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Ms. Courtney Avery
Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities Services Review Board
525 West Jefferson Street, 2nd Floor
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: Support for the University of Chicago Medical Center

Dear Ms. Avery:

At Sunshine Gospel Ministries, we seek a great renewal in our city. We do this though building relationships, teaching and mentoring, developing life skills, and encouraging care and advocacy in our community. The South Side is long overdue for not only trauma care, but also more jobs and better opportunities for small businesses. We applaud University of Chicago Medicine's investment in healthcare and economic opportunity on the South Side, which is unmistakable in their Get CARE plan.

The Get CARE plan will provide comprehensive services at every level for our community, including an expanded Emergency Department, specialty services, and badly needed trauma services. What's more, Get CARE will have a major economic impact on the South Side. UChicago Medicine plans to invest $269 million in our own backyard while creating more than 1,000 permanent jobs and 400 construction jobs in an area that desperately needs employment opportunities.

This indivisible plan is the future of healthcare and opportunity on the South Side. Please support Get CARE and give the community the resources they deserve.

Sincerely,

Ethan Daly
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