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September 24, 2019

Brandon Hair, Executive Director Springmoor Life Care Retirement Community 1500 Sawmill Road Raleigh NC 27615

# **Exempt from Review**

Record #:

3054

Facility Name:

Dan E. and Mary Louise Stewart Health Center

FID #:

923132

**Business Name:** 

Springmoor Life Care Retirement Community

Business #:

1695

Project Description:

Renovations toward a household layout with updated common areas

County:

Wake

Dear Mr. Hair:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency), determined that based on your letter of August 29, 2019, the above referenced proposal is exempt from certificate of need review in accordance with N.C. Gen. Stat. §131E-184(e). Therefore, you may proceed to offer, develop or establish the above referenced project without a certificate of need.

However, you need to contact the Agency's Construction and Nursing Home Licensure and Certification Sections to determine if they have any requirements for development of the proposed project.

It should be noted that this determination is binding only for the facts represented by you. Consequently, if changes are made in the project or in the facts provided in your correspondence referenced above, a new determination as to whether a certificate of need is required would need to be made by the Agency. Changes in a project include, but are not limited to: (1) increases in the capital cost; (2) acquisition of medical equipment not included in the original cost estimate; (3) modifications in the design of the project; (4) change in location; and (5) any increase in the number of square feet to be constructed.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact this office.

# NC DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES • DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION HEALTHCARE PLANNING AND CERTIFICATE OF NEED SECTION

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Sincerely,

Michael J. McKillip Project Analyst Martha J. Frison

Chief

cc:

Construction Section, DHSR

Nursing Home Licensure and Certification Section, DHSR

### Waller, Martha K

From:

Brandon Hair < Brandon. Hair@springmoor.org>

Sent:

Friday, August 30, 2019 9:12 AM

To: Subject: Waller, Martha K; Mckillip, Mike

Attachments:

RE: [External] CON Exemption Letter and Supporting Documents

DHSR Letter.docx

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Mr. McKillip,

I wanted to send a revised copy of my letter I sent yesterday. I regret I spelled your name wrong twice in my letter. I realized this when I saw I spelled it write in my email to you. I should know by now to never send anything out without our business office manager proofreading first!

Again, my apologizes and hope you have a wonderful Labor Day weekend!

#### Brandon

**From:** Waller, Martha K [mailto:martha.waller@dhhs.nc.gov]

**Sent:** Friday, August 30, 2019 8:12 AM **To:** Brandon Hair; Mckillip, Mike

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From: Brandon Hair < Brandon. Hair@springmoor.org>

Sent: Thursday, August 29, 2019 5:22 PM
To: Mckillip, Mike <mike.mckillip@dhhs.nc.gov>
Cc: Waller, Martha K <martha.waller@dhhs.nc.gov>

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If you have any question please feel free to email me back or call me directly at the number below.

Thank you,

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