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August 22, 2024

Timothy Walsh
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No Review

Record #: 4536
Date of Request: August 7, 2024
Facility Name: Silver Bluff LLC
FID #: 923454
Business Name: Liberty Healthcare Properties of Haywood County, LLC
Business #: 3853
Project Description: Combine Silver Bluff LLC with Pigeon Valley Rest Home on one license
County: Haywood

Dear Mr. Walsh:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency) received your correspondence regarding the project described above. Based on the CON law in effect on the date of this response to your request, the project as described is not governed by, and therefore, does not currently require a certificate of need. If the CON law is subsequently amended such that the above referenced proposal would require a certificate of need, this determination does not authorize you to proceed to develop the above referenced proposal when the new law becomes effective.

This determination is binding only for the facts represented in your correspondence. If changes are made in the project or in the facts provided in the correspondence referenced above, a new determination as to whether a certificate of need is required would need to be made by this office.

Please do not hesitate to contact this office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Ena Lightbourne
Project Analyst

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Chief

cc: Nursing Home Licensure and Certification Section, DHSR
Adult Care Licensure Section, DHSR

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August 7, 2024

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RE: **NO REVIEW**– Combine Silver Bluff and Pigeon Valley Rest Home as one licensed combination facility

Dear Ms. Lightbourne:

Currently, Silver Bluff (NH0458) is licensed for 131 NF beds and 13 ACH beds and Pigeon Valley Rest Home (HAL-044-012) is licensed for 29 ACH beds. They are both licensed as stand-alone buildings. However, both buildings are located next to each other on the same site.

According to § 131E-102 (Licensure requirements):

(a) No person shall operate a nursing home without a license obtained from the Department. Any person may operate a nursing home or a combination home, as defined in this Part, in the same building or in two or more buildings adjoining or next to each other on the same site.

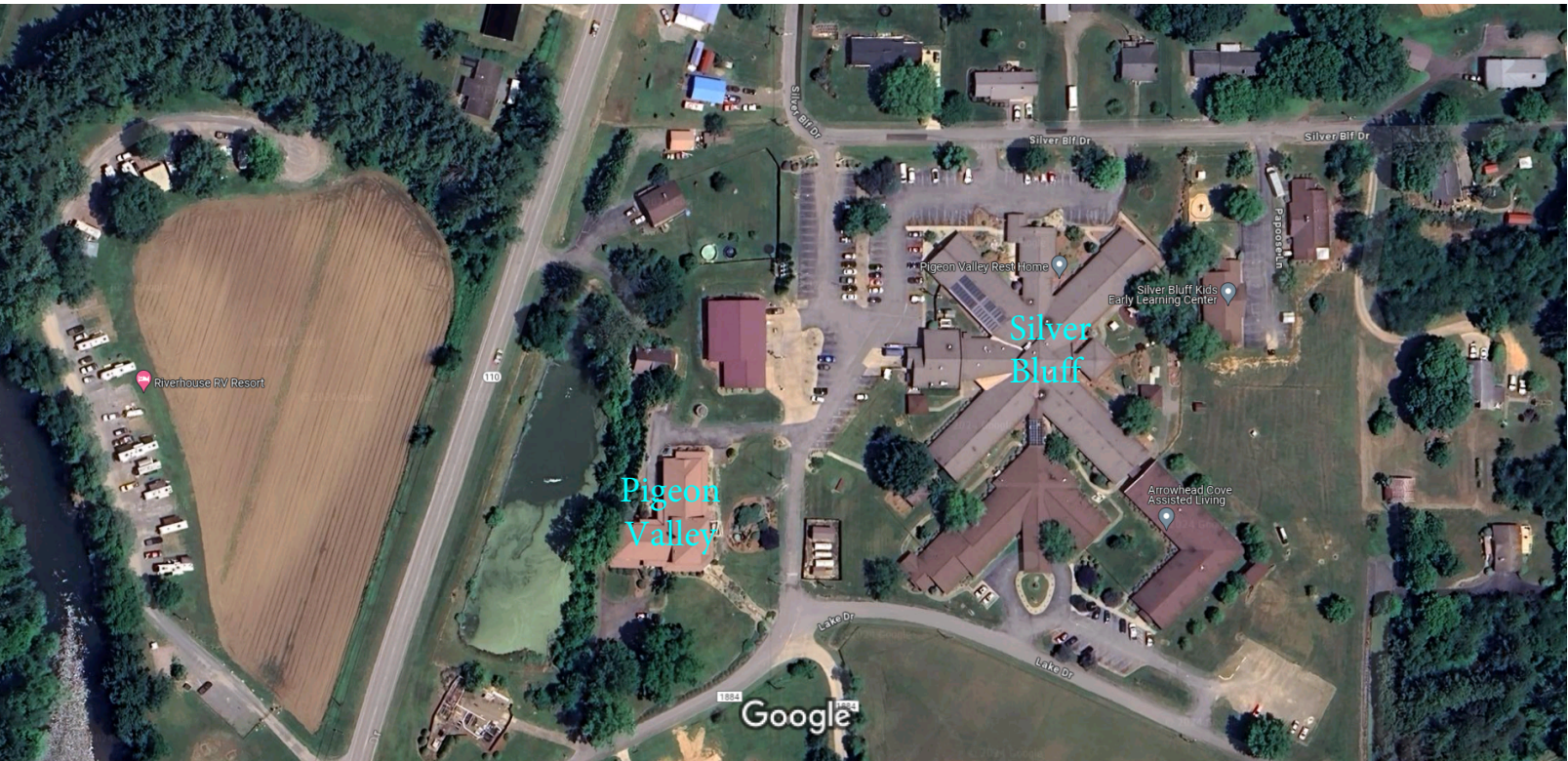
I have attached a map of the site displaying the two buildings located next to each other on the same site.

