

Ms. Courtney Avery

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14-043

Administrator

Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board

525 W. Jefferson St., 2nd Floor

Springfield, IL 62761

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SUBJECT: Support of Elizabeth's Hospital's Move to O'Fallon, IL

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Dear Ms. Avery:

HEALTH FACILITIES &
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We are writing in support of St. Elizabeth's Hospital's plans to build a replacement hospital in O'Fallon.

Our immediate family and extended family has benefitted from the great medical care we have received as inpatient and outpatient care for more than 70 years. We would like to know that this stellar support will be available for the next 100 years for our family and the entire region.

Unfortunately, the current facility is rundown and needs to be completely overhauled and updated to keep pace with state of the art medical technology advances.

From our perspective, it is not economically prudent or feasible to put the excessive amount of money that would be required to revive this outdated campus. A new facility is clearly the better solution, it will be more cost effective, and provide the best opportunity to improve support to growing medical needs of the region. It will also afford easier access being near the interstate, provide acreage to accommodate future growth requirements, and, perhaps most importantly, provide a world class facility which will attract the best medical care providers to provide care comparable to that for which St Louis is noted.

We strongly encourage you to approve St. Elizabeth's replacement hospital in O'Fallon, Illinois.

Sincerely,



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St. Elizabeth Hospital, O'Fallon

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St. Elizabeths Hospital Ambulatory
Care Center O'Fallon

To Whom it may concern:

We are in support of St. E's Hospital
moving to O'Fallon. Being centrally
located on Hwy 64 would benefit
the region they currently service.
It will make it easier for
everyone to access.

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