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RE: NorthShore University HealthSystem – Cardiovascular Institute Expansion
CON Application No. 21-016

Dear Ms. Avery:

I submit this letter in support of NorthShore University HealthSystem's ("NorthShore") Certificate of Need application regarding the centralization of its cardiology services and development of a new cardiovascular health oriented pavilion at NorthShore Glenbrook Hospital. As the Glenview Village President, I appreciate NorthShore's ongoing engagement in ensuring the health and well-being of my constituents and its commitment to quality healthcare. This commitment has a very tangible benefit to area economic development as NorthShore ensures that any businesses which anchor in or near our community can offer local access to world-class health care services.

The planned project is aimed at centralizing cardiovascular services at NorthShore Glenbrook Hospital which is a geographically convenient location for patients in the NorthShore area. The planned project will also allow other area NorthShore hospitals to continue providing high-quality care and focus on the other needs of the communities and surrounding towns.

The North Shore stands to benefit from the economic development this project will impart in addition to the benefits of enhanced cardiovascular services. NorthShore's significant investments will create state-of-the-art facilities which will further enhance the quality of cardiovascular care delivered and grant patients improved access to the latest clinical techniques for the treatment of cardiovascular disease.

Specifically, relative to advancing care, I am excited about NorthShore's commitment to developing innovative techniques, its physicians' customized approach to treatment options, and producing breakthrough research to optimize patient outcomes.

I urge the Health Facilities and Services Review Board's to approve NorthShore's pending Certificate of Need application.

Sincerely,

Michael Jenny,
Village President