement and relocation project is the core of the larger plan that should adjust the troubling health status indicators that we have endured.

Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the vital healthcare needs of our residents. While that system currently provides over half of the acute care and emergency services provided in the county, a substantial number of our residents choose to seek care in other jurisdictions. A county with a population of nearly 900,000 and which covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require. This proposed project, with the range of complex services that a university affiliated medical center should provide, would do much to promote better quality of care, and support a network of community-based providers and organizations that would promote better access and preventative services.

Prince George's Hospital Center is an indispensable resource for our residents. Residents look to the Hospital for information, prevention, and treatment services. The hospital requires single-patient rooms and other modern amenities in order to provide safer care with dignity. Completion of this project will resolve deficiencies at the existing hospital and will allow it to better meet these responsibilities. The proposed location on the major regional highway arteries will make it more convenient to all Prince George's residents.



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This project is vitally necessary and represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital capacity in this county. We support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

David C. Harrington
President and CEO

cc: Governor Martin O'Malley
Lt. Governor Anthony Brown
County Executive Rushern Baker
Neil Moore, Dimensions Healthcare System



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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL (Erika.murray@dimensionshealth.org)

Erika Murray, Vice President of Marketing and Public Relations
Prince George's Hospital Center
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Cheverly, Maryland

RE: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Ms. Murray:

I am a current Prince George's Hospital Center board member and fully aware of the need for the State of Art hospital. Prince George's Hospital Center cares for more Medicaid and uninsured patients than any other hospital in Prince George's County and is a major provider of health care for all County residents. I cannot overemphasize the importance of the hospital's role in keeping Prince George's County residents healthy. The Hospital must be a "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the growing needs of our residents in this new century.

The hospital requires new patient rooms in order to meet our population's needs. The hospital has proven itself to be a responsible provider which is cost conscious and fiscally responsible. It should be rewarded for showing that it can provide high quality care at a reasonable cost. As the regional medical center for Southern Maryland, the hospital is an indispensable resource for our residents for both inpatient and outpatient care. Residents look to the hospital for information, prevention, and treatment services. The hospital must be able to meet these needs. Completion of this project will resolve deficiencies at the existing hospital and will allow it to meet these responsibilities.

I support this project and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need Application.



Sincerely,

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Bruce A. Johnson, Jr.
Prince George's County Hospital Center
Board Member



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Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
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Dear Mr. Steffen,

I served as the Chief Executive of Prince George's County during the 1970 – 1978 period. Prior to that I was a Volunteer Supporter of Prince George's Hospital. I was asked by the then County Executive Parris Glendening to restructure the Hospital in 1982. I accepted the challenge and acted as a single Person Board during the 1980's while rebuilding was accomplished. I served as the non-paid volunteer Chairman until 1992 when I accepted the role of President and CEO.

Several initiatives were undertaken to merge the Hospital System with the University of Maryland System during that period. I also was able to attract several National Health Care Companies who were interested in rebuilding the Hospital System. Unfortunately the officials of the County in position to agree to a sale or merger of the System were adamant in their rejection of any movement to improve the hospital status.

Comes now the new administration of County Executive Resheen Baker and the new county council, coupled with a renewed interest by The University of Maryland Hospital System. Finally, a much needed upgrade of the health care capabilities for Prince George's County Residents can be put in place.

Approval of the certificate of need is required for this much needed facility to become a reality. As one who initiated the discussion and worked for its implementation the early beginning in the 1970's it is my fervent hope the request for a certificate of need be approved and the facility move forward to completion.

Sincerely,



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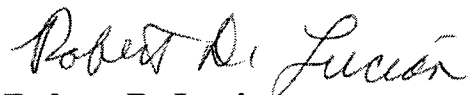
Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my support for the Certificate of Need application filed by the Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. Prince George's Hospital Center has served the needs of the county for many years in the outdated facility that it now occupies and the time for a new building and location is now. A new state of the art facility will be attractive to many physicians and specialists.

Being connected with the University of Maryland School of Medicine will be an addition that will add more advanced medical care. A benefit to the community.

The completion of this new facility will allow the Hospital to better meet the needs of the community.

I support this project and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.



**Robert D. Lucian
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September 9, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

My name is André Lynch and I am President and CEO of Ingenium Corporation, a Prince Georges County company. I am writing to express my support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. Prince George's Hospital Center cares for more Medicaid and uninsured patients than any other hospital in Prince George's County and is a major provider of health care for all County residents. The Hospital must be a "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the growing needs of our residents in this new century.

As an Information Technology service provider to Hospitals in the Public, Private and Military sectors, I am keenly aware of the challenges of providing quality care to patients in aging facilities. The advances were most evident when our company supported the move of the Walter Reed Hospital from its old facility in Washington, DC to a state of the art facility in Bethesda, Maryland. Quality of care; employee and patient moral; and operational efficiency were dramatically improved.

The hospital requires new patient rooms and other modern amenities in order to meet our population's needs. As the regional medical center for Southern Maryland, the Hospital is an indispensable resource for our residents for both inpatient and outpatient care. Residents look to the Hospital for information, prevention, and treatment services.

I support this project and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

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André L. Lynch
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September 5, 2013

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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

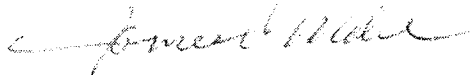
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I support this project and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



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September 16, 2013

Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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RE: PRINCE GEORGE'S HOSPITAL CENTER; CERTIFICATE OF NEED

Dear Mr. Steffen:

Having represented Prince George's Hospital Center for over ten years, I am pleased to take this opportunity to share with you my voice in support of PGHC's application for a certificate of need filed with your office. As a healthcare attorney seeking reimbursement from insurance companies and health plans, my firm's mission is dedicated to ensuring access to healthcare, and I affirm this mission is exactly consonant with PGHC's mission of healthcare delivery.

It is no accident or dint of chance that PGHC has been required to move to new facilities. Indeed, this need for a new location emphasizes the hospital's increasingly important role in the Washington, DC metropolitan area. To be sure, PGHC already serves more low-income residents in Prince George's County than any other provider of care in the county.

Over the past decade, I have witnessed at a close level the important services PGHC renders to the community, and with particular emphasis toward the low-income and needy members of Prince George's County. The hospital's need to move locations is driven by the goal of ensuring that *patient access* is meaningful and tangible. Most obviously, many of PGHC's consumers require access to public transportation, and many do not have such means readily available. The hospital's intended move is precisely *access-oriented* and will accommodate such "access gaps" in the delivery to healthcare.

Also, by moving locations, the hospital will be able to expand physical accessibility, securing needed patient care, and allowing for access to an array of services not readily available at the current facility. For instance, the improved facilities at the new hospital will allow for an increased spectrum of primary care practitioners, state-of-the-art technologies and availability to specialists and allied healthcare professionals in a single location that will streamline patient care, thereby increasing the delivery of healthcare to this important (but often ignored) segment of our community.

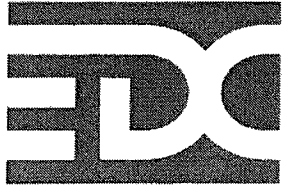
With confidence that your office will consider and approve Prince George's Hospital Center's application for a certificate of need, I invite you to contact me should you have any questions.

Mr. Ben Stefen
September 16, 2013
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Respectfully yours,

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September 13, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

The Prince George's County Economic Development Corporation strongly supports the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. The proposed facility is the centerpiece of a comprehensive plan that will upgrade access and care options for the residents of Prince George's County. When completed, this project will help the entire provider community by stabilizing the patient care environment of the region by providing the access desired by all demographic and income groups to modern and efficient facilities. This will help to make the region more attractive to new physicians and other health care professionals.

Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the vital healthcare needs of its residents. A county with a population of nearly 900,000 and which covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require. This proposed project, with the range of complex services that a university affiliated medical center should provide, would do much to promote better quality of care, and would promote better access and preventative services.

This project is vitally necessary and represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital capacity in that county. We support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Gwen S. McCall
President/CEO

September 5, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
Baltimore, Maryland 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my strong support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace the current hospital. As a former Board of Directors member I know first-hand the need of a state-of-the-art facility to serve the medical needs of county residents. The current hospital campus has served the community well, but is out of date. The fact that a new facility would be located next to a Metro Station will improve access for patients and visitors. I firmly believe that the new hospital project has been well conceived and would definitely be an asset to our county.

I support this project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,


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Managing Director
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September 19, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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I support this project and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

With kindest regards,

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Kenneth H. Michael
Chairman of the Board

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August 29, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

As a member of the Prince George's Hospital Center's community, (Access to Wholistic and Productive Living Institute (AWPLI) Inc, and Living the Vision Empowerment Coalition, we are honored to offer our support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System.

AWPLI mission is to promote sustainable health and improve the quality of life by addressing public health and public education needs of our low-income, medically underserved communities. We envision available, accessible, and accountable quality healthcare for all without any exception because of social economic position or any other socially determined circumstances.

Prince George's Hospital Center (PGHC) is a pillar to the low-income, medically underserved communities in Prince George's County, and on countless occasions has partnered with community-based organization to participate in outreach health activities, host health promotions and disease prevention community activities at the hospital center in a comfortable and caring environment. As a devoted and dedicated supporter and partner (13 years) to the Prince George's Hospital, we agree that the plans for the replacement hospital are timely and necessary.

For example: most of the buildings at PGHC are over fifty years old; PGHC cares for more Medicaid and uninsured patients than any other hospital in the County; and is a major provider of health care for all County residents. We cannot overemphasize the importance of the hospital's role in keeping Prince George's County residents healthy. The Hospital Center must be a "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the growing needs of our residents in this new century.

The hospital requires new patient rooms in order to meet our population's needs. The hospital has proven itself to be a responsible provider which is cost conscious and fiscally responsible. It should be rewarded for showing that it can provide high quality care at a reasonable cost. The acute health care needs of the residents of Prince George's County are best served with state-of-the-art facilities that anticipate the growing demands of our aging population, improve the ability to recruit physicians, while making it less complicated for residents of the entire service area to access the hospital. The hospital's project is well thought out and cost effective

Also, locating the new hospital next to a Metro Station will improve access for patients and visitors. This is particularly needed, as Prince George's Hospital Center is a regional Medical Center for many low-income residents of our County.

Furthermore, the new location will be more accessible than is the existing hospital. Prince George's Hospital Center (Dimension) takes its central role in the County's health care system seriously, and it serves more low-income residents than any other provider in the County. Additionally, we find the hospital's plans to be practical and fiscally conservative.

We hope that you will favorably and approve Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Bettye Muwwakkil".

Bettye Muwwakkil PhD
Executive Director AWPLI
Founder of LVEC

cc: Patricia Tihansky

Aging Gracefully, LLC
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September 23, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen, Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Dear Mr. Steffen,

As a member of the Prince George's County Senior Provider Network, I am writing to offer my strong support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Prince George's Hospital Center/Dimensions Healthcare System.

The current aging hospital, located in Cheverly, badly needs replacing with a state of the art facility. It is my understanding that the new regional hospital will be affiliated with the University Of Maryland School Of Medicine to provide high quality, clinically advanced medical care. It will have significant positive economic impact on the residents of Prince George's County and the entire State of Maryland.

This facility will be especially significant to our senior population, improving the hospital's ability to attract and recruit top-notch physicians, including geriatricians. Its location near a Metro Station will improve hospital access for all patients and visitors.

I support this project, and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



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September 15, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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I support this project and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



Stephen Piscitelli,
President

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September 25, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am a member of the Prince George's County Hospital Foundation Board and I strongly support the Certificate of Need filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. As an elder law attorney my practice allows me to see the needs of the aging population in our community and the increasing need for competent medical services for the residents of Prince George's County.

When completed, this project will help the entire provider community by stabilizing the patient care environment of the region by providing the access desired by all demographic and income groups to modern and efficient facilities. This will help to make the region more attractive to new physicians and other health care professionals.

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Best Regards,



Karren Jo Pope-Onwukwe
Attorney at Law



12 September, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215-229

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

As a board member of the Bowie Health Center Foundation, I am pleased to offer my support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System. The plans for the replacement hospital are timely and necessary. This is particularly needed, as Prince George's Hospital Center is a regional medical center for many low income residents of Prince George's County. Furthermore, the new location will be more accessible than is the existing hospital. Dimensions take its central role as the County's health care system very seriously, and it serves more low income residents than any other provider in the County. Additionally, I find the hospitals' plans to be practical with emphasis on addressing community needs.

