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A new GMCB Public Comment has been received.

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Name: Liz Curry

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Topic: Hospital Budget

Comment: I am writing to thank the GMCB for pushing back and finally drawing the line when it comes to UVM MC's seemingly perpetually inflated budget escalation. It's about time that the Board called out the crying wolf story that Brumstead spun for years while raking in a multi-million dollar salary, perks, and bonuses. Micro-managing hospital budgets is exactly what we need regulators to do and having independent consultants corroborate the Care Board's reasoning and conclusions is exactly what the public needs to restore our faith in this regulatory mechanism.

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