We have already submitted an exemption request to acquire these communities (See attached Exemption request for reference). I wanted to request a no review letter to combine these two separate licenses as one licensed combination facility. This proposal would not affect the SMFP nor would it affect any current residents.

Thank you in advance for your assistance and please let me know if you have any questions.

Best Regards,

Timothy Walsh  
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June 24, 2021

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**No Review**

**Record #:** 3597  
**Date of Request:** June 22, 2021  
**Facility Name:** Louisburg Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center  
**FID #:** 923313  
**Business Name:** Liberty Healthcare Properties of Franklin County, LLC  
**Business #:** 3160  
**Project Description:** Combine Louisburg Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center with Liberty Commons Assisted Living of Franklin County on one license  
**County:** Franklin

Dear Mr. Walsh:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency) received your correspondence regarding the project described above. Based on the CON law **in effect on the date of this response to your request**, the project as described is not governed by, and therefore, does not currently require a certificate of need. If the CON law is subsequently amended such that the above referenced proposal would require a certificate of need, this determination does not authorize you to proceed to develop the above referenced proposal when the new law becomes effective.

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Please do not hesitate to contact this office if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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Project Analyst

for Lisa Pittman  
Assistant Chief, Certificate of Need

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## Wilson, Fatimah

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**From:** Timothy J. Walsh <TWalsh@libertyseniorliving.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 22, 2021 10:18 AM  
**To:** Meymandi, Kimberly; Wilson, Fatimah  
**Cc:** Waller, Martha K  
**Subject:** [External] Franklin County - Louisburg Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center (NH0264); Liberty Commons Assisted Living of Franklin County (HAL-035-032) - No Review Request  
**Attachments:** Louisburg Communities - Site.pdf; Liberty - CON Exemption Letter\_Section for Acquisition of NF Facilities.pdf  
**Importance:** High

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Good morning all:

I hope everyone is doing well!

Currently, Louisburg Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center (NH0264) is licensed for 92 NF beds and Liberty Commons Assisted Living of Franklin County (HAL-035-032) is licensed for 60 ACH beds. They are both licensed as stand-alone buildings. However, both buildings are located next to each other on the same site. According to § 131E-102 (Licensure requirements): (a) No person shall operate a nursing home without a license obtained from the Department. Any person may operate a nursing home or a combination home, as defined in this Part, in the same building or in two or more buildings adjoining or next to each other on the same site.

I have attached a map of the site displaying the two buildings located next to each other on the same site.

We currently are leasing the facilities with expectation to acquire at a future date (See attached Exemption record number 3157 and 3161 for reference). I wanted to request a no review letter to combine these two separate licenses as one licensed combination facility. This proposal would not affect the SMFP nor would it affect any current residents.