The acute health care needs of the residents of Prince George's County are best served with state-of-the-art facilities that anticipate the growing demands of our aging population, improve the ability to recruit physicians, while making it less complicated for residents of the entire service area to access the hospital. I hope that you will approve Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Best,

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September 9, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

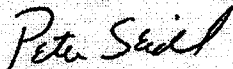
Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. Prince George's Hospital Center cares for more Medicaid and uninsured patients than any other hospital in Prince George's County and is a major provider of health care for all County residents. I cannot overemphasize the importance of the hospital's role in keeping Prince George's County residents healthy. The Hospital must be a "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the growing needs of our residents in this new century.

The hospital required new patient rooms and other modern amenities in order to meet our population's needs. As the regional medical center for Southern Maryland, the Hospital is an indispensable resource for our residents for both inpatient and outpatient care. Residents look to the Hospital for information, prevention, and treatment services. The hospital must be able to meet these needs. Completion of this project will resolve deficiencies at the existing hospital and will allow it to meet these responsibilities.

I support this project and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



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September 25, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen, Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
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Dear Mr. Steffen,

As a Maryland business owner, tax-payer and citizen of Prince Georges County, I am writing to offer my strong support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Prince George's Hospital Center/Dimensions Healthcare System.

The current aging hospital, located in Cheverly, needs to be replaced with an updated facility that can better and more effectively deliver state-of-the art health care. It is my understanding that the new regional hospital will be affiliated with the University of Maryland School Of Medicine to provide high quality, clinically advanced medical care. This will have a significant positive economic impact on the residents of Prince George's County and the State of Maryland.

The new facility will be especially significant to our senior population. In particular, it will improve the hospital's ability to attract and recruit top-notch physicians, including geriatricians. The proposed location near a Metro Station will also improve hospital access for patients and visitors.

I support this project, and strongly urge the Maryland Health Care Commission to approve Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Susan Shorters

Susan Shorters
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September 27, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
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RE: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my strong support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace the current hospital. Prince George's County needs a state-of-the-art tertiary facility to serve the medical needs of our county residents. The current hospital facility is aging. Also, locating the new hospital in the Largo area, next to a Metro Station will improve access for patients and visitors. I believe the hospital project is well thought out and would be an asset to our county.

I support this project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Aubrey R. Walker

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September 20, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen, Executive Director
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Mr. Steffen,

As a citizen of Prince George's County, a senior citizen and member of the Board of Directors of United Seniors of Maryland, as well as, a retired medical social worker and Vice President of the Prince George's Senior Provider Network, I want to lend my unqualified support for the Certificate of Need application by the Prince George's Hospital Center/Dimensions Healthcare System.

The citizens of Prince George's County are entitled to a state of the art health system and the replacement of the Cheverly facility and with a new facility at the Metro New Carrollton Station is the first step towards implementing this quality system. I am thrilled that the Maryland School of Medicine will be affiliating with the new regional hospital system, but they cannot be expected to work in a facility as old and outdated as PG Hospital. In addition, with the implementation of the Affordable Care Act, Prince George's Hospital Center will be competing with other area facilities for patients who will be able to go to any facility of their choice and they will not choose to go to a facility as old and as decrepit as Prince George's Hospital Center. We need to keep our patient's in Prince George's County Maryland; this is an economic imperative.

Finally, I am very hopeful that with a state of the art facility that Prince George's Health System will implement a Senior Emergency Care system that has been shown to reduce senior hospitalizations due to the coordinated care and discharge planning and to provide better medical outcomes for seniors.

I was very impressed that the facility was placed in New Carrollton which has accessible public transportation, is centrally located in the county and has room to grow, hopefully, in to an impressive, high quality, state of the art, regional medical system. My only sadness is that we do not already have it and must wait for it to be built. So, please approve the Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application now so that we can have a ground breaking soon!



Susan A. Walker, MSW, LICSW, LCSW

LETTERS OF SUPPORT

— EDUCATION —



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October 1, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center.

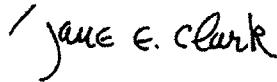
Prince George's County, The State of Maryland, University of Maryland Medical System Corporation, University System of Maryland, and Dimensions Health Corporation entered into a Memorandum of Understanding Agreement in July, 2011, to jointly seek a long-term solution to the operational and financial challenges of Dimensions Healthcare System, as well as identify solutions to the public health issues of Prince George's County. Our School of Public Health contributed to the study process by conducting a public health impact study ("Transforming Health In Prince George's County, Maryland: A Public Health Impact Study") that assessed and mapped major health needs and health services practices of county residents and the county's existing health care workforce and public health capacity. The study also documented stakeholder perceptions and captured best practices from other systems of care. With this input the study identified recommendations to help solve the public health issues of the County. These recommendations included the establishment of a high-quality, academically-affiliated regional medical center with a strong and collaborative, prevention-focused ambulatory care network. Our recommendations recognized that such a medical center and network would serve as the anchor to the transformation of the health care system, one that would have strong relationships with the community and be committed to population health. We believe that the recommended healthcare delivery model directly addresses our study recommendations and is anticipated to achieve the following benefits:

- The new regional medical center will be connected to a health system that will promote improved access to primary care with a focus on delivering care based upon population health management principles. It will be a community partner in helping to improve the health status of Prince George's County residents.
- The new regional medical center will serve as a vital asset to assist with successfully recruiting needed physicians of many specialties to the region, with emphasis to reducing the primary care deficiency within Prince George's County.

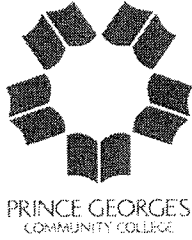
- The new regional medical center will be more centrally located within Prince George's County, with improved accessibility to residents of Southern Maryland for secondary and tertiary care. The planned location for the new regional medical center will be extremely accessible given its proximity to I-495 and the Largo Town Center Metro transportation station.
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- The regional medical center would serve as a catalyst of bringing back the approximately 23,000 residents of Prince George's County that currently utilize Washington D.C. and Virginia hospitals for inpatient care.
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The primary, secondary, and tertiary healthcare needs of the residents of Prince George's County and the entire Southern Maryland region will be best served by this planned "state-of-the-art facility." I hope that you will approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jane E. Clark". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J".

Jane E. Clark, Ph.D.
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September 25, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

Prince George's Community College strongly supports the Certificate of Need Application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. The proposed facility is the centerpiece of a comprehensive plan that will upgrade access and care options for the residents of Prince George's County. The new facility will help to make the region more attractive to new physicians and other health care professionals.

Prince George's Hospital Center has been a remarkable clinical training site for Prince George's Community College (PGCC) students in our nursing and allied health programs. PGCC has an established history of providing high-quality education within the health sciences disciplines. The college offers certificate and degree programs in the following health sciences disciplines: Nursing, Radiography, Respiratory Therapy, Health Information Management, Nuclear Medicine and Paramedic. In the next year, we will be adding degree programs in Medical Assisting and Surgical Technology. The curriculum for each of these programs is divided into didactic, laboratory, and clinical education courses. For the clinical education courses, students rotate through various clinical sites (i.e. hospitals) and achieve competency in clinical skills under direct supervision. Enrollment in these programs is at capacity which is set based upon the number of available hospitals at which students can complete the clinical portion of the curricula.

Although Prince George's Community College has increased the amount of human patient simulation in our health programs, to be truly competent to enter the workforce as a healthcare practitioner, students must not only comprehend the cognitive aspects of patient care, they must be provided the opportunity to perform the psychomotor skills required to perform clinical skills, and to demonstrate ability to interact with

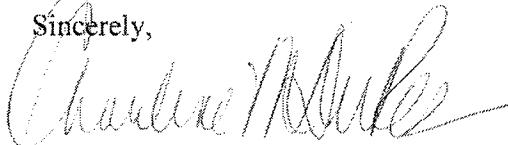
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patients and other healthcare practitioners successfully in the affective domain. A new state-of-the-art facility in the county that is willing to partner with the college could potentially allow us to increase capacity in our programs. This in turn would lead to an increased number of qualified healthcare workers entering the workforce.

Prince George's Hospital Center is a valued resource to our academic endeavors. This proposed project, with the range of complex services that a university affiliated medical center should provide, would do much to promote better quality of care.

Prince George's Community College supports this new hospital facility and hopes that the Commission approves the Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center.

Sincerely,

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Charlene M. Dukes



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September 16, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen

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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

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I support this project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves the Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

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regional medical center will be extremely accessible given its proximity to I-495 and the Largo Town Center Metro transportation station.

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The primary, secondary, and tertiary healthcare needs of the residents of Prince George's County and the entire Southern Maryland region will be best served by this planned "state-of-the-art facility." I hope that you will approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely yours,



William E. Kirwan
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September 30, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
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- The new regional medical center will be more centrally located within Prince George's County. Its proximity to I-495 and the Largo Town Center Metro transportation will

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- significantly improve accessibility. Also, it will greatly improve Southern Maryland residents' accessibility to secondary and tertiary care.
- The new facility will have linkages with the University of Maryland School of Medicine in providing high-quality, academically-based, clinically advanced medical care to support the regional medical center's continuing mission of being a tertiary center.
 - The new facility will have natural linkages with the School of Public Health's faculty and students, as part of their ongoing extensive work with community partners.
 - The regional medical center would serve as a catalyst, bringing back the approximately 23,000 residents of Prince George's County that currently travel to Washington D.C. and Virginia hospitals for in-patient care.
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The primary, secondary and tertiary healthcare needs of the residents of Prince George's County and the entire Southern Maryland region will be best served by this planned state-of-the-art facility, providing a major increase of highly skilled care in this medically underserved community. I urge you to approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



Wallace D. Loh
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September 15, 2013

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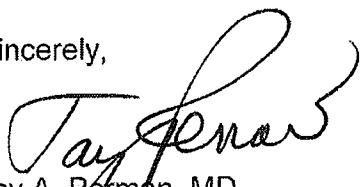
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Sincerely,



Jay A. Perman, MD
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LETTERS OF SUPPORT

— GOVERNMENT / COUNTY —



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September 24, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

We are writing to express our support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center.

Prince George's County and Southern Maryland residents need and deserve a "state-of-the-art" tertiary care hospital facility that will meet the growing demands of our aging population.

The new regional medical center will be more centrally located within Prince George's County, with improved accessibility to residents of Southern Maryland for secondary and tertiary care.

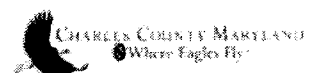
The new regional medical center will have linkages with the University of Maryland School of Medicine in providing high quality, clinically advanced medical care. Such a high-quality medical facility should draw back patients who reside in the Southern Maryland region who are now seeking care in Washington D.C. and Virginia hospitals.

The new regional medical center will have a significant positive economic impact to Prince George's County and the region. The new regional medical center will serve as a catalyst for bring in new healthcare professionals into the area and help reduce health care professional shortages.

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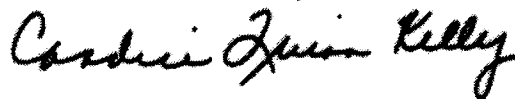


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We respectfully request that the Maryland Health Care Commission approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Very truly,

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND



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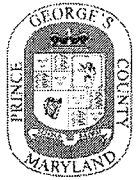


Debra M. Davis, Esq.



Bobby Rucci

cc: Erika Murray, Dimensions Healthcare System



Rushern L. Baker, III
County Executive

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

September 25, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
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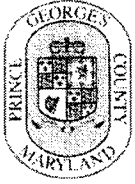
I wholeheartedly support the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to relocate and replace its facility. The proposed facility is the centerpiece of a comprehensive plan for a healthcare system that will upgrade access and care options for the residents of Prince George's County. When completed, this project also will help the entire provider community. It will stabilize the patient care environment of the region by providing the access to modern and efficient facilities that is desired by all demographic and income groups. This will help to make the region more attractive to new physicians and other health care professionals.

Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the vital healthcare needs of its residents. A County with a population of nearly 900,000 which covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require. This proposed project, with the range of complex services that a university-affiliated medical center should provide, would do much to promote better quality of care, as well as access to specialty and preventative services.

This project is vitally necessary and represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital capacity in Prince George's County. I recommend and fully support this new regional medical center and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,


Rushern L. Baker, III
County Executive



THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT

Fire/EMS Department Headquarters

Office of the Fire Chief



September 25, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

On behalf of the Prince George's County Fire/Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Department, I am writing to express my support for the Certificate of Need Application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center.

The Fire/EMS Department strives to improve the quality of life in Prince George's County by promoting safety, and providing the highest quality of fire prevention, fire protection, emergency medical services, and community outreach programs.

The Fire/EMS Department is the provider of emergency medical services to Prince George's County. With a population estimated over 880,000, we experience a request for emergency medical services every five (5) minutes on average. Our mission to provide quality pre-hospital emergency medical services has a direct link to the greater healthcare continuum. The effectiveness of the pre-hospital care system is completely reliant on the ability of the hospital system to accept patients on a timely manner and remain available to ambulance transports.

