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PUBLIC NOTICE

Three Compete to Develop Two Operating Rooms in Buncombe County

RALEIGH – Three competing certificate of need applications have been filed with the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services to develop two operating rooms in Buncombe County in response to a need determination in the 2018 State Medical Facilities Plan.

The proposals are as follows:

- Orthopaedic Surgery Center of Asheville proposes to develop an ambulatory surgical facility with five operating rooms by relocating its three existing operating rooms and developing two operating rooms and two procedure rooms. The project is expected to cost \$9.2 million and would be completed in January 2021.
- Blue Ridge Outpatient Surgery Center proposes to develop an ambulatory surgical facility with two operating rooms and two procedure rooms. The project is expected to cost \$12.6 million and would be completed in January 2020.
- Summit Health Partners proposes to develop an ambulatory surgical facility with two operating rooms and three procedure rooms. The project is expected to cost \$7.4 million and would be completed in January 2020.

A public hearing for these projects will be held July 6 at 10 a.m. in the meeting room of Pack Memorial Library, 67 Haywood St., Asheville.

Anyone may file written comments concerning these proposals. Comments must be received by the Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section no later than 5:30 p.m. on July 2.

Comments may be submitted as an attachment to an email if they are sent to: DHSR.CON.Comments@dhhs.nc.gov. Comments may also be mailed to the following address:

Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section
Division of Health Service Regulation
2704 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-2704

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