Please let me know if you need any additional information or want to discuss via phone. Thanks so much!

Regards,

**Timothy J. Walsh**

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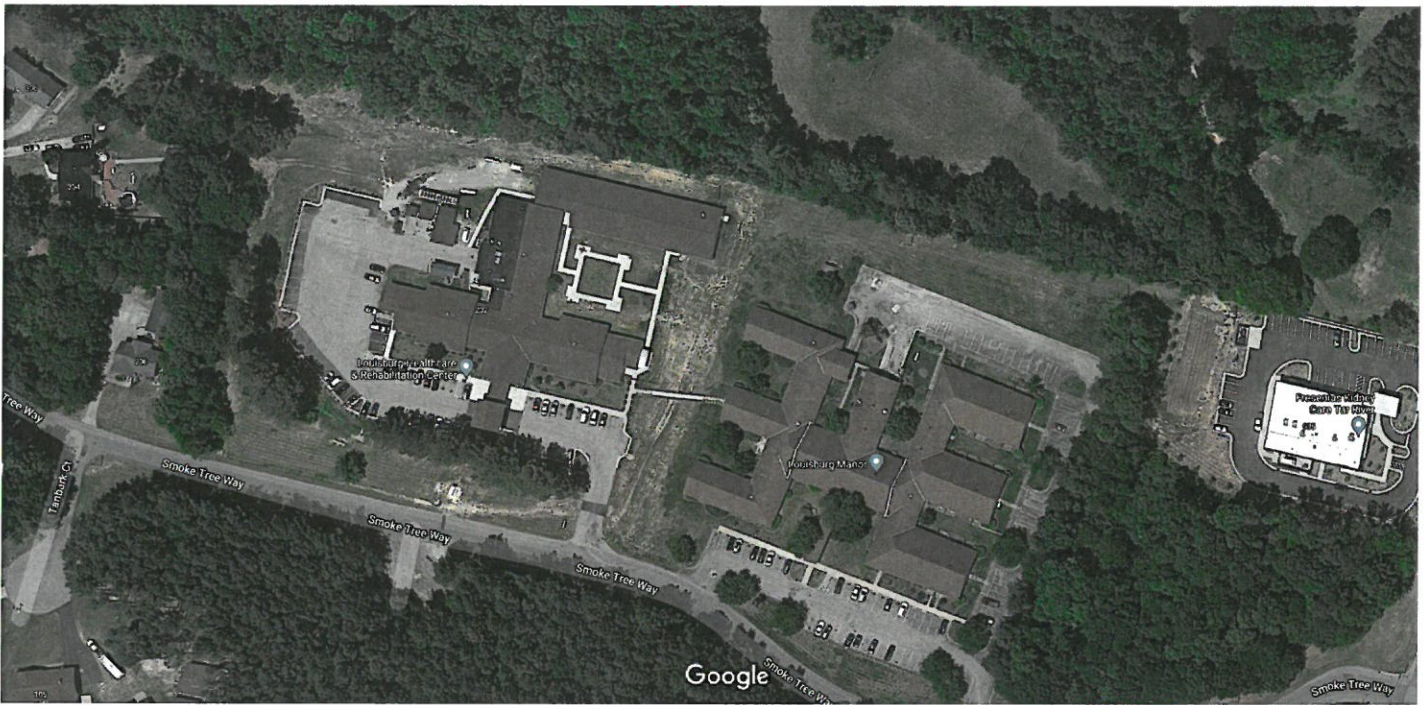
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VIA EMAIL ONLY

December 17, 2019

Timothy Walsh
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Exempt from Review – Acquisition of Facility and Change in Operator/Licensee of Facility

Record #: See Attachment A
Facility Name: See Attachment A
Type of Facility: See Attachment A
FID #: See Attachment A
Acquisition by: See Attachment A
Business #: See Attachment A
County: See Attachment A

Dear Mr. Walsh:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency) determined that based on your representations, the above referenced proposal is exempt from certificate of need (CON) review in accordance with N.C. Gen. Stat. §131E-184(a)(8). Therefore, the referenced businesses on the attached list may proceed to acquire the health service facilities identified in the attached list without first obtaining a CON. This attached list also acknowledges the change in operator for the listed facilities. The Agency's determination is limited to the question of whether or not the above referenced business would have to obtain a CON if the current owners of the health service facility do in fact sell it to the business listed above. Note that pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §131E-181(b): "A recipient of a certificate of need, or any person who may subsequently acquire, in any manner whatsoever permitted by law, the service for which that certificate of need was issued, is required to materially comply with the representations made in its application for that certificate of need."

