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June 20, 2023

Mr. John Kniery, Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities and Review Board
525 W. Jefferson Street - 2nd Floor
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: St. Margaret Health-Peru Change of Ownership to OSF Healthcare System,
Project E-026-23
Request for Expedited Review

Dear Mr. Kniery:

We are writing today to respectfully request an expedited review and Chairwoman approval of Project E-026-23, St. Margaret Health-Peru Change of Ownership to OSF Healthcare System. Assuming no hearing is requested by the public during the public hearing timeline and given the fact that an entire region is without hospital coverage due to two hospital closures, we believe such a request is appropriate. OSF HealthCare is doing all it can to help stabilize the situation in the Peru area and we would ask that the Board use all tools at its disposal to assist us in expediting the approval so that we can accomplish transaction completion as soon as feasible.

Thank you very much for your attention to our request. If you have any questions or need any additional information, please contact me at 309-308-9656 or via email at mark.e.hohulin@osfhealthcare.org.

Sincerely,

Mark Hohulin, Senior Vice President

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