PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with Chapter 221 of Title 18 V.S.A., the Green Mountain Care Board (GMCB) has closed Southwestern Vermont Medical Center's request to amend the existing Certificate of Need to modernize the emergency department and hospital front entrance (GMCB-019-19con). The request is for an increase in projected cost to \$32,900,000, from the first revised and approved project cost of \$31,000,000.

An individual or entity may submit a written petition to intervene in a Certificate of Need (CON) proceeding up to five (5) business days following the Board's closure of the review of this material change. Any such petitions in this proceeding must be submitted in writing to the GMCB at the address listed below, on or before October 28, 2024.

Comments on this material change request will be accepted through October 31, 2024, ten calendar days after this public notice. Following the conclusion of this comment period, the Board will deliberate and issue a written decision.

Petitions to intervene should be submitted to the Green Mountain Care Board, Attn: Donna Jerry, 1 National Life - Davis 3, Montpelier, Vermont, 05633. For more information, contact Donna Jerry at the above address or by calling 802-760-8162.