In the event that the business listed above does acquire the facility, you should contact the Agency's Nursing Home Licensure and Certification and Adult Care Licensure Sections to obtain instructions for changing ownership of the existing facilities.

It should be noted that this Agency's position is based solely on the facts represented by you and that any change in facts as represented would require further consideration by this Agency and a separate determination regarding whether or not a certificate of need would be required. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,

Celia C. Inman (handwritten signature)

Celia C. Inman
Project Analyst

Martha J. Frison (handwritten signature)

Martha J. Frison
Chief

cc: Nursing Home Licensure and Certification Section, DHSR
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**Attachment A**

Record #	County	Nursing Facility	Address	FID #	Owner	Bus. ID#	Operator
3155	Brunswick	Liberty Commons Nursing & Rehabilitation Center of Southport LLC	630 Fodale Avenue Southport, NC 28461	923382	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Brunswick County, LLC	1107	Liberty Commons Nursing & Rehabilitation Center of Southport, LLC
3156	Bladen	Elizabethtown Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center	208 Mercer Road Elizabethtown, NC 28337	923150	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Bladen County, LLC	3159	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Bladen County, LLC
3157	Franklin	Louisburg Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center	202 Smoketree Way Louisburg, NC 27549	923313	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Franklin County, LLC	3160	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Franklin County, LLC
3158	Moore	Pinehurst Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center	300 Blake Boulevard Pinehurst, NC 28374	923403	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Moore County, LLC	3161	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Moore County, LLC
3159	Person	Roxboro Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center	901 Ridge Road Roxboro, NC 27573	923437	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Person County, LLC	3162	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Person County, LLC
3160	Yadkin	Yadkin Nursing Care Center	903 West Main Street Yadkinville, NC 27055	923574	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Yadkin County, LLC	3163	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Yadkin County, LLC
	<b>County</b>	<b>Adult Care Facility</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>FID #</b>	<b>Owner</b>		<b>Operator</b>
3161	Franklin	Louisburg Manor	114 Smoketree Way Louisburg, NC 27549	920691	Liberty Assisted Living Properties of Franklin County, LLC	3164	Liberty Commons Assisted Living of Franklin County, LLC
3162	Yadkin	The Magnolias Over Yadkin	144 North Lee Ave. Yadkinville, NC 27055	O10281	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Yadkin County, LLC	3163	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Yadkin County, LLC



# Liberty Healthcare Management

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December 13, 2019

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RE: **EXEMPT FROM REVIEW**– Acquisition of nursing home and adult care home facilities by Liberty

To Whom It May Concern:

In accordance with North Carolina G.S. 131E-184(a)(8), this letter is intended to request a determination of exemption from Certificate of Need (“CON”) review by the Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (“Agency”).

Liberty would like to make it known that we are entering into lease agreements of the NF and ACH facilities to operate the buildings. Over the next few years, closing on the acquisitions will take place.

Please see the list below displaying the facility name, address, county, license number, new owner, and new operator. The owner is the new proposed owner of the actual building, and the operator is the proposed operator of the nursing home or adult care home facility.

### Nursing Facilities

Facility Name	Address	County	License #	Owner	Operator
Liberty Commons Nursing & Rehabilitation Center of Southport LLC	630 Fodale Avenue, Southport, NC 28461	Brunswick	NH0322	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Brunswick County, LLC	Liberty Commons Nursing & Rehabilitation Center of Southport, LLC
Elizabethtown Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center	208 Mercer Road, Elizabethtown, NC 28337-1449	Bladen	NH0328	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Bladen County, LLC	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Bladen County, LLC
Louisburg	202 Smoketree Way,	Franklin	NH0264	Liberty Healthcare	Liberty Commons

Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center	Louisburg, NC 27549-0629			Properties of Franklin County, LLC	Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Franklin County, LLC
Pinehurst Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center	300 Blake Boulevard, Pinehurst, NC 28374	Moore	NH0294	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Moore County, LLC	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Moore County, LLC
Roxboro Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center	901 Ridge Road, Roxboro, NC 27573	Person	NH0265	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Person County, LLC	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Person County, LLC
Yadkin Nursing Care Center	903 West Main Street, Yadkinville, NC 27055-0879	Yadkin	NH0224	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Yadkin County, LLC	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Yadkin County, LLC

### Adult Care Home Facilities

Facility Name	Address	County	License #	Owner	Operator
Louisburg Manor	114 Smoketree Way, Louisburg, NC 27549	Franklin	HAL-035-003	Liberty Assisted Living Properties of Franklin County, LLC	Liberty Commons Assisted Living of Franklin County, LLC
The Magnolias Over Yadkin	144 North Lee Avenue, Yadkinville, NC 27055	Yadkin	HAL-099-011	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Yadkin County, LLC	Liberty Commons Nursing and Rehabilitation Center of Yadkin County, LLC

The proposed transfer of ownership will not materially affect the State Health Plan Services for nursing homes or adult care homes. Accordingly, we respectfully request an exemption from CON review.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Best Regards,



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July 30, 2024

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**RE: EXEMPT FROM REVIEW**– Acquisition of Silver Bluff and Pigeon Valley Rest Home

Dear Ms. Lightbourne:

In accordance with North Carolina G.S. 131E-184(a)(8), this letter is intended to request a determination of exemption from Certificate of Need (“CON”) review by the Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (“Agency”).

I am writing on behalf of the one (1) Nursing Home and one (1) Adult Care Home listed in the attached Exhibit A (collectively, the “Facilities”). It is the intent of the Liberty entities listed in Exhibit A to acquire and operate the real property constituting the existing nursing home and adult care home facilities known as Silver Bluff and Pigeon Valley Rest Home (the “Seller”).

Accordingly, we respectfully request an exemption from CON review. Thank you in advance for your assistance and please let me know if you have any questions.

Best Regards,

Timothy Walsh  
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**EXHIBIT A**

PROPOSED NEW OWNERSHIP OF THE FACILITIES

<b>Facility Name</b>	<b>Listing</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>License #</b>	<b>FID #</b>	<b>New Purchaser / Property Owner</b>	<b>New Lessee / Operating Entity</b>
Silver Bluff	Nursing Home	100 Silver Bluff Drive, Canton, NC, 28716	Haywood	NH0458	923454	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Haywood County, LLC	Liberty Commons of Haywood County, LLC
Pigeon Valley Rest Home	Adult Care Home	55 Lake Drive, Canton, NC, 28716	Haywood	HAL-044-012	920921	Liberty Healthcare Properties of Haywood County II, LLC	Liberty Commons of Haywood County II, LLC

**From:** [Timothy J. Walsh](#)  
**To:** [Lightbourne, Ena](#)  
**Cc:** [Stancil, Tiffany C](#)  
**Subject:** [External] No Review - Combine Silver Bluff and Pigeon Valley Rest Home as one licensed combination facility  
**Date:** Wednesday, August 7, 2024 5:21:32 PM  
**Attachments:** [Silver Bluff and Pigeon Valley Rest Home - No Review Letter to CON Section - 2024-08-07.pdf](#)  
[Silver Bluff & Pigeon Valley Rest Home - SAME SITE.pdf](#)  
[Silver Bluff and Pigeon Valley Rest Home - Exemption Letter to CON Section - 2024-07-30.pdf](#)  
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Good afternoon Ena:

I hope you are doing well and staying dry with the storms!

Please find a No Review Request related to the combination of Silver Bluff and Pigeon Valley Rest Home.

We have already submitted an exemption request to acquire these communities (See attached Exemption request for reference). I wanted to request a no review letter to combine these two separate licenses as one licensed combination facility.

Additionally, I am attaching a similar exercise we performed in combining same site communities on one license in Louisburg as a reference for this request.

The closing date for this transaction is currently set for September 5th, 2024. Therefore, it is crucial to have this request and the exemption request processed promptly to ensure we meet all necessary deadlines.

Please let me know if you need any additional information. Thanks so much!

Regards,

**Timothy J. Walsh**

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