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Re: Proposed Mercyhealth Micro-hospital and Medical Center Crystal Lake

To Whom It May Concern:

The Village of Cary has been informed of Mercyhealth's proposal to construct a new micro-hospital and medical office building at the southeast corner of IL Route 31 and Three Oaks Road in Crystal Lake. Our understanding is that the proposal consists of an 111,000 square-foot acute care hospital containing 11 medical/surgical beds and 2 intensive care (ICU) beds and connected in proximity to a new 36,000 square-foot medical office building.

The proposed project would be located approximately a half mile west of Cary's corporate boundary and would provide our residents with an important resource that would be easily accessible. Mercyhealth's proposal is consistent with many of the Village's goals, including the support of development that enhances services for the area's growing senior population.

The new micro-hospital is also proposed along two major roadways in the most densely populated part of McHenry County, with Three Oaks Road providing direct and convenient access from Cary and other communities along US Route 14 to the east.

The Village of Cary is highly supportive of the proposed project and the benefits it would have for the entire region. The Village recommends that the Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board consider approval of Mercyhealth's application.

Respectfully,
Village of Cary

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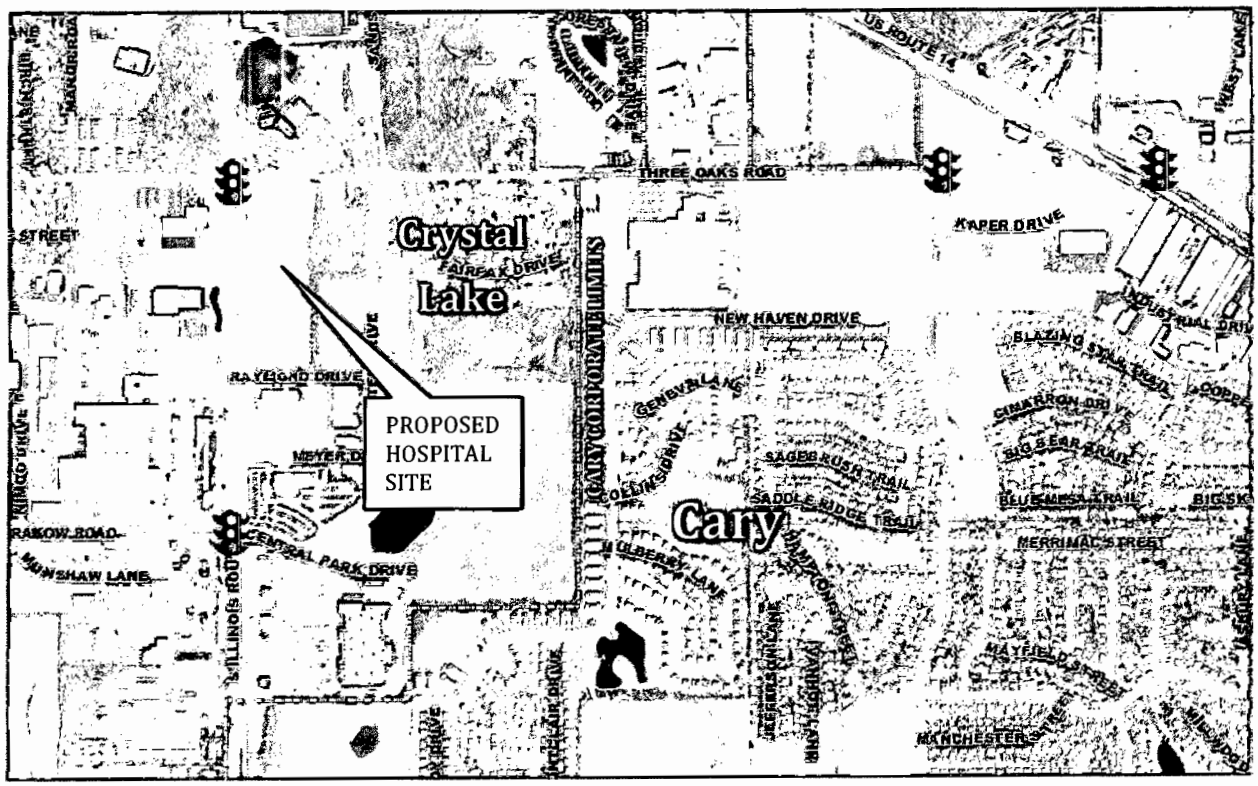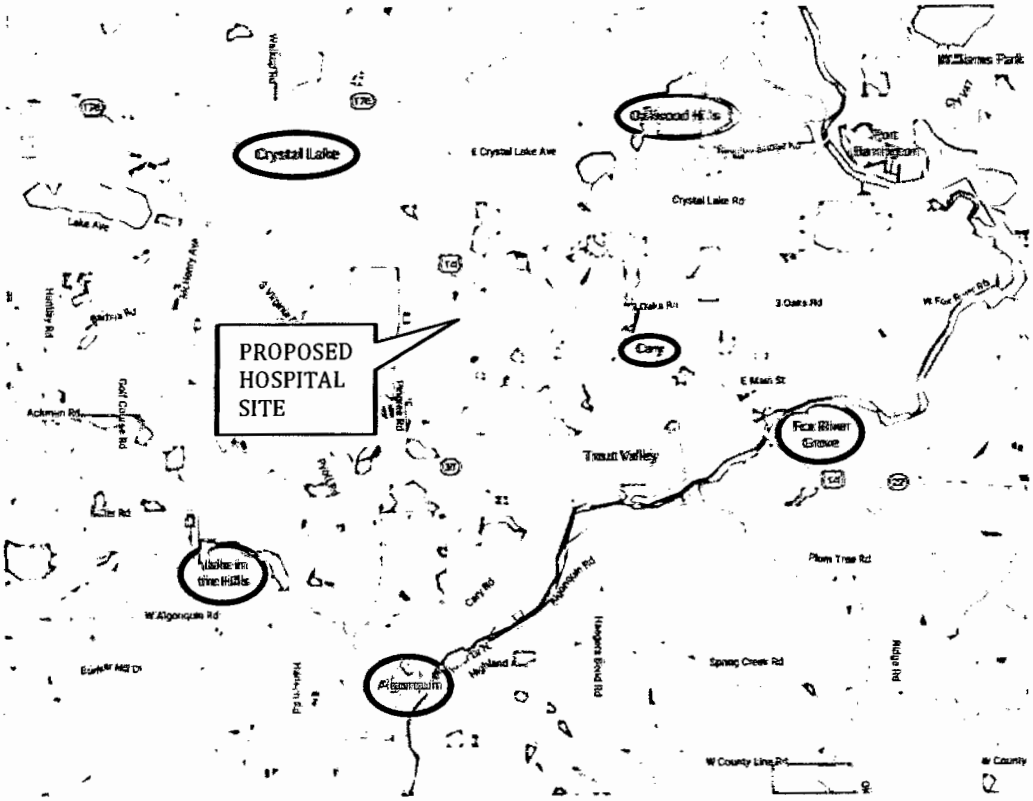
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