Acknowledging we function as part of the greater healthcare system, a high-quality, academically affiliated regional medical center that is designed to support patient throughput and surge capacity is needed within Prince George's County. Such a facility is one of the recommendations of the University of Maryland School of Public Health in their report, "Transforming Health In Prince George's County, Maryland: A Public Health Impact Study."

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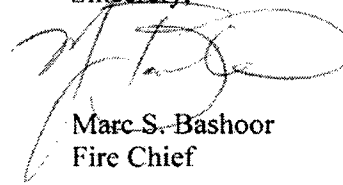
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The Prince George's County Fire/EMS Department is completely supportive of the construction of a new healthcare facility within Prince George's County and urges approval of the Certificate of Need Application. I respectfully request that the Maryland Health Care Commission approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need Application.

Sincerely,

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Marc S. Bashoor
Fire Chief

Copy to: Erika Murray, Dimensions Healthcare System



Rusham L. Baker, III
County Executive

THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT
Department of Family Services

September 30, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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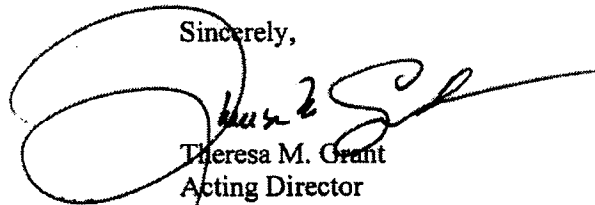
Dear Mr. Steffen:

It is with great pleasure that the Prince George's County Department of Family Services submits this letter in support of the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center/Dimensions Healthcare System. As the only County-chartered human service agency in Prince George's County, we fully understand the need and importance of high quality health care services for the vulnerable populations that we serve. We also understand that a new regional medical center with a more central location, will improve access to care for our nearly 900,000 residents.

The proposed facility will be especially significant for our senior population; children, youth and families; and individuals with disabilities. In addition, being affiliated with the University Of Maryland School Of Medicine is significant to attract and recruit top notch physicians in a variety of disciplines including geriatricians, psychologists, psychiatrists and specialty surgeons. A new regional medical center will also have a substantial positive economic impact for Prince George's County as well as the entire State of Maryland.

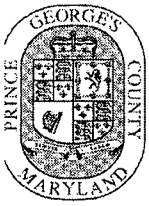
Again, the Prince George's County Department of Family Services enthusiastically supports the Certificate of Need application filed by the Prince George's Hospital Center/Dimensions Healthcare System and we hope that it meets the approval of the Maryland Health Care Commission. If you are in need of any additional information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. We look forward to supporting your efforts in the future.

Sincerely,



Theresa M. Grant
Acting Director

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THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT

ANDREA C. HARRISON, Chair
Council Member - District 5

SEP 23 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need (CON) Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

On behalf of my colleagues on the Prince George's County Council, and in anticipation of the successful Certificate of Need application, I wish to express the Prince George's County Council's strong support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center.

Prince George's County, University of Maryland Medical System Corporation, University System of Maryland, and Dimensions Health Corporation entered into a Memorandum of Understanding in July, 2011, to jointly seek a long-term solution to the operational and financial challenges of Dimensions Healthcare System, as well as identify solutions to the public health issues of Prince George's County. The study process included the University of Maryland School of Public Health completing a public health impact study ("Transforming Health In Prince George's County, Maryland: A Public Health Impact Study"). This study identified recommendations to help solve the public health issues of the County. These recommendations included the establishment of a high-quality, academically affiliated regional medical center with a strong ambulatory care network. This recommended healthcare delivery model is anticipated to achieve the following benefits:

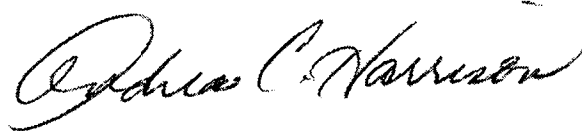
- The new regional medical center will be connected to a health system that will promote improved access to primary care with a focus on delivering care based upon population health management principles. It will be a community partner in helping to improve the health status of Prince George's County residents.
- The new regional medical center will serve as a vital asset to assist with successfully recruiting needed physicians of many specialties to the region. The impetus is to reduce the primary care deficiency within Prince George's County.

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- The new regional medical center will be centrally located within Prince George's County, with improved accessibility to residents of the southern portion of the state for secondary and tertiary care. The planned location for the new regional medical center will be extremely accessible given its proximity to I-495 and the Largo Town Center Metro transportation station.
- The new facility will have linkages with the University of Maryland School of Medicine in providing high quality, clinically advanced medical care to support the regional medical center's continuing mission of being a tertiary center.
- The regional medical center will serve as a catalyst to attract the approximately 23,000 residents of Prince George's County that currently utilize Washington D.C. and Virginia hospitals for inpatient care.
- The new regional medical center will have a significant positive economic impact on Prince George's County as well as having a positive impact on the State of Maryland's economy.

The primary, secondary, and tertiary healthcare needs of the residents of Prince George's County and the entire region will be best served by this planned "state-of-the-art facility." In closing, allow me to reiterate the County Council's strong support of Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application. Please let us know if we can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

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Andrea C. Harrison,
Council Chair



Thomas R. Hendershot

Attorney at Law

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September 3, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen

Executive Director

Maryland Health Care Commission

Baltimore, MD 21210-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

As a 24 year elected official in Prince George's County and current member of the board of Directors of the Dimensions Health Care System, I write to support Dimension's application for a Certificate of Need for a replacement hospital to relocated the Prince George's Hospital Center.

Our hospital serves more Medicaid and uninsured patients than any in the region, including a growing number from the District of Columbia, and is a major provider of care for Prince George's County residents. Its role keeping Prince Georgians healthy is unmatched. These patients deserve a "state of the art" facility that is easily accessible and can meet the growing demands of our aging population.

Our residents look to the Hospital Center for information, prevention and treatment services, as well as for both in-patient and out-patient care. The new hospital will improve our ability to meet these needs at a more accessible location, and it will improve our ability to recruit physicians, thus improving access to care.

I urge you to approve the Prince George's Hospital Center's application for a Certificate of Need.

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter.

Best regards,



Thomas R. Hendershot



PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND CONFERENCE & VISITORS BUREAU

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September 3, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
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Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my strong support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace the current hospital. Prince George's County needs a state-of-the-art tertiary facility to serve the medical needs of our county residents. The current hospital facility is aging. Also, locating the new hospital in the Largo area, next to a Metro Station will improve access for patients and visitors. I believe the hospital project is well thought out and would be an asset to our county.

I support this project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

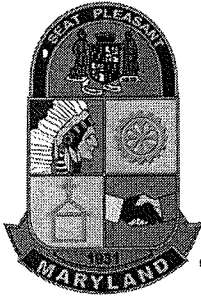
Sincerely,

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J. Matthew Neitzey, CAE, CDME/CEcD
Executive Director

LETTERS OF SUPPORT

— GOVERNMENT / LOCAL —



City of Seat Pleasant

Eugene W. Grant, Mayor

September 12, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

The City of Seat Pleasant, "A City of Excellence," and I, strongly support the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. After many years of debate, our county leadership has invited broad community input and strong support from our state leaders, to come to agree on a real solution to improving health infrastructure and building the health system necessary to meet the needs of our residents. The proposed hospital replacement and relocation project is the core of the larger plan that should adjust the troubling health status indicators that we have endured.

Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the vital healthcare needs of our residents. While that system currently provides over half of the acute care and emergency services provided in the county, a substantial number of our residents choose to seek care in other jurisdictions. A county with a population of nearly 900,000 and which covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require. This proposed project, with the range of complex services that a university affiliated medical center should provide, would do much to promote better quality of care, and support a network of community-based providers and organizations that would promote better access and preventative services.

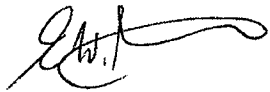
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This project application represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital resources in this county. We support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

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Yours in Excellent Service,

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Eugene W. Grant

Mayor



Town of Capitol Heights

"One Town, One Vision, One Future"

September 24, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

The Town of Capitol Heights strongly supports the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. After many years of debate, our County leadership has invited broad community input and strong support from our State leaders, to come to agree on a real solution to improving health infrastructure and building the health system necessary to meet the needs of our residents. The proposed hospital replacement and relocation project is the core of the larger plan that should adjust the troubling health status indicators that we have endured.

Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the vital healthcare needs of our residents. While that system currently provides over half of the acute care and emergency services provided in the County, a substantial number of our residents choose to seek care in other jurisdictions. A County with a population of nearly 900,000 and which covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require. This proposed project, with the range of complex services that a university affiliated medical center should provide, would do much to promote a better quality of care, and support a network of community-based providers and organizations that would promote better access and preventative services.

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allow it to better meet these responsibilities. The proposed location on the major regional highway arteries will make it more convenient to all Prince George's residents and still accessible to our Capitol Heights residents.

This project application represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital resources in this County. We support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

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Kite A. James
Mayor

Town of Bladensburg



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WALTER L. JAMES, JR.

September 27, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

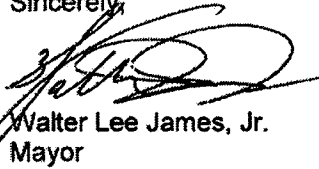
Dear Mr. Steffen:

As a member of the community concerned about health care in Prince George's Community, I am pleased to offer my support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System. The plans for the replacement hospital are timely and necessary. Prince George's Hospital Center is a regional medical center for many low income residents of the County and it is imperative to replace the facility so that residents throughout Southern Maryland can continue to receive the high quality care that they deserve. The new location will be extremely accessible given its proximity to I-495 and the Largo Town Center metro station.

Dimensions Healthcare System takes its role in the County's healthcare system very seriously and currently serves more low income residents than any other provider in the County. Additionally, the hospital's plans are both practical and fiscally conservative to not only meet the County's healthcare needs today, but to address the healthcare vision for years to come.

The acute healthcare needs of the residents of Prince George's County are best served with state-of-the-art facilities that anticipate the growing demands of our aging population and improve the ability to recruit physicians, while making it less complicated for residents of the entire service area to access the hospital. I hope that you will approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



Walter Lee James, Jr.
Mayor



CITY of NEW CARROLLTON

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September 16, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Southern Maryland Medical Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

As a long time resident of Prince George's County and a current New Carrollton City Councilmember, I am writing to support Dimension's application for a Certificate of Need for the Southern Maryland Medical Center.

The current Prince George's Hospital Center has served the residents of our county for several years. However, many of its patients are uninsured. These underprivileged individuals deserve a "state of the art" facility that is easily accessible to public transportation, and can meet the growing demands of our aging population.

The new hospital will not only meet those needs, but it will spur economic development by bringing more healthcare jobs to our county. In addition, it will be part of a larger development project that will include a town center and a new hotel. The extra revenue will increase our tax base, and help restore our local economy.

For these reasons, I encourage you to approve Dimension's application for a Certificate of Need.

Thank you in advance for your prompt attention to this matter. Please let me know if I can offer any further assistance.

Respectfully,

Lincoln Lashley
Councilmember Lincoln Lashley

James L. Marcos

September 5, 2013

7103 Quisinberry way

Bowie, Md. 20720

Mr. Ben Steffen

Executive Director

Maryland Health Care Commission

4160 Patterson Ave.

Baltimore, Md. 21215

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince Georges Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen,

As the Chairman of the Bowie Health Center foundation and also a Councilman for the City of Bowie, I am writing you today to urge my support for the Certificate of Need application submitted to you by the Dimensions Health Care System. The needs for the new hospital are very real and desperately overdue. Prince Georges County deserves high quality care that my constituents say, has only been available outside of our county.

The location of the new facility is a marvelous choice and will allow all Prince Georgians wonderful care with easy access. The plan envisioned by the system is very conservative and also address's the systems needs for years to come.

I have invested in our county with my businesses and urge you to understand that both my family and my employees, and the fine people of Prince Georges County, would be best served by a state of the art Hospital that will address the growing health care needs of the present and future. I beg you to approve the Certificate of Need for Dimensions Health Care. With this I remain,

Sincerely yours,



James L. Marcos



City of Bowie

15901 Excalibur Road
Bowie, Maryland 20716

September 17, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

The City of Bowie strongly supports the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. After many years of debate, our county leadership has invited broad community input and strong support from our state leaders, to come to agree on a real solution to improving health infrastructure and building the health system necessary to meet the needs of our residents. The proposed hospital replacement and relocation project is the core of the larger plan that should adjust the troubling health status indicators that we have endured.

Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the vital healthcare needs of our residents. While that system currently provides over half of the acute care and emergency services provided in the county, a substantial number of our residents choose to seek care in other jurisdictions. A county with a population of nearly 900,000 and which covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require. This proposed project, with the range of complex services that a university affiliated medical center should provide, would do much to promote better quality of care, and support a network of community-based providers and organizations that would promote better access and preventative services.

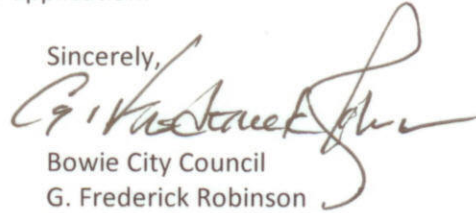
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MAYOR G. Frederick Robinson **MAYOR PRO TEM Diane M. Polangin**

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This project application represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital resources in this county. We support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

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Bowie City Council
G. Frederick Robinson
Mayor



The Town of Landover Hills

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September 18, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
Baltimore, Maryland 21215-2299

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen,

As Mayor of the Town of Landover Hills, I am pleased to offer the support of the Mayor and Council for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System. The plans for the replacement hospital are necessary and timely. This is particularly needed, as Prince George's Hospital Center is a regional medical center for many low income residents of Prince George's County. Furthermore, the new location will be more accessible than the existing hospital due to the close proximity of the Metro Station. Dimensions Healthcare System takes its central role in the County's health care system seriously, and it serves more low income residents than any other provider in the County. Additionally, I find the hospital's plans to be practical and fiscally conservative.

The acute health care needs of the residents of Prince George's County are best served with state-of-the-art facilities that anticipate the growing demands of the area's aging population, improve the ability to recruit physicians, while making it less complicated for residents of the entire service area to access the hospital. I hope that you will approve Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Lee P. Walker, Mayor
Town of Landover Hills

cc: Patricia Tihansky



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September 17, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen, Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

On behalf of the Town Council, I write to express our support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace its facility. The plans for the replacement hospital are timely and necessary. This is particularly so, as Prince George's Hospital Center is the major provider of health care for all County residents, especially for those on Medicaid, the uninsured and the elderly.

The acute health care needs of our residents will be best served with a new "state of the art" facility that anticipates the growing health care demands of our aging population, improves the ability to recruit physicians, and locating the new hospital next to a Metro Station will make it more accessible for patients and visitors than the existing hospital. Construction of a new hospital will resolve deficiencies of the existing hospital and allow it to better meet its in-patient and out-patient care responsibilities.

I cannot over emphasize the importance of this regional hospital's role in keeping Prince George's County residents healthy and urge approval of the Prince George's Hospital Center Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

James T. Wilkinson
Mayor Pro Tem

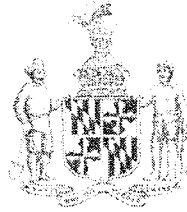
LETTERS OF SUPPORT

— GOVERNMENT / STATE —

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Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
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September 18, 2013

Dear Mr. Steffen:

The Prince George's County Delegation of the Maryland House of Delegates strongly supports the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. After many years of debate, our county leadership has secured broad community input and strong support from our state leaders, leading to a real solution to significantly improve our health infrastructure and build a health system necessary to meet the complex needs of our residents.

The proposed hospital replacement and relocation project is the core of the larger plan that should adjust the troubling health status indicators that we have endured.

The Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, modern facility in order to continue meeting the vital healthcare needs of our residents. While the current system provides more than half of the acute care and emergency services received in the county, a substantial number of our residents choose to seek care in other jurisdictions. A county with a population of nearly 900,000 that covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require.

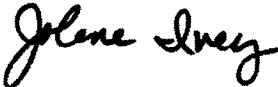
The range of complex services that a university affiliated medical center should provide through this project would do much to promote better quality of care, and would help support a network of community-based providers and organizations to promote better access and preventative services.

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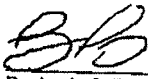
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This application represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital resources in this county. As a delegation, we support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

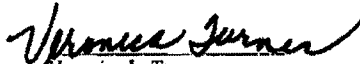
Sincerely,



Jolene Ivey
Chair, Prince George's House Delegation
Delegate, District 47



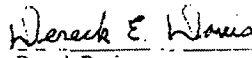
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Vice Chair, Prince George's House Delegation
Delegate, District 21



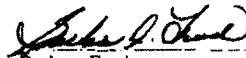
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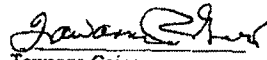
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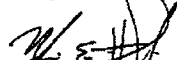
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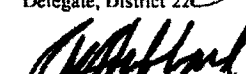
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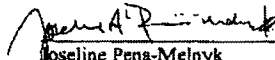
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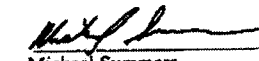
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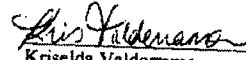
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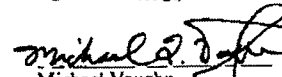
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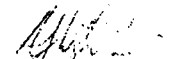
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September 24, 2013

Ben Steffen, Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center.

A new, state-of-the-art regional medical facility will be an essential part of ensuring that all Prince Georgians have the opportunity to live healthy, productive lives. Yet there are significant challenges to overcome if we are going to make that vision a reality.

A recent study from the University of Maryland School of Public Health ("Transforming Health In Prince George's County, Maryland: A Public Health Impact Study") illustrated these needs clearly. Today, there are close to 85 doctors for every 100,000 residents in Maryland, but just over 53 doctors for every 100,000 residents in Prince George's County. Residents in our county visit the Emergency Department for symptoms related to hypertension and diabetes at twice the rate of some of our neighboring counties. And 31% of Prince George's residents have been sent to a hospital outside of the county at the request of their physician.

A high-quality, academically affiliated regional medical center with a strong ambulatory care network would have a direct, positive impact on many of these issues. It will help in successfully recruiting needed physicians to our region, and improve access to care for Prince Georgians – as well as residents of Southern Maryland – by being more centrally located within the county and moving closer to public transportation. Importantly, it would also be connected to a health system which will promote improved access to primary care throughout Maryland.

This new regional medical center will also have a significant economic impact on Prince George's County's – and Maryland's – economy by helping retain the approximately 23,000 residents of Prince George's County that currently utilize Washington D.C. and Virginia hospitals for inpatient care.

Mr. Steffen
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I am encouraged, and pleased, by the level of cooperation between all of the stakeholders in identifying and pursuing solutions to Prince George's County's public health challenges. Prince George's County, The State of Maryland, University of Maryland Medical System Corporation, University System of Maryland, and Dimensions Health Corporation entered into a Memorandum of Understanding Agreement in July of 2011, jointly seek a long-term solution to the operational and financial challenges of Dimensions Healthcare System with the goal of making this regional medical center happen. Together, we are dedicated to fighting for each and every Prince George's County resident.

By approving the Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application, you will be assisting all of us in solving our shared challenges, and help make Prince George's County an even better place to work, live, and raise a family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "AGB", followed by the name "Anthony G. Brown" written in a cursive style.

Anthony G. Brown

AGB/rc/bmw

cc: Erika Murray, Dimensions Healthcare System

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October 3, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I write in support of the recent Certificate of Need (CON) application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to develop a new regional medical center in Prince George's County.

For many years, the State and county have provided critical financial support to Dimensions to keep the system operating in anticipation of a comprehensive plan to bring high-quality, sustainable medical care to the region. This CON filing moves us closer to that goal.

As the second most populous jurisdiction in our State and one that faces significant community health challenges, it makes sense that Prince George's County be home to a new facility with strong ties to an academic health center. Not only would such a center provide state-of-the-art tertiary services to residents who are now leaving the State or having to travel a great distance for hospital care, it would also attract and anchor a primary care network essential to improving the health status of the region. In addition, a Prince George's Regional Medical Center would provide trauma care for the entire region as part of the State's world-renowned emergency medical system.

I know the Commission will engage in a thorough vetting of the Dimensions CON application and I appreciate the opportunity to express my support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael E. Busch", written in a cursive style.

Michael E. Busch
Speaker

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28th Legislative District
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September 19, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

On behalf of the Charles County Delegation, I am writing to express our support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center. Prince George's County and Southern Maryland residents need and deserve a "state-of-the-art" tertiary care hospital facility that will meet the growing demands of our aging population.

The new regional medical center will be more centrally located within Prince George's County, with improved accessibility to residents of Southern Maryland for secondary and tertiary care. The new regional medical center will have linkages with the University of Maryland School of Medicine in providing high quality, clinically advanced medical care. Such a high-quality medical facility should draw back patients who reside in the Southern Maryland region who are now seeking care in Washington D.C. and Virginia hospitals.

The new regional medical center will have a significant positive economic impact to Prince George's County and the region. The new regional medical center will serve as a catalyst for bring in new healthcare professionals into the area and help reduce health care professional shortages.

We respectfully request that the Maryland Health Care Commission approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Delegate Sally Y. Jameson
Charles County Delegation Chair

cc: Erika Murray, Dimensions Healthcare System

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September 25, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center.

Prince George's County and Southern Maryland is one of the fastest growing areas in the state. Our residents need and deserve a "state-of-the-art" tertiary care hospital facility that will meet the growing demands of our aging population.

The new regional medical center will be more centrally located within Prince George's County, with improved accessibility to residents of Southern Maryland for secondary and tertiary care. It will have linkages with the University of Maryland School of Medicine in providing high quality convenient, clinically advanced medical care. Such a high-quality medical facility will draw back patients who reside in the Southern Maryland region who are now seeking care in Washington D.C. and Virginia hospitals.

The new regional medical center will have a significant positive economic impact to Prince George's County and the region. I am certain such a high quality facility will serve as a catalyst to bring new healthcare professionals into the area and help reduce health care professional shortages and disparities in our region.

I respectfully request that the Maryland Health Care Commission approve
Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Very truly yours,

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Thomas McLain Middleton
State Senator

THOMAS V. MIKE MILLER, JR.
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my strong support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center.

This has been an issue that I and my colleagues in the Maryland Senate have worked on for decades. The health and financial viability of Prince George's Hospital Center has been a critical issue in both the County and the State and we are on the verge of moving forward with a tremendous opportunity to partner with the University of Maryland Medical System.

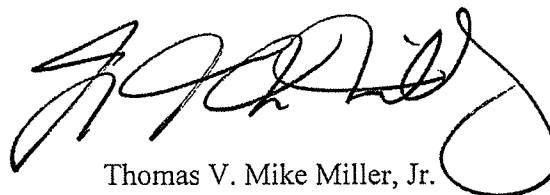
Prince George's County and Southern Maryland residents need and deserve the same access to a "state-of-the-art" hospital facility that will meet the growing demands of our communities. The new regional medical center will be more centrally located within Prince George's County and will also provide improved accessibility to residents of Southern Maryland.

The proposed linkages with the University of Maryland School of Medicine will ensure that the same access to high quality, clinically advanced medical care that citizens have in other jurisdictions is finally available in Prince George's County. This type of high-quality medical facility will also draw back patients who reside in Prince George's County and the Southern Maryland region who now seek care in Washington D.C. and Virginia hospitals.

Additionally, we believe the new regional medical center will have a significant positive economic impact to Prince George's County and the State. It will serve as a catalyst for bringing new healthcare professionals into the area, will help reduce health care professional shortages, and could bring significant new research and development opportunities.

For all of these reasons, I am pleased to offer my strong support of this project and would respectfully request that the Maryland Health Care Commission approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. Miller, Jr.", with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.

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cc: Erika Murray, Dimensions Healthcare System

September 24, 2013

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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

As a member of the Prince George's Hospital Center's community; serving on the Bowie Health Center's Foundation Board, and a former member of the Prince George's County Legislative Delegation to Annapolis, for 24 years, I am pleased to offer my strongest support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System. The plans for the new regional medical center are urgently needed by the many low income residents of the county who will benefit by its proposed location at the Largo Metro Station, which will be more accessible than at the aging existing hospital.

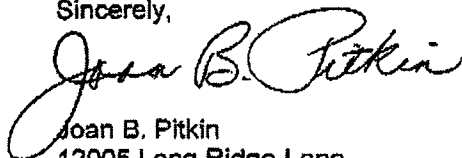
The establishment of a high - quality, academically affiliated Regional Medical Center was a recommendation of the University of Maryland School of Public Health in their report, "Transforming Health in Prince George's County, Maryland: A Public Health Impact Study". The new Regional Medical Center will be connected to a health system that promotes improved access to primary care and will be a true partner with the community to improve its health status.

I commend all those who helped make the decision to locate the new medical center at Largo Metro station, a central location and the hub of both rail and bus access. It will prove to help the large workforce have better transportation choices, and help the hospital recruit and retain physicians in many specialties to the region as well as workers who seek better transportation options.

