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HEALTH FACILITIES &
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Ms. Courtney Avery, Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 West Jefferson
Springfield, IL 62761

RE: Project 15-019
Adventist Bolingbrook Hospital
24-Bed Psychiatry Unit
Letter of Support

Dear Ms. Avery:

Please accept this letter as an indication of our support for Adventist Bolingbrook Hospital's plans to operate a 24-bed psychiatry unit.

The residents of Will County will benefit from Adventist Bolingbrook's plans. The hospital is currently seeing hundreds of patients a year in its Emergency Department that require hospitalization for a psychiatric disease. A high percentage of these patients are Will County residents, who must now be referred to another hospital, often out of the immediate area. With their desired psychiatric unit, the hospital will be able to keep those patients in Bolingbrook, and allow their internists and family physicians to monitor their care.

This project is consistent with Adventist Bolingbrook Hospital's commitment to residents of Bolingbrook and the surrounding communities, and will be a great benefit to area patients in need of this service.

Please advise your Board of our support.

Sincerely,
NAMI Will Grundy Board of Directors,

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RE: Project 15-019
Adventist Bolingbrook Hospital
Letter of Support for Psychiatry Unit

Dear Ms. Avery:

This letter is being provided as an indication of my support for Adventist Bolingbrook Hospital's planned psychiatric unit.

Many Lemont residents have come to rely on Adventist Bolingbrook Hospital as their hospital of choice for a variety of reasons, not least of which is its close proximity to Lemont. Historically, area residents admitted to a hospital for psychiatric care who would have preferred to be admitted to Bolingbrook Hospital, have needed to go elsewhere because the hospital did not provide this service.

As well documented, the need for psychiatric services is increasing, and Bolingbrook Hospital's plans will, in part, address that need in our area.

Sincerely,

Brian K. Reaves
Mayor

