

**Constantino, Mike**

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**From:** Diane Seiler [dhswillcounty@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 09, 2012 12:00 PM  
**To:** Constantino, Mike  
**Subject:** Lockport Dialysis Treatment Center Support Letter  
**Attachments:** scan0001.pdf

Dear Mr. Constantino:

Please accept this letter of support on behalf of the Lockport Dialysis Treatment Center.

Thank you,  
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Michael Constantino  
Illinois Health Facilities & Services Review Board  
525 West Jefferson Street  
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: Fresenius Medical Care Lockport (No. 12-055)

Dear Mr. Constantino,

I would like to let you and the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board know about my support for Fresenius Medical Care's proposed Lockport dialysis treatment center.

As a member of the Public Health & Safety Committee for the Will County Board, one of my main priorities is to help senior citizens and people with chronic illnesses improve their quality of life.

End Stage Renal Disease is a chronic condition that is prevalent in Will County. During the past two years, the number of Will County residents with this disease has increased by 13 percent. There is a need to open an additional treatment center to serve this growing population.

Dialysis treatment is especially taxing on patients because of its frequency and duration. Many individuals undergoing dialysis rely on public transportation to go back and forth from their treatment appointments. Fortunately, Fresenius' proposed dialysis treatment center at 1143-1165 E. 9<sup>th</sup> Street in Lockport is easily accessible by bus.

I believe Fresenius's Lockport clinic would go a long way toward providing comprehensive dialysis treatment close to residents who need it.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Diane Seiler-Zigrossi". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned over the printed name.

Diane Seiler-Zigrossi  
District 7 and Minority Whip, Will County Board