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Hi,

I am writing to formally record my opposition to the closing of the Mercy Hospital. This hospital is necessary for the health of our community. The doctors, nurses, and residents I have met there are caring professionals who advocate for those who need support. Our area especially needs to retain a hospital of Mercy's quality.

During a pandemic, it is unacceptable that this proposal is being seriously considered. Keep Mercy open - it is what is right and what our community needs.

Sincerely,
Seth Caldwell