The Largo Town Center Metro location will build the kind of mixed use district that many studies have shown is where people want to live, work and play. This new Regional Medical Center can be a strong catalyst for that kind of healthy, smart growth development.

I strongly support this project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application. I am very hopeful that this new Regional Medical Center will be a great success benefitting all our residents and that it will spin off many economic benefits to the county and the region.

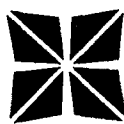
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Joan B. Pitkin
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Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

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Sincerely,



Ernest K. Adadevoh, MD



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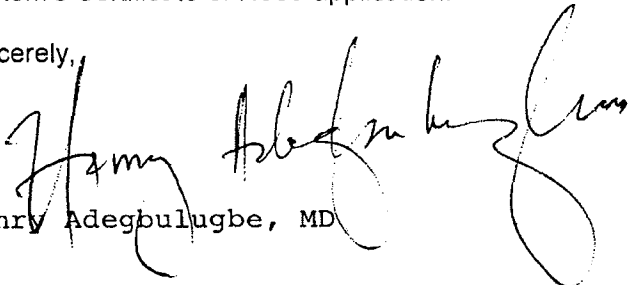
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Henry Adegbulugbe, MD

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Emma L Alford

cc: Erika Murray

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Dear Mr. Steffen,

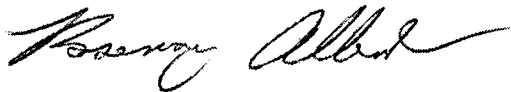
I am a longtime resident of Prince Georges County, member of the Prince George's County Senior Provider Network and owner of a geriatric care management company serving the residents of Prince George's County. I am writing to offer my strong support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Prince George's Hospital Center/Dimensions Healthcare System.

The current aging hospital, located in Cheverly, needs to be replaced with a state of the art medical facility. It is my understanding that the new regional hospital will be affiliated with the University of Maryland School of Medicine to provide high quality, clinically advanced medical care. It will have significant positive economic impact on the residents of Prince George's County and the entire State of Maryland. The residents of Prince George' County deserve the same high quality of health care provided in other areas of the State.

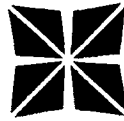
This facility will be especially significant to our senior population, improving the hospital's ability to attract and recruit top-notch physicians, including geriatricians. Its location near a Metro Station will improve hospital access for all patients and visitors.

I support this project, and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



Rosemary Allender, LCSW-C; C-ASWCM
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Dimensions Healthcare System
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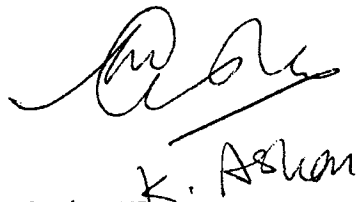
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Sincerely,



K. Ashai

Khalid Ashai, MD



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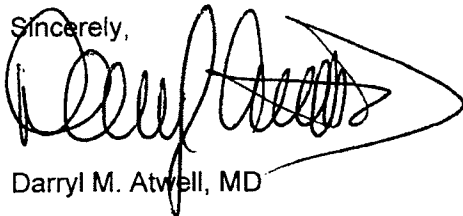
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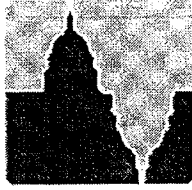
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Sincerely,



Darryl M. Atwell, MD



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9/26/2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

We strongly supports the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. The proposed facility is the centerpiece of a comprehensive plan that will upgrade access and care options for the residents of Prince George's County. When completed, this project will help the entire provider community by stabilizing the patient care environment of the region by providing the access desired by all demographic and income groups to modern and efficient facilities. This will help to make the region more attractive to new physicians and other health care professionals.

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This project is vitally necessary and represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital capacity in that county. We support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Dr. Vivek Bahl

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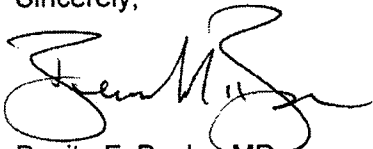
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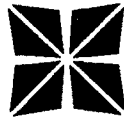
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Sincerely,



Benita F. Banks, MD



Dimensions Healthcare System
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September 16, 2013

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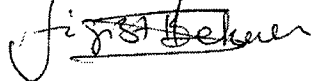
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Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

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Sincerely,

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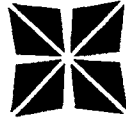
As a member of the Prince George's Hospital Center's community, I am pleased to offer my support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System. The plans for the replacement hospital are timely and necessary. This is particularly needed, as Prince George's Hospital Center is a regional medical center for many low income residents of Prince George's County. Furthermore, the new location will be more accessible than is the existing hospital. Dimensions takes its central role as the County's health care system very seriously, and it serves more low income residents than any other provider in the County. Additionally, I find the hospital's plans to be practical with emphasis on addressing

community needs.

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Sincerely,


Habib A. Blutta, MD, FACS



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

September 19, 2013

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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

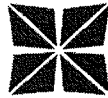
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Montague Bluhdon, M.D.



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Sincerely,

William J. Boyce, MD



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Sincerely,

Karen R. Brooks, MD

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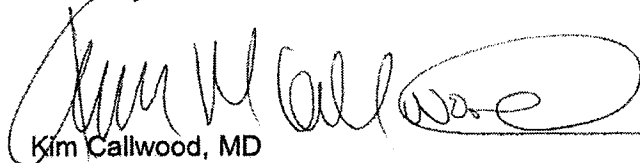
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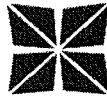
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Sincerely,



Kim Callwood, MD



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Sincerely,

James Catevenis, MD



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September 15, 2013

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Re: Certificate of Need Application
PGHC Replacement Hospital

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express our support for the Certificate of Need (CON) application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center.

Benefits of the proposed regional medical center include:

- The new regional medical center will be more centrally located within Prince George's County, with improved accessibility to residents of Southern Maryland for secondary and tertiary care. The planned location for the new regional medical center will be very accessible given its proximity to I-495 and the Largo Town Center Metro transportation station.
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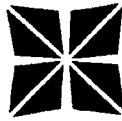
The primary and secondary acute healthcare needs of the residents of Prince George's County, as well as tertiary care needs for the entire Southern Maryland region, will be best served by this new state-of-the-art facility. I trust that the Commission will expeditiously approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application for this much needed improvement to healthcare in this area.

Thank you for your consideration.

Best regards,

Noel Cervino
President and Chief Executive Officer

cc: Neil Moore, Dimensions Healthcare System



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

September 18, 2013

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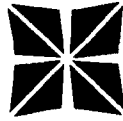
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Sincerely,

V. Prem Chandar, MD



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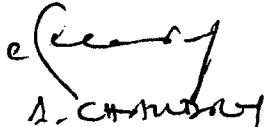
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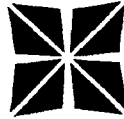
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September 27, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen, Executive Directors
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Centerpiece

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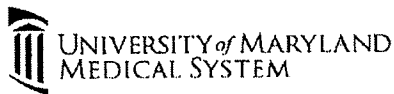
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Sincerely,



Gurdeep S. Chhabra, M.D.



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CORPORATE OFFICE

September 25, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center.

Prince George's County, The State of Maryland, University of Maryland Medical System Corporation, University System of Maryland, and Dimensions Health Corporation entered into a Memorandum of Understanding Agreement in July, 2011, to jointly seek a long-term solution to the operational and financial challenges of Dimensions Healthcare System, as well as identify solutions to the public health issues of Prince George's County. The study process included the University of Maryland School of Public Health completing a public health impact study ("Transforming Health In Prince George's County, Maryland: A Public Health Impact Study"). This study identified recommendations to help solve the public health issues of the County. These recommendations included the establishment of a high-quality, academically affiliated regional medical center with a strong ambulatory care network. This recommended healthcare delivery model is anticipated to achieve the following benefits:

- The new regional medical center will be connected to a health system that will promote improved access to primary care with a focus on delivering care based upon population health management principles. It will be a community partner in helping to improve the health status of Prince George's County residents.
- The new regional medical center will serve as a vital asset to assist with successfully recruiting needed physicians of many specialties to the region. With emphasis to reducing the primary care deficiency within Prince George's County.

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- The regional medical center would serve as a catalyst of bringing back the approximately 23,000 residents of Prince George's County that currently utilize Washington D.C. and Virginia hospitals for inpatient care.
- The new regional medical center will have a significant positive economic impact to Prince George's County as well as having a positive impact on the State's economy.

The primary, secondary, and tertiary healthcare needs of the residents of Prince George's County and the entire Southern Maryland region will be best served by this planned "state-of-the-art facility."

As the planning continues for this new healthcare facility, we see a promising future as we continue to work with Prince George's Hospital Center and Dimensions Healthcare System in developing quality clinical programs and improving access to physician specialties. We therefore respectfully request that the Maryland Health Care Commission approve Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



Robert A. Chrencik
President and Chief Executive Officer
University of Maryland Medical System

cc: Mr. John O'Brien, President
Prince Georges Hospital Center



Dimensions Healthcare System
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Sincerely,

L. Mark Clarke, MD

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Office of the Health Officer

September 16, 2013

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Dear Mr. Steffen:

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Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the vital healthcare needs of our residents. While that system currently provides over half of the acute care and emergency services provided in the county, a substantial number of our residents choose to seek care in other jurisdictions. A county with a population of nearly 900,000 and which covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require. This proposed project, with the range of complex services that a university affiliated medical center should provide, would do much to promote better quality of care, and support a network of community-based providers and organizations that would promote better access and preventative services.

Prince George's Hospital Center is an indispensable resource for our residents. Residents look to the Hospital for information, prevention, and treatment services. The hospital requires single-patient rooms and other modern amenities in order to provide safer care with dignity. Completion of this project will resolve deficiencies at the existing hospital and will allow it to better meet these responsibilities. The proposed location on the major regional highway arteries will make it more convenient to all Prince George's residents and still accessible to our Seat Pleasant residents.



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This project application represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital resources in this county. We support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Pamela B. Creekmur".

Pamela B. Creekmur
Health Officer



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

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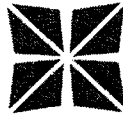
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Sincerely,



Candra Cummings, MD



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

September 26, 2013

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Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
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Said Dae, M.D., F.A.C.S., F.I.C.S.
President, Medical Staff



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I support this project, and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,


Kelly Anne Dalton



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

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Louis M. Damiano, MD

September 20, 2013

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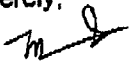
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Sincerely,


Manash Das, MD

...from the desk of

*Adelaida David
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Sincerely,

Adelaida David


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...from the desk of

*Jessica Dove
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Jessica Dove

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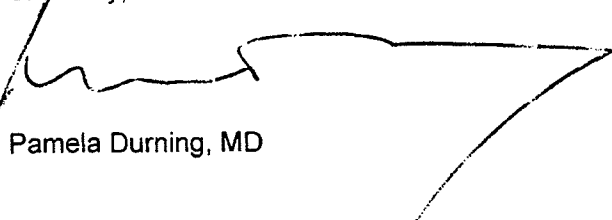
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Pamela Durning, MD



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Sincerely,

Maria Escalera, MD



September 20, 2013

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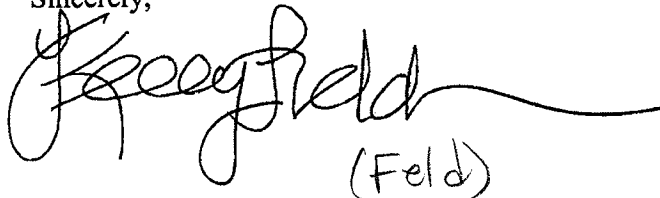
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "George Feld". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right. Below the signature, the name "(Feld)" is printed in a simple, sans-serif font.

Susan L. Forsyth
2910 Georgia Ave, N.W #201
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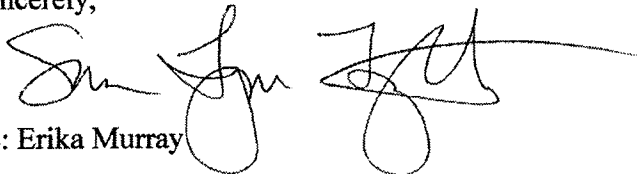
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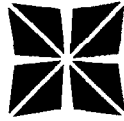
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Sincerely,


Lydia I. Gilbert-McClain, MD



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Kim B. Glover, MD

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September 21, 2013

Mr Ben Steffen,
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4160 Patterson Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215

Dear Mr Steffen,

As a member of Prince George's Senior Provider Network I support the Certificate of Need application submitted by Prince George's Hospital Center.

As a hospice nurse working with the senior population in the County I see the need for the new hospital. The location by Metro would be welcomed by the seniors who find the current location difficult to access.

