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Re: Silver Cross Emergicare Center (Frankfort), Project No. 12-096

Dear Ms. Avery and Mr. Constantino:

As you know, we are counsel to Silver Cross Health System and Silver Cross Hospital & Medical Centers (collectively, "Silver Cross"). Due to the recent decline in emergency volumes across the relevant service area and across Chicagoland, Silver Cross has decided to withdraw the above-referenced Project. Silver Cross will continue to monitor the situation and, if circumstances change, Silver Cross will file a new Certificate of Need Application. Please call me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Edward J. Green

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cc: Ruth Colby, Silver Cross Hospital & Medical Centers

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