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Letter of Support

Ms. Courtney R. Avery
Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 West Jefferson
Second Floor
Springfield, Illinois 62761
RE: Project No. 10-090, Centegra Hospital-Huntley

Dear Ms. Avery:

I am writing to express my full support of the proposed hospital in Huntley by Centegra Health System in Project No. 10-090. The fact is, hospital services are needed in the Huntley community and Centegra is the health system best-suited to provide these services.

I know Centegra Health System takes its responsibility to the community very seriously and continues to look for ways to improve the care it provides.

Centegra has long been committed to Huntley and the surrounding communities through outpatient services and other health services that have already been brought to the area.

Centegra purchased the land in Huntley several years ago and has created a strong, long-term plan for responsible development of the site.

I personally appreciate that, along with needed healthcare services, this project will bring new jobs and tax revenue to the Huntley community.

Given the community's need for hospital services and the improved access to healthcare this project will provide for southern McHenry County and surrounding areas, I strongly urge the board to approve the application by Centegra Health System for a new hospital in Huntley.

Sincerely,

Signature Terry S. Palmer Date 2/11/11
Printed Name Terry S. Palmer
Address 304 Cobblestone Court
City, State Zip Lake in the Hills, IL 60156

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I urge the Illinois Health Facilities Services and Review Board to approve Centegra Hospital-Huntley, Project # 10-090.

(Additional thoughts may be shared on the lines below.)

I currently live about 2 miles from the proposed site,
and would welcome the hospital with open arms.
It would be a breath of fresh air not to have to
drive 15-20 minutes to the nearest hospital.

Sincerely,

Signature: Kathy Ober
Printed Name: Kathy Ober
Address: 2681 Cadbury Circle
City, St, Zip: Lake in the Hills, IL 60156
Date: 3/12/11

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