Sincerely,
Carol Gonzales, RN



SURESH C. GUPTA, M.D., F.C.C.P., P.A.
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INTERNAL MEDICINE AND PULMONARY DISEASES
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September 23, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen
Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Ave
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RE: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Stephen:

I write this letter to you to support the application of Prince George's Hospital Center's application for certification of need for the following reasons.

I have been practicing continuously at Prince George's Hospital Center since 1973. I was one of the first Board Certified Pulmonary medicine specialist to start my practice and admitting patients there and continue to do so even today. This is my only hospital at present in Prince George's county that I admit my patients for the last 7-8 years.

My patients have been satisfied with the care they receive at Prince George's hospital. The current hospital building is almost 50 years old and needs replacement to provide excellent care to the residents of Prince George's county which they rightly deserve. The new facility with State of the art medical equipment and its affiliation with University of Maryland Medical system will enhance the quality of care to the citizens of Prince George's county.

The new location will be extremely accessible due to its close proximity to I-495 and Largo Town Center.

I want to continue to practice at the new location and hope to be the first physician amongst many to admit my patients at the new location.

I urge you to approve the Certificate of need application of Dimensions Healthcare System.

Best wishes and regards.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Suresh C. Gupta', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Suresh C. Gupta M.D.; F.A.C.P; F.C.C.P.



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Gary J. Healy, MD

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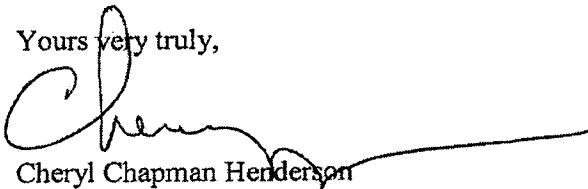
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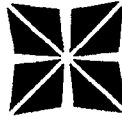
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Yours very truly,



Cheryl Chapman Henderson



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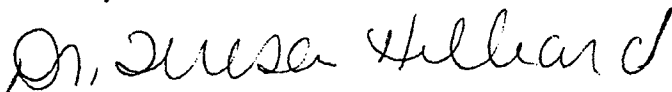
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Sincerely,


Teresa Hilliard, DPM

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Maryland Health Care Commission
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Mr. Ben Steffen, Executive Director
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September 20, 2013

Dear Mr. Steffen,

As a member of the Prince George's County Senior Provider Network, (or any other title you want to use), I am writing to offer my strong support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Prince George's Hospital Center/Dimensions Healthcare System.

The current aging hospital, located in Cheverly, badly needs replacing with a state of the art facility. It is my understanding that the new regional hospital will be affiliated with the University Of Maryland School Of Medicine to provide high quality, clinically advanced medical care. It will have a significantly positive economic impact on the residents of Prince George's County and the entire State of Maryland.

This facility will be especially significant to our senior population, improving the hospital's ability to attract and recruit top-notch physicians, including geriatricians. Its location near a Metro Station will improve hospital access for all patients and visitors.

I support this project, and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

David Jackson

**PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY
SENIOR PROVIDER NETWORK
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September 19, 2013

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Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
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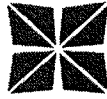
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Vikki Kalitsi, President
Prince George's County Senior Provider Network
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Dimensions Healthcare System

Prince George's Hospital Center

September 16, 2013

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Sincerely,

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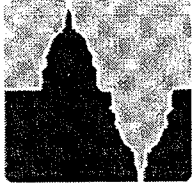
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9/26/2013

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Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state of the art" facility, including most up to date facilities for Cardiology and Cardiac surgery services in order to continue meeting the vital healthcare needs of its residents. A county with a population of nearly 900,000 and which covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require. This proposed project, with the range of complex services that a university affiliated medical center should provide, would do much to promote better quality of care, and would promote better access and preventative services.

This project is vitally necessary and represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital capacity in that county. We support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



Dr. Thomas Ko

cc: Erika Murray

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Sincerely,

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September 24, 2013

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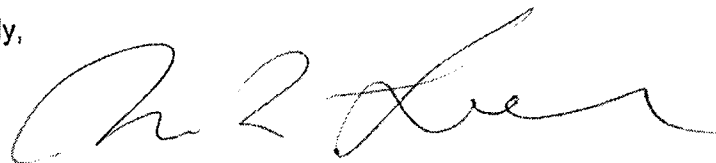
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Hee E. Lee, MD

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Jung H. Lee, MD

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September 13, 2013

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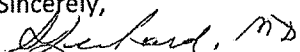
Greater Baden Medical Services, Inc. (GBMS) fully supports the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. The proposed hospital replacement is the cornerstone of a county plan to create a health care infrastructure that will improve health outcomes for its citizens.

GBMS is a Federally Qualified Health Center providing comprehensive primary health care to low income and uninsured residents of Southern Maryland. The agency has five service sites in Prince George's County and works closely with Prince George's Hospital to address complex needs of patients. Prince George's Hospital Center provides inpatient coverage for GBMS' urban residents. Access to prenatal care in Prince George's County is enhanced by the services provided by nurse midwives from Prince George's Hospital Center at GBMS' Capitol Heights center.

Prince George's Hospital Center's current facility is outdated, and its location is inconvenient for many county residents. Although the hospital provides more than half the emergency services furnished in Prince George's County, it is difficult for the center to attract elective patients because of facility issues. With the proposed relocation and replacement of its facility, Prince George's Hospital Center intends to affiliate with the University of Maryland. This affiliation will improve the complexity and quality of services offered at the hospital.

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Sincerely,


Sarah Leonhard, M.D., CEO

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Dimensions Healthcare System

Bowie Health Center

A Department of Prince George's Hospital Center

September 16, 2013

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Sincerely,

P. Thomas Lyons, MD
Medical Director
University of Maryland Emergency Medical Network

...from the desk of
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09/25/13

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Sincerely,

Harjinder Malhotra



cc: Erika Murray

**Teresa Marshall
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September 24, 2013

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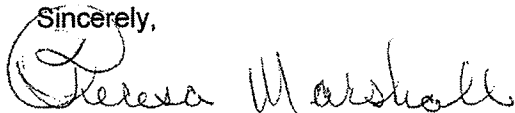
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Teresa Marshall

cc: Erika Murray

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15 September 2013

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As a member of the Bowie Health Center Board of Directors, a longtime resident of Prince George's County, a graduate of the University of Maryland School of Medicine, and a current user of their health care system, I want to offer my support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System. The plans for the replacement hospital are both timely and necessary. The Prince George's Hospital Center is already a regional medical center for many low income residents of Prince George's County. I know that Dimensions Healthcare System serves more low income residents than any other provider in the County. This new facility will make high quality health care much more accessible to all residents of Prince George's County.

I agree that the acute health care needs of the residents of Prince George's County are best served with state-of-the-art facilities that anticipate the growing demands of our aging population, improve the ability to recruit physicians, while making it less complicated for residents of the entire service area to access the hospital. The affiliation with a first rate medical school with a reputation for superb primary care and emergency medicine as well all the medical specialties needed for comprehensive care will enhance the health care available in Prince George's County and the state of Maryland. I hope that you will approve Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



Susan H. Mather, MD, MPH



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

September 16, 2013

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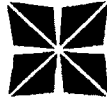
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Sincerely,

Terri Matin, MD



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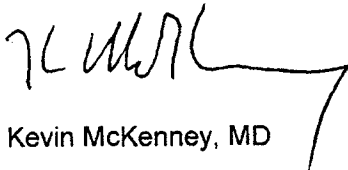
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Kevin McKenney, MD



September 27, 2013

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Dear Mr. Steffen:

Medical Mall Services of Maryland strongly supports the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its current facility. The proposed facility is the centerpiece of a comprehensive plan that will upgrade access and care options for the residents of Prince George's County. Prince George's County suffers from tremendous health disparities. These health disparities cannot be addressed unless we have a comprehensive health strategy that includes a "state of the art" hospital. It is critical to the health and welfare of the residents of Prince George's County to have an opportunity to be served by the planned new Prince George's Hospital Center. As the only level II trauma center in the region, Prince George's Hospital Center must be garnered the opportunity to deliver the vital services needed by the residents in need of a comprehensive care solution. The new University-Affiliated Prince George's Hospital Center will bring the type of world-class facility and services that the residents of Prince George's County are in critical need of.

The overall health of the community will be served if the new Prince George's Hospital Center is approved. Prince George's County has some of the highest incidence and mortality rates for HIV/AIDS, heart disease, cancer and diabetes in the State. Despite these grim statistics, we have less access to essential healthcare services than any other comparable area. A county with a population of nearly 900,000 and which covers a large geographic area should be able to provide nearly all the services a patient could require. Unfortunately, far too many Prince George's County residents are forced to travel outside of the County to access basic primary care and specialty care services. This further compounds the issue of health disparities when residents are left with unacceptable limited options for critical health care services. It is vitally important that we support the healthcare infrastructure in Prince George's County in order to address these significant health disparities. The new Prince George's Hospital Center will be the centerpiece to addressing the stated need.

Medical Mall provides care coordination services in Prince George's County. One of the primary challenges that we face in providing care coordination services is the lack of access to essential specialty care services. We often spend our time coordinating the transfer of Prince George's County residents to other counties to receive the care that they need. This is a direct result of the lack of access to critically needed specialty care services in Prince George's County.

16600 Pleasant Colony Dr.; Upper Marlboro, MD 20774

The new Prince George's Hospital Center will help the entire provider community by stabilizing the patient care environment of the region by providing the access desired by all demographic and income groups to modern and efficient facilities. This will help to make the region more attractive to new physicians and other health care professionals. The entire region will benefit from this essential investment to the health care delivery system.

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This project is vitally necessary and represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital capacity in Prince George's County.

We enthusiastically support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



Timothy P. McNeill, RN,
Chief Operating Officer
Medical Mall Services of Maryland



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HEALTH

Carolyn Boone Lewis Health Care Center (CBL)
Fort Washington Medical Center (FWMC)

September 27, 2013

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4160 Patterson Ave
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

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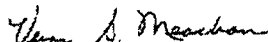
Fort Washington Medical Center, an acute care hospital in Fort Washington, Maryland, is pleased to support the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility.

We believe Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state-of-the-art" facility to continue to meet the vital healthcare needs of its residents. The system currently provides more than half of the acute care and emergency services provided in the county. However, a substantial number of residents choose to seek care in other jurisdictions. With a population of nearly 900,000 county residents and ties to the University of Maryland School of Medicine, the new facility should be equipped to meet every patient at their point of need.

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Prince George's Hospital Center is an indispensable resource for residents who rely on the hospital for information, prevention, and treatment services. Fort Washington Medical Center supports the new regional medical center and encourages the Commission to approve Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

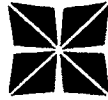


Verna S. Meacham
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Dimensions Healthcare System

Bowie Health Center

A Department of Prince George's Hospital Center

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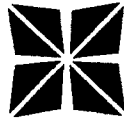
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Sincerely,

Craig A. Melville, MD



Dimensions Healthcare System
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September 18, 2013

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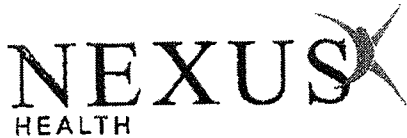
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Sincerely,

Brajendra Misra, MD



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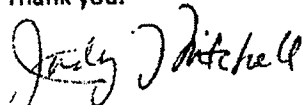
Mr. John O'Brien
President
Prince George's Hospital Center
3001 Hospital Drive
Cheverly, MD 20785

Mr. O'Brien,

Per your request, I have enclosed a Certificate of Need Support letter on behalf of Nexus Health President & CEO Verna S. Meacham.

If you require any further support, please contact Ms. Meacham at 301-686-9019 or vmeacham@nexushealth.org.

Thank you.



Judy Mitchell
Director of Communications & Marketing
Nexus Health Inc.

Enclosure

Mitra Motavalli
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Owings Mills, MD 21117

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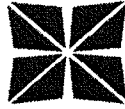
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Sincerely,



cc: Erika Murray



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

September 9, 2013

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4160 Patterson Ave
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299
Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to express my support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Dimensions Healthcare System to replace and relocate Prince George's Hospital Center. Prince George's Hospital Center cares for more Medicaid and uninsured patients than any other hospital in the County and is a major provider of health care for all Prince George's County residents. I cannot emphasize enough the importance of the hospital's role in keeping Prince George's County residents healthy. The hospital must be a "state-of-the-art" facility in order to continue meeting the growing needs of our residents and equipped with what Maryland patients have come to expect and deserve, such as private rooms and advanced technology.

