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HEALTH FACILITIES &
SERVICES REVIEW BOARD

Ms. Courtney R. Avery
Administrator

Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board

525 West Jefferson, 2nd Floor
Springfield, IL 62701

RE: Opposition to CON 18-042, Quincy Medical Group
Surgery Center in Quincy, Illinois

Dear Ms Avery:

My name is Torri Jacobs I am a community member plus a supervisor for HIM at Blessing Hospital. As a Blessing employee I see how negative and how this could hurt our organization and our community. Doing this project will hurt our community, because it may remove services from the Hospital or even worse the hospital.

I oppose unnecessary duplicate of service, because it hurts our community. Competitive healthcare facilities are not good, because it makes services between the two organizations rises costs. We want our community to thrive not decrease. With three surgery centers it doesn't make sense. It is causing more cost for our community, because it cost more to build, supply, and maintain this facility.

I respectfully ask that the Health Facilities and Services Review Board deny CON application 18-042, Quincy Medical Group Surgery Center. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Torri Jacobs