

2/11/2021

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

Re: Quincy Medical Group Hospital, Project #20-044

Dear Ms. Avery,

I am writing in support of Quincy Medical Group Hospital. Quincy Medical Group is committed to delivering the best healthcare to patients and we are proud to partner with them on this transformational effort.

Quincy Medical Group Hospital will be patient-centered, physician-led and state-of-the-art, expanding access to the latest high-quality healthcare services while reducing healthcare costs for everyone. It's exactly what our region needs.

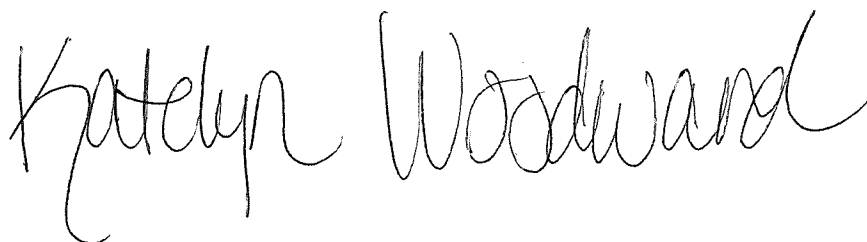
Quincy Medical Group is a leader with values that match ours and those of our community. They are laser-focused on improving care for patients. They are committed to the health of our community and the economic well-being.

QMG Hospital will empower patients to continue care with their physician of choice across all care settings, including an overnight hospital stay, if necessary. This improves care quality and clinical outcomes while reducing costs and ensures the highest level of patient satisfaction. These are goals we, and all members of our community, can whole-heartedly endorse.

QMG has cared for our families and community for nearly 85 years. The proposed facility will help improve outcomes and ensure we have the choice and care we need. I encourage you to approve Quincy Medical Group Hospital, project #20-044.

Thank you,

Katelyn Woodward, Community Relations Director, on behalf of Bickford of Quincy

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Katelyn Woodward". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.