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DEAR REVIEWERS:

OF THE THREE PROPOSALS SUBMITTED FOR NEW ACUTE CARE BEDS IN WAKE COUNTY I BELIEVE THE NOVANT PROPOSAL BEST SERVES THE RESIDENTS OF WAKE. GIVEN THE POPULATION GROWTH IN THE SOUTHERN PORTION OF THE COUNTY AND THE EXPECTED CONTINUATION OF THIS GROWTH, THE PEOPLE NEED ACCESS TO A COMMUNITY HOSPITAL.

WE ARE CONFIDENT IN THE QUALITY OF CARE NOVANT PROVIDES. HAVING LIVED IN CHARLOTTE BETWEEN 1986 AND 2000, WE ARE FAMILIAR WITH THE HIGH STANDARD OF CARE PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL PROVIDES. MY WIFE AND I ATTENDED A PRESENTATION MAY 25, 2011, ON THE PROPOSAL AND ARE EXCITED TO HAVE THE PROPOSED FACILITY. WE ATTENDED A PRESENTATION ON THE 2008 PROPOSAL AND WERE IMPRESSED THEN.

WE BELIEVE A THIRD SUCCESSFUL, PRIVATE, NOT FOR PROFIT HEALTH CARE ORGANIZATION WILL ENHANCE QUALITY AND COMPETITION FOR BOTH OUTCOMES AND PATIENTS, AND REVENUE. WE ARE IMPRESSED WITH THE LEVEL OF CHARITY NOVANT OFFERS AND ITS COMMITMENT TO THE COMMUNITIES IT SERVES.

WE STRONGLY ENCOURAGE YOU TO GRANT 50 BEDS TO NOVANT FOR HOLLY SPRINGS PROPOSAL. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION.
Pat Williams, M.H.A. CC: JOEY MORRIS