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HEALTH FACILITIES &
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December 15, 2016

Courtney Avery, Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities & Services Review Board
525 West Jefferson Street, Second Floor
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: In Support of Sherman's Ambulatory Surgery Center

Dear Ms. Courtney Avery:

On behalf of Centro de Información, I am writing to express my support for the proposed ambulatory surgery center (ASC) at Advocate Sherman Hospital.

Centro de Información serves low income Latino individuals and families throughout the Fox Valley area. We work with partners such as Advocate Sherman Hospital to connect this underserved population with the community resources they need to succeed.

Improving access to high quality, lower cost care is critical for this population. Often our clients put off seeking medical treatment from fear of cost and/or lack of time. I believe facilities like ASCs assist in removing barriers to care and making care more convenient and affordable. This encourages people to seek the care they need, when they need it. Especially for those who are underserved, this facility will provide an additional access point.

I fully support this project for our community and I urge the review board to approve it.

Jaime D. Garcia
Executive Director
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FROM THE DESK OF NATALIE SIMPSON

December 15, 2016

Courtney Avery
CON Board Administrator
525 W. Jefferson St., Second Floor
Springfield, IL 62761

Re: Support for 16-038 - Advocate Sherman Ambulatory Surgery Center, Elgin IL

Dear Ms. Avery,

As a long time resident of the Elgin area, I have very much appreciated the excellent care provided by Advocate Sherman Hospital and therefore, I wanted to take a moment to express my strong support for the proposed Ambulatory Surgery Center at Sherman Hospital. I truly believe this center will provide a great advantage to patients in that it will extend the service offering by Sherman and most importantly provide a low cost surgery option right on the hospital campus.

Of course there are other ambulatory surgery centers, but I would be greatly concerned about using a facility so far from a hospital for surgery. As you know, surgery is very serious and delicate in which, anything can go wrong, and with an ambulatory surgery center located right near the hospital, I would feel more comfortable and in better care knowing there is a top notch supporting hospital readily available.

I truly hope you take this request into consideration. I believe it would be extremely positive and beneficial to all in need of surgical care.

Sincerely,



Natalie Simpson

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