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Dale Galassie  
Chairman, Illinois Health Facilities Planning Board  
525 West Jefferson Street, Second Floor  
Springfield, IL 62762-0001

Dear Chairman Galassie:

I write in support of Trinity Health's application to acquire the Loyola University Health System. I believe this new collaboration is in the best interest of Illinois citizens.

This collaboration will position Loyola University Health System for continued success. With two hospitals, a regional burn center, a level one trauma center, national leadership in medical education, and 28 outpatient facilities, Loyola University Health System is an economic engine and leading care provider in Illinois. This new partnership with Trinity Health will provide Loyola University Health System the financial and shared services resources necessary to respond to health care reform and new evolving models of care.

My constituents rely on Loyola Hospital and I'm convinced that the partnership with Trinity Health will benefit them.

Sincerely,  
*Don Harmon*  
Don Harmon

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
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**La Shawn K. Ford**  
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I am familiar with Trinity Health's proposal and very supportive. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "L. Ford".

La Shawn Ford  
State Representative