

Will-Grundy
MEDICAL CLINIC
Free Health Care Volunteered by Medical Professionals

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Re: Letter of Support from Will-Grundy Medical Clinic Dated 9/6/2017

Dear Ms. Avery and Mr. Constantino:

I understand that a letter was submitted on 9/6/2017 in support of project No. 16-046. The letter stated that it was from the Will-Grundy Medical Clinic. I want to inform you the letter did not come from Will-Grundy Medical Clinic. That letter represents the personal opinion of Dr. Milo, a volunteer provider at the Will-Grundy Medical Clinic. It does not represent the sentiments of the Will-Grundy Medical Clinic executive director nor the board of directors. It must also be noted, the document was not on official Will-Grundy Medical Clinic letter head. Dr. Milo was not authorized to write this letter. Nor did he seek the counsel or approval of the board of directors or the executive director of the clinic.

Silver Cross Hospital and Medical Centers has been a long supporter of the Will-Grundy Medical Clinic. In our nearly 30 year history, Silver Cross Hospital and Medical Centers has provided our patients with charity care services including financial and in-kind support in excess of \$60,000,000. In fact, for our most recent fiscal year Silver Cross Hospital and Medical Centers has provided nearly \$2,000,000 in charity care to our patients. Silver Cross Hospital and Medical Centers has been an enduring and faithful supporter of the indigent, underserved and marginalized residents of Will-County.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have questions. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully,



Shawn West, MBA
Executive Director
Will Grundy Medical Clinic



