



# BRATTLEBORO AREA HOSPICE

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Green Mountain Care Board  
89 Main Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Montpelier, VT 05620

Re: Brattleboro Memorial Hospital Modernization Project – Certificate of Need

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing as a representative of Brattleboro Area Hospice to express our organizational support of the Certificate of Need Application for the Brattleboro Memorial Hospital Modernization Project.

While we provide services to the entire population of Windham County, the majority of our clients are patients at Brattleboro Memorial Hospital. These shared clients, who dealing with serious often complicated illnesses, need exceptional local care. The renovations in the Modernization Project are truly needed to provide this care to our clients, and so we unreservedly support this project at the Hospital.

Since our founding in 1979, Brattleboro Area Hospice has worked closely and been an avid supporter of BMH. We believe this project is a vitally needed so that the Hospital can continue to provide high quality care for our patients, our staff and the community at large, and appreciate your consideration of this application for Certificate of Need.

Sincerely,

Susan Parris  
Executive Director