

North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services Division of Health Service Regulation

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RESPONSE REQUIRED

November 18, 2016

Chuck White PO Box 2568 Hickory, NC 28603

Conditional Approval

Project ID #: L--11186-16 Facility: Lakeview Village

Project Description: Replace and relocate a 60 bed Adult Care Home within Halifax County

County: Halifax FID #: 160282

Dear Mr. White:

The Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section, Division of Health Service Regulation (Agency) has conditionally approved the above referenced certificate of need application. This decision was made after a review of the applications submitted for this cycle and after consideration of the Certificate of Need Law, G.S. 131E-175 et. seq. and regulations promulgated there under, the State Medical Facilities Plan, and other applicable information. Attached to this letter are the required findings made with respect to your application. The applicant shall not proceed with the construction, offering or development of this project until the certificate of need is issued. Further, the Agency shall not issue the certificate of need until all applicable conditions of approval have been met pursuant to G.S. 131E-187(a). The conditions are as follows:

- 1. Lake Gaston Propco Holdings, LLC and Lake Gaston Opco Holdings, LLC shall materially comply with all representations made in the certificate of need application.
- 2. Lake Gaston Propco Holdings, LLC and Lake Gaston Opco Holdings, LLC shall relocate no more than 60 adult care home beds from Woodhaven Rest Home #2 for a facility total of no more than 60 ACH beds upon completion of the project.





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- 3. Lake Gaston Propco Holdings LLC and Lake Gaston Opco Holdings, LLC shall provide care to recipients of State/County Special Assistance with Medicaid, commensurate with representations made in the application.
- 4. For the first two years of operation following completion of the project, Lake Gaston Opco Holdings, LLC shall not increase actual private pay charges more than 5% of the projected private pay charges provided in Section X of the application without first obtaining a determination from the Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section that the proposed increase is in material compliance with the representations in the certificate of need application.
- 5. Lake Gaston Propco Holdings, LLC and Lake Gaston Opco Holdings, LLC shall develop and implement an Energy Efficiency and Sustainability Plan for the project that conforms to or exceeds energy efficiency and water conservation standards incorporated in the latest editions of the North Carolina State Building Codes. The plan must be consistent with the applicants' representations in the written statement as described in paragraph one of Policy GEN-4
- 6. Lake Gaston Propco Holdings, LLC and Lake Gaston Opco Holdings, LLC shall acknowledge acceptance of and agree to comply with all conditions stated herein to the Healthcare Planning and Certificate of Need Section in writing prior to issuance of the of the certificate of need.

Response to the above conditions should be submitted to the Agency no later than 35 days from the date of the decision. Failure to respond within this time period may result in the Agency making a determination not to issue a certificate of need for the project referenced above.

The conditional approval is valid only for a capital expenditure of \$6,606,865. If a cost overrun occurs that exceeds the approved capital expenditure amount, a new certificate of need may be required as determined by G.S. 131E-176(16)(e).

The applicant should be aware that according to the Certificate of Need law any affected person shall have thirty (30) days after the date of decision to file a petition for a contested case on this approval. Further, if you are aggrieved by the conditions of the decision you may file a petition for a contested case hearing in accordance with G.S. 150B, Article 3, as amended. This petition must be filed with the Office of Administrative Hearings, 6714 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-6714 within thirty (30) days of the date of this decision. [Note: Effective October 1, 2009, OAH requires a filing fee with submittal of petitions for contested cases. Please direct all questions regarding this fee to OAH Clerk's Office (919-431-3000).]

G.S. 150B-23 provides that a party filing a petition must also serve a copy of the petition on all parties to the petition. Therefore, if you file a petition for a contested case hearing, you must serve a copy of the petition on the Department of Health and Human Services by mailing a copy of your petition to:

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Lisa G. Corbett

Department of Health and Human Services,
 Office of Legal Affairs,
 Adams Building – Room 154
 2001 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, North Carolina, 27699-2001

It is requested that a copy of the petition also be served on the Agency.

The certificate of need will not be issued before the completion of this 30 day period ending December 19, 2016. If a contested case request is received within the thirty (30) day period, the certificate will not be issued until the appeal is resolved (10A NCAC 14C .0208).

The timetable for completion of the project is the timetable outlined in the certificate of need application, unless an adjustment has been made by the Agency because the review period was extended. The timetable for this project is as follows:

Appropriate Zoning Obtained	March 15, 2017
Building Permit Obtained	May 15, 2017
Final Drawings Approved by the	
Construction Section, DHSR	July 17, 2017
Footings/Foundation Poured	July 20, 2017
25% Completion of Construction	September 9, 2017
50% Completion of Construction	February 20, 2018
75% Completion of Construction	May 29, 2019
Completion of Construction	August 15, 2018
Licensure of Facility	October 1, 2018
Medicare/Medicaid Certification	October 1, 2018

If the decision is appealed, the timetable set forth in this letter will be adjusted accordingly before the Certificate of Need is issued. Please contact this office if any clarification of this decision is required.

Please refer to the Project ID # and Facility ID # (FID) in all correspondence.

Sincerely,

Gregory F. Yakaboski Project Analyst Lisa Pittman Team Leader, Certificate of Need

Attachment

cc: Adult Care Licensure Section, DHSR
Construction Section, DHSR
Paige Bennett, Assistant Chief, Healthcare Planning, DHSR

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served the foregoing notice of **conditional approval** on the following person by placing a copy in an official depository of the United States Postal Service in a postage-paid, first class envelope addressed as follows:

Chuck White PO Box 2568 Hickory, NC 28603

Project ID #: L-11186-16 FID #: 160282

This the 18th day of November, 2016.

Gregory F. Yakaboski Project Analyst, Certificate of Need