Dimensions Healthcare System's plans are both practical and fiscally conservative, and it has currently demonstrated its ability to be cost conscious and financially responsible. As the regional medical center for Southern Maryland, the new hospital will be an indispensable resource for residents regarding both inpatient and outpatient care. Residents not only look to hospitals for information, prevention and treatment services, but as a community and economic partner supporting the well-being of residents overall. This hospital must, and will, meet these needs resolving current deficiencies at the existing hospital.

Prince George's County has a large number of domestic violence and sexual assault victims/survivors. Last year, our county experienced the most domestic violence related deaths in the state. We typically perform the most sexual assault forensic exams in the state. Through our center, we serve hundreds of victims/survivors and their families. Many of these patients do not have insurance or are low income. A new, state-of-the-art facility will allow our center to provide the best medical and psychological services to our patients.

I support this project and encourage the Commission to approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

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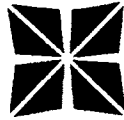
Karalyn Mulligan, MA, LCPC

Domestic Violence Coordinator

The Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Center at Dimensions Healthcare

At Prince George's Hospital Center

cc: Erika Murray



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

September 18, 2013

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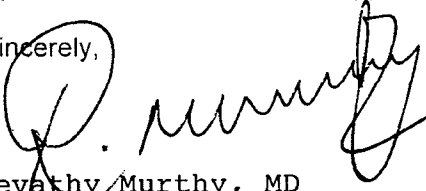
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Sincerely,


Revathy Murthy, MD

...from the desk of

*DORLA Myvett
1464 Potomac Hght Dr
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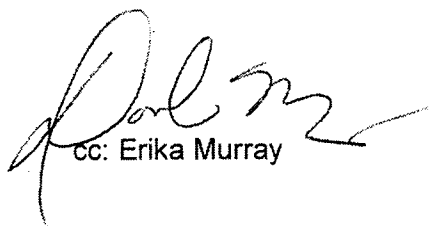
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From the Desk of

Mohammad Ali Naficy, MD

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September 16, 2013

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Mohammad Ali Naficy, MD



September 26, 2013

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Kurt D. Newman, MD
President and Chief Executive Officer
knewman@childrensnational.org

111 Michigan Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20010-2970
Phone: 202-476-3761
Hospital: 202-476-5000
Fax: 202-476-3096
ChildrensNational.org

Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's County Regional Medical Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

Children's National supports the development of a state-of-the-art regional medical center to serve the residents of Prince George's County and surrounding areas.

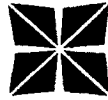
Children's National has been the principal provider of pediatric inpatient, surgical, outpatient and physician specialty services for the children of Prince George's County and nearby Southern Maryland counties for over 140 years. Children's National physicians provide a broad range of specialty physician clinics and ambulatory testing at our Prince George's County Regional Outpatient Centers in Laurel Lakes and in Upper Marlboro. These services enable area children to see physicians dedicated to their specific medical conditions as well as to care for children before and after surgical procedures. In addition, Children's National provides pediatric primary care services through mobile units and at six Children's Pediatricians & Associates primary care practice locations in Prince George's County. Children's National also offers Continuing Medical Education to community pediatricians throughout the central and southern Maryland region.

Children's National provides referral, consultation and triage needs for tertiary, quaternary, and trauma care of Maryland children through formal transfer agreements and designation as a Level I pediatric trauma center as verified through the Maryland Institute of Emergency Medical Systems (MIEMSS). These services are provided in support of children and their families, hospitals and physicians throughout Central and Southern Maryland and support the local hospitals in assuring that the needs of residents can be met safely and effectively.

Children's National looks forward to working in collaboration with the leadership of the new Prince George's County Regional Medical Center to assure uninterrupted access to the highest quality of care to the children of the County. Specifically, Children's National supports the development of pediatric emergency department services and pediatric short stay beds at the regional medical center and looks forward to discussions regarding its provision of emergency and acute care at the hospital. Children's National is dedicated to working with the new regional medical center, its leadership and County leadership to develop effective collaborations and agreements that will assure seamless delivery of health care services for children by the providers of Children's National.

Sincerely,

Kurt Newman, MD
President and Chief Executive Officer
Children's National



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

September 16, 2013

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Sincerely,


Zubair Niazi, MD

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September 24, 2013

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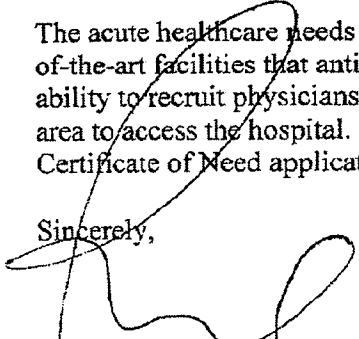
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Patrick A. Noel, M.D.
Orthopedic Surgeon

Sagar Nootheti, MD

4700 Berwyn House Road
College Park, Maryland 20740

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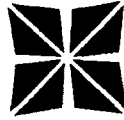
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9/25/2013
SAGAR V. NOOTHETI, MD
ON THE MEDICAL STAFF



Dimensions Healthcare System
Prince George's Hospital Center

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Anthonia Obichere Director of midwifery
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Sincerely

Tiffany S. Owens, MD

From the Desk of Chandra Graham Parker, MD

September 25, 2013

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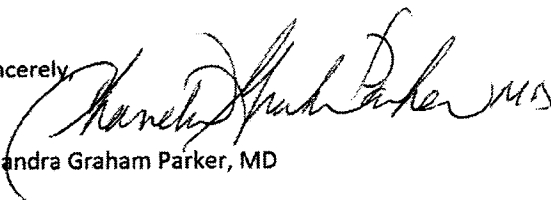
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Dear Mr. Steffen:

As a board certified OB/GYN physician, wife, and mother of a two-year-old daughter in Prince George's County I am concerned about the access to high quality sub-specialty medical care. I have practiced medicine in Prince George's for almost six years and was not aware of the fragmented system until I relocated from Baltimore where I practiced for almost 5 years. When I diagnose patients with gynecologic cancers and advanced uro-gynecologic conditions I have to refer them outside of Prince George's, because neither a gyn-oncologist nor uro-gynecologist practice in the County. Many of the pregnant women I deliver desire to have their baby in a state-of-the-art medical facility with advanced neonatal and pediatric caregivers. In order to serve the needs and request of my patient base I travel outside of the County with some of them which is counter-intuitive given the County's size. Lastly, a year ago when my daughter had a medical emergency; EMS transported us into the District of Columbia for her pediatric emergency care. Again, I was disappointed, frustrated, and troubled by the lack of emergency and in-patient pediatric resources in Prince George's County.

Given the aforementioned, I am writing to offer my support for the Certificate of Need application submitted by Dimensions Healthcare System. The plans for the replacement hospital are timely and necessary. The new location will be extremely accessible given its proximity to I-495. I believe the hospital plans are both practical and economical in meeting the County's current healthcare needs, allow residents to receive quality care in the county they reside, and also address the healthcare vision for years to come. Additionally, acute healthcare needs of the residents of Prince George's County are best served with state-of-the-art facilities that anticipate the growing demands of our aging population, and improve the ability to recruit physicians, while making it less complicated for residents of the entire service area to access the hospital. It is my hope, and that of many of my colleagues, that you approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



Chandra Graham Parker, MD

Cc: Erika Murray

Kishor Patel
8289 Hammond Branch Way
Laurel, MD 20723

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Craig M. Person, M.D.
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September 23, 2013

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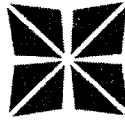
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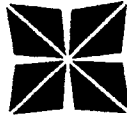
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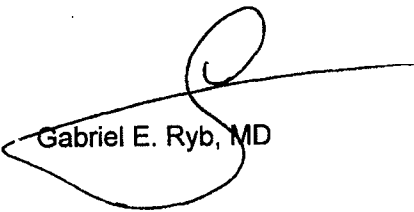
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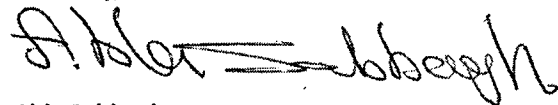
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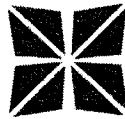
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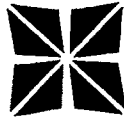
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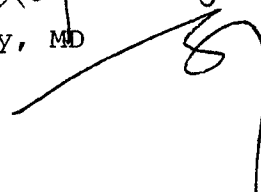
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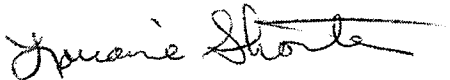
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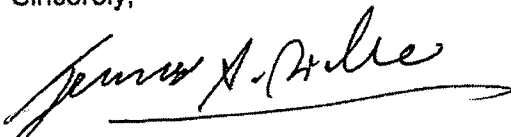
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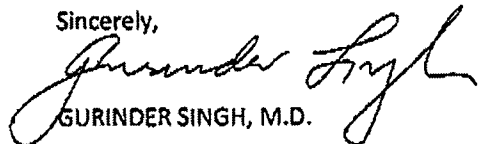
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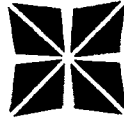
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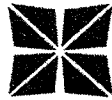
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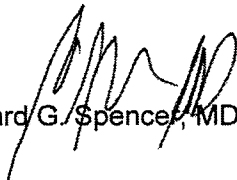
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September 11, 2013

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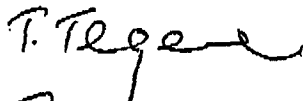
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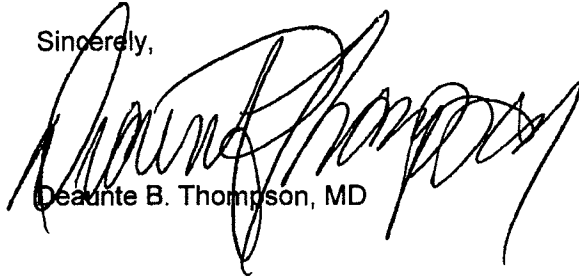
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Sincerely,



Deante B. Thompson, MD



Family Restoration
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We're Turning Lives Around to 360° Wholeness

September 29, 2013
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The Family Restoration and Healing Center Inc., strongly supports the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. After many years of debate, our county leadership has invited broad community input and strong support from our state leaders, to come to agree on a real solution to improving health infrastructure and building the health system necessary to meet the needs of our residents. The proposed hospital replacement and relocation project is the core of the larger plan that should adjust the troubling health status indicators that we have endured.

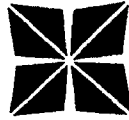
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Prince George's Hospital Center is an indispensable resource for our residents. Residents look to the Hospital for information, prevention, and treatment services. The hospital requires single-patient rooms and other modern amenities in order to provide safer care with dignity. Completion of this project will resolve deficiencies at the existing hospital and will allow it to better meet these responsibilities. The proposed location on the major regional highway arteries will make it more convenient to all Prince George's residents and still accessible to our Seat Pleasant residents.

This project application represents an important consensus solution to the problem of inadequate hospital resources in this county. We support this new hospital and hope that the Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Karen Thompson, Executive Director, Family Restoration and Healing Center, Inc.



Dimensions Healthcare System
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Sincerely,

Jide M. Tinubu, MD

PREMIER RADIOLOGY ASSOCIATES, INC.
1201 Seven Locks Road
Suite 200
Rockville, Maryland 20854

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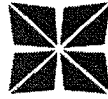
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Erica Dee Tobin, MD



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Kevin Tran, MD



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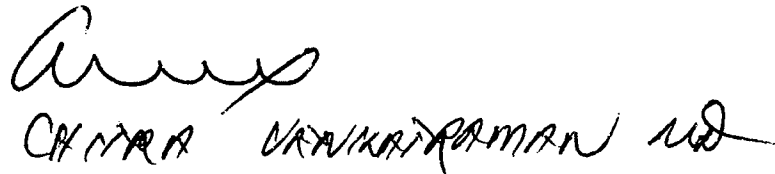
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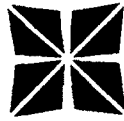
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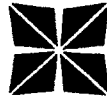
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DR. IMRAN NASEER VIRK 9/18/2013
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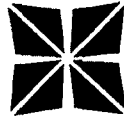
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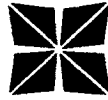
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Adetunji B. Williams, MD

Reggie Womack
10123 Prince Place Unit #201
Largo, MD 20774

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Sincerely,

Michael D. Wong, MD



Calvert Memorial Hospital

Tradition. Quality. Progress.

August 30, 2013

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Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
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Re: Certificate of Need Application for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Ben:

I hope all is well with you. The purpose of this letter is to express our organization's support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center to replace and relocate its facility. Prince George's Hospital Center is the regional trauma center for Southern Maryland. It often happens that residents in our service area require the emergent, expert care that is quickly available with helicopter transportation. I cannot overemphasize the importance of the hospital's role in saving the lives of Calvert County residents. Prince George's Hospital Center needs a new, "state of the art" facility in order to continue meeting the growing needs of our residents, especially those that require trauma care. The proposed location on the major regional highway arteries connecting with southern Maryland will make it easier for the families of accident victims from Calvert County to support their loved ones while in the hospital.

