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RE: Docket No. GMCB-008-21con, Collaborative Surgery Center, Development of an Outpatient Surgery Center with Four Operating Rooms in Colchester. Project Cost: \$5,293,344.

Dear Mr. LaRosa:

We have reviewed the above referenced Certificate of Need (CON) application submitted by the Collaborative Surgery Center.

The application is now closed. The closing of the application begins the Board's statutory review period during which the application will be evaluated against the relevant statutory and regulatory criteria. Since an applicant bears the burden of proving that a project meets these criteria, the Board may contact the Collaborative Surgery Center with additional questions or require further submissions during the review period.

Individuals or entities have up to five business days (by January 18, 2022) following the closure of an application to petition for interested party or amicus curiae status. The Board will hold a hearing in this matter on January 26, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. remotely via Microsoft Teams. Comments from the public will be accepted through February 7, 2022, ten calendar days after the date of the hearing.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 802-760-8162.

Sincerely,

s/ Donna Jerry
Donna Jerry
Senior Health Policy Analyst, Green Mountain Care Board

cc. Laura Beliveau, Staff Attorney, Green Mountain Care Board

