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HEALTH FACILITIES & SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

Ms. Courtney Avery, Administrator Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board 525 West Jefferson Street, Second Floor Springfield, Illinois 62761

Re: Project No. 17-044, Smith Crossing

Dear Ms. Avery:

Please accept the enclosed letter of support from Jacob C. Vandenberg, Mayor, The Village of Tinley Park, for the above referenced project.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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From the Desk Of Mayor Jacob C. Vandenberg

Tinley Park, Illinois

August 6, 2017

Jacob C. Vandenberg Mayor, Village of Tinley Park 16250 S. Oak Park Ave Tinley Park, IL 60477

To whom it may concern,

I have recently become aware of the desire of Smith Crossing to expand their facilities. I believe this would be very beneficial to Tinley Park.

Here in Tinley Park there is an immediate need to accommodate the area's increasing demand for elderly care. In looking at the future age predictions of our residents there will also be an increased need in the near future for the services this type of facility provides.

I have heard from many residents who have parents that are at an age in which they require full-time care. It is a true blessing to these residents that they are able to move their parents and loved ones into a community that is near to both their old homes and family members.

I strongly encourage and endorse the planned expansions of Smith Crossing of 46 new beds. If you have any questions please contact my office at (708) 444-5021.

Sincerely,

Jacob C. Vandenberg Mayor, The Village of Tinley Park