The hospital requires new patient rooms and other modern amenities in order to meet their population's needs. Prince George's Hospital Center is an indispensable resource for our state for emergency trauma care. In addition, Prince George's Hospital Center play a vital role in the prevention and treatment of disease for a large population that is medically underserved. Completion of this project will resolve deficiencies at the existing hospital and will allow it to better meet these responsibilities.

Our organization's support is conditional based on the final negotiations between the Center for Medicare Services [CMS] and the State of Maryland on the proposed waiver modernization test. One of the goals of the new Prince George's Hospital Center is to reduce the outmigration of acute care services from Prince Georges County to Washington, D.C. facilities. If that goal is achieved, the amount of acute care expenditures in Maryland could increase at a faster rate than what is proposed in the new waiver modernization test. Specifically, CMS has promulgated that Maryland hospital spending per capita shall not exceed 3.57 percent per annum beginning January 2014. The Maryland Hospital Association has advocated that any increase in health care expenditures due to the reduction of Prince George's outmigration with a new hospital should be exempted from this waiver test. If it is not, then under our current HSCRC system, all Maryland hospital rates would decline in order to achieve the target. Under this scenario, our organization

is opposed to any across the board rate reduction for Maryland hospitals due to the successful development of the new hospital.

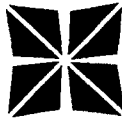
With this condition, Calvert Memorial Health System Supports this project and approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James J. Xinis". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "J".

JAMES J. XINIS
President & CEO

cc: Erika Murray, Dimensions Healthcare System



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Nirmala Yadla, MD

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September 13, 2013

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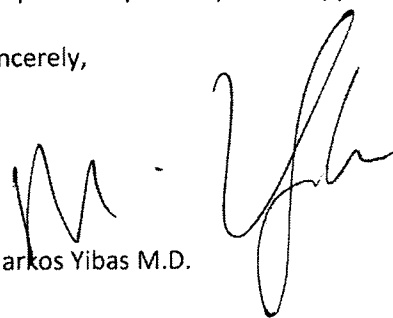
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— INDIVIDUALS —

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September 15, 2013

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I support this project and encourage the Commission to approve Dimensions Healthcare System's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,



cc: Erika Murray

**Cassandra Burckhalter
1101 Cape Teal Court
Upper Marlboro, MD 20774**

September 19, 2013

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I support this project and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,


Cassandra Burckhalter

cc: Erika Murray, Dimensions Healthcare System

...from the desk of
Jeanne Colfack
19210 Lake Drive
Leonardtown, MD 20650

September 9, 2013

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Sincerely,


Jeanne Colfack

cc: Erika Murray

...from the desk of
Julia Covington
8813 Gladeside Drive
Clinton, MD, 20735

September 19, 2013

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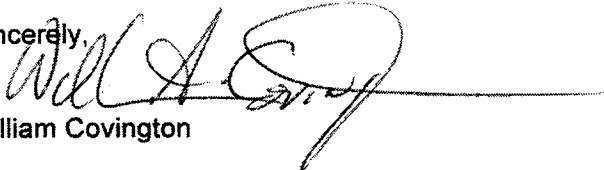
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William Covington

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Sincerely,



Carole G Donohue
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Upper Marlboro, MD 20774

Dunlop Ecker
24305 Mariner Lane
Hollywood, MD 20636
dunlopecker@md.metrocast.net

September 12, 2013

Mr. Ben Steffen, Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
Baltimore, MD 212152299

Re: Certificate of Need for Prince George's Hospital Center

Dear Mr. Steffen:

I am writing to strongly support the CON application of Dimensions Healthcare System to build a new Regional Medical Center near the Largo Town Center. It was my privilege to be the President and CEO of the System from 2005 until May, 2010.

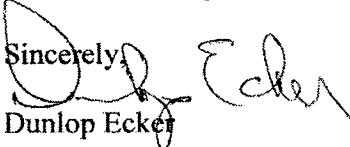
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Without question the new hospital requires new patient rooms and other modern amenities in order to meet the healthcare needs of the Prince George's population. As I am sure you are aware, Prince George's Hospital Center cares for more Medicaid and uninsured patients than any other hospital in the County and is a major provider of healthcare for all County residents. Over 25,000 residents from Prince George's County utilize Washington, DC and Virginia hospitals for inpatient care. This represents approximately 25% of all hospital admissions of County residents, a significant number of which would use a new modern facility were it available.

Clinically, the new hospital as a Regional Medical Center will be a key factor in attracting well qualified physicians and nurses. That has been my experience in the two hospitals I have built during my 45 year career. Importantly, the new facility will have linkages with the University of Maryland School of Medicine which will facilitate the provision of high quality, clinically advanced medical care. I had the opportunity in late 2009, and early 2010 to meet with the leadership of the UMMS Board and the hospital. Those meetings were very cordial and provided the ability to establish a preliminary liaison.

I believe for these reasons and many others, particularly financial consideration, a CON should be granted to build a new Regional Medical Center.

I have been retired for three years but would be glad to answer any questions the Health Care Commission might have.

Sincerely,

Dunlop Ecker

Sybil Hines
6409 Fairborn Terrace
New Carrollton, MD 20784

September 24, 2013

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Maryland Health Care Commission
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Sincerely,



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Donald and Fay Jackson
920 Sharma Street
Capitol Heights, MD, 20743

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...from the desk of
Erica Jarman
1766 Dutch Village Dr
Landover, MD 20785

09/23/2013

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Erica N. Jarman

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6411 Landover Road, Apt 202
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Sincerely,

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cc: Erika Murray

17112 Woodwalk Terrace
Baltimore, MD 20721

September 20, 2013

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Maryland Health Care Commission
4160 Patterson Avenue
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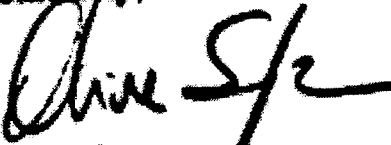
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The current aging hospital, located in Cheverly, badly needs replacing with a state of the art facility. It is my understanding that the new regional hospital will be affiliated with the University Of Maryland School Of Medicine to provide high quality, clinically advanced medical care. It will have significant positive economic impact on the residents of Prince George's County and the entire State of Maryland.

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I support this project, and hope that the Maryland Health Care Commission approves Prince George's Hospital Center's Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,


Olive Sampson

LETTERS OF SUPPORT

— RELIGIOUS —



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September 20, 2013

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Reverend Russell S. Conward, Pastor

September 17, 2013

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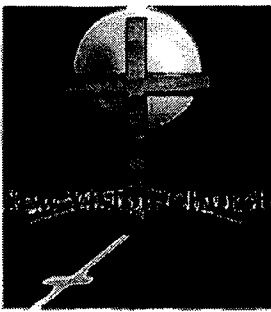
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Ronald E. Crawford Pastor
New Vision Church
2100 Crain Highway
Bowie, MD 20716

Date:

9/27/13

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Rev. Alonzo Dickens / ms

Corinth Baptist Church

Church Name

814 Cypress Tree Lane Capital Heights Md

Church Address

Date: 9/23/13

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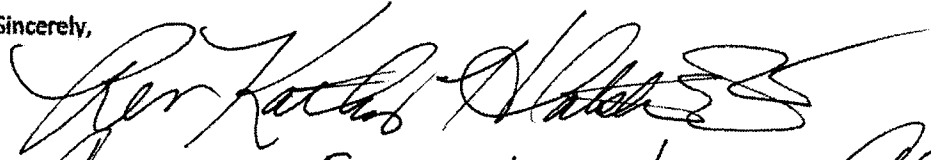
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4300 16th St NW Washington, DC

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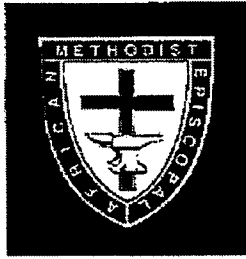
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Prince George's Community Church
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Senior Pastor

Hunter Memorial AME Church

Church Name

4719 Silver Hill Road, Suitland, MD 20746

Church Address

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Senior Pastor
First Baptist Church of District Heights

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If you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact our office at (202) 526-9266 or via email at office@firstchurchwash.org.

Grace Be With You,

Dr. Ralph A. Martino

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Date: 9/15/94
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Shalom Ministries Christian Center

Church Name

515 Kerby Hill Road - Ft. Washington, MD 20744

Church Address

Dr. Florida T. Morehead, Senior Pastor
Shalom Ministries Christian Center
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Date: 9/23/13

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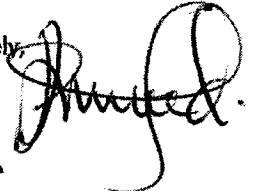
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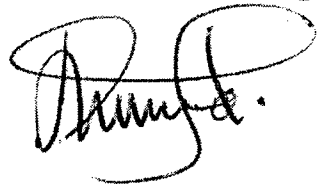
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19 September 2013

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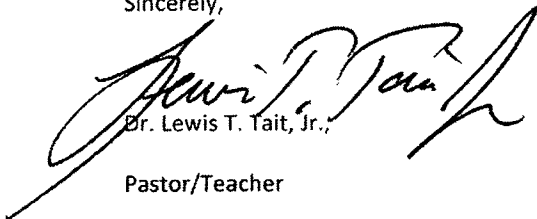
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Worship Site --8113 Fenton Street -- Silver Spring, MD 20910

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The Miracle Center of Faith Missionary Baptist Church

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9161 Hampton Overlook - Capital Heights, MD 20743

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Reverend Patrick J. Walker, President

September 27, 2013

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Executive Director
Maryland Health Care Commission
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Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Dear Mr. Steffen:

Please accept this letter as my expression of support for the Certificate of Need application filed by Prince George's Hospital Center for the purpose of relocating and replacing its current facility. For over 69 years, the Prince George's Hospital Center has been a key health care provider for the residents of Prince George's County, while serving the underinsured and uninsured population at a far higher rate than other acute care facilities in the state of Maryland. The residents of Prince George's County deserve a premier facility that is centrally located, well equipped with state of the art technology and a well prepared staff who can provide medical services in excellence. As president of the Baptist Convention of the District of Columbia and Vicinity, I am familiar with the health challenges faced by many of those who are members of our constituent churches and live in Prince George's County. Additionally, as Senior Pastor of The New Macedonia Baptist Church in Washington, DC, many of my members are residents of Prince George's County and they often seek care at Prince George's Hospital Center. All residents of the county deserve to be healthy...and a new hospital is just what is ordered for this population.

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It is without reservation that I fully support Prince George's Hospital Center's request for a Certificate of Need and it is my hope and earnest expectation that the Commission will grant approval. Should you desire to discuss this matter further, I may be reached at 202-583-5555. Serving Humanity through Christianity, I remain...

Yours Because of Him,



Reverend Patrick J. Walker
President

Reverend A.C. Durant, Vice President-at-Large

Reverend Regretta Ruffin, Recording Secretary

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Pastor Joshua Kevin White, Senior Pastor

Date: September 23, 2013

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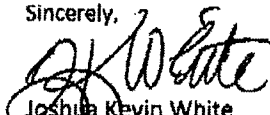
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Senior Pastor



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Discover the River

Mr. Ben Steffen
Dimensions Healthcare System
3001 Hospital Drive
Cheverly, Maryland MD 20785

Reference: Regional Medical Center

Dear Mr. Steffen,

I am writing to you to express mine and the ministries support for the proposed Regional Medical Center for Prince Georges County. I have been a resident of Prince Georges County for most of my life. I have also worked in Prince Georges County throughout my career, as the Financial Manager for 33 years with Pepsi Cola in Cheverly and now as Director of Operations for Riverdale Ministries in Upper Marlboro.

On a personal note, I was born at the current hospital location in 1953 as were my two children in 1976 and 1982. The facility has served many over the years but as many facilities do that have been around that long, they have outgrown their space and when that happens quality service for the communities and the county as whole becomes more difficult to provide. On the business side, I could lay down a long list of why a new Regional Medical Center in Largo would be a big win for both residents and business owners in the county, but just to name a few; it will provide quality service to approximately 1 million people in the county, attract those from outside the county with easy access to the facility, push economic development, and will increase the commercial share of the county tax base.

Riverdale Ministry Church and School supports the location of a Regional Medical Center within 3 miles of our campus that would serve our families, most of whom are county residences with advanced medical care and economic development in the county.

Cathy Willis

Director of Operations
Riverdale Ministries



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MELVIN WITCHER, PASTOR

September 18, 2013

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