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February 28, 2024

Mr. Eric Miller, Senior Vice-President and General Counsel  
The University of Vermont Medical Center  
462 Shelburne Road, Suite 301  
Burlington, VT 05401

**RE: Docket No. GMCB-004-23con, Development of an Outpatient Surgery Center on Tilley Drive, Project Cost: \$129,640,703.**

Dear Mr. Miller:

We have reviewed the above-referenced Certificate of Need (CON) application submitted by the University of Vermont Medical 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 University of Vermont Medical Center with additional questions or require further submissions during the review period.

A hearing will be held via Microsoft Teams on Monday, May 20, 2024, beginning at 9:00 a.m. Individuals or entities have five business days following the closure of an application (i.e., until March 7, 2024) to petition for interested party or amicus curiae status. Comments on the application will be accepted through May 30, 2024, 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

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

