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RESPONSE REQUIRED

June 15, 2020

Jim Swann 3390 Dunn Road Eastover, NC 28312

Conditional Approval

Project ID #: G-11875-20

Facility: FMC of East Greensboro

Project Description: Add no more than 8 dialysis stations pursuant to facility need for a total of no more

than 51 dialysis stations upon project completion

County: Guilford FID #: 001324

Approved Capital Expenditure: \$426,579

Conditions of Approval: See Attachment A
Approved Timetable: See Attachment B
Last Date to Appeal: July 15, 2020
Required State Agency Findings: Enclosed

Dear Mr. Swann:

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 review of the application or applications if the review was competitive, consideration of the Certificate of Need Law and regulations promulgated thereunder, the State Medical Facilities Plan, written comments if any, responses to comments if any, and other publicly applicable information.

The conditional approval is valid only for the approved capital expenditure shown above. If the capital cost will exