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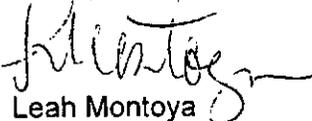
Ms. Courtney Avery
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 W. Jefferson Street, Second Floor
Springfield, Illinois 62761

Dear Ms. Avery:

I OPPOSE a new hospital in Crystal Lake, Illinois. This is an
unnneeded expense . A new hospital will increase costs and may
harm existing hospitals.. I believe that the existing hospitals serve
McHenry County very well.

I recommend that you not approve the Certificate of Need
application.

Yours,


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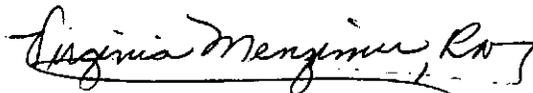
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Ms. Avery:

I am a resident of McHenry County and a registered nurse. Please deny the certificate of need application by Mercy to locate a new hospital in Crystal Lake. I urge you to disapprove this application.

Another hospital is not needed. There are already several hospitals in the area which fulfill the need of area residents. The money to build a new hospital could be better spent on other health care services.

Yours,



Virginia Menzimer, RN

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Ms. Avery:

I oppose the application for a new Mercy Hospital in Crystal Lake. I am a resident of McHenry County. I oppose the construction of any other hospitals in McHenry County. There are enough hospitals in the county. Why should we build another hospital, when we are trying to keep the costs of health care down.

The quality of health care that we have available right now is exceptional and we should be glad of it. Many parts of this country and other parts of the world may need additional hospitals. In McHenry County we do not need additional hospitals.

Sincerely,

Julie Zuidema

February 8, 2011

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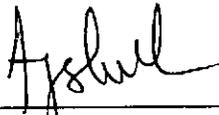
Dear Ms. Avery:

I'm writing to oppose Mercy's application to build a new hospital in Crystal Lake. This project represents a duplication of healthcare services already in the area. There are already three hospitals in McHenry County and additional hospitals such as Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital, Sherman, St. Alexius and Provena St. Joseph that serve the health needs of McHenry County. Any McHenry County resident can get to at least one of these hospitals in a reasonable time so if McHenry county residents are leaving the county to seek healthcare it's by their own choice, not for lack of options. We already have enough hospitals nearby.

I urge the Illinois Health Facilities and Review Board to deny the Mercy proposed new hospital.

Sincerely,

Signature:



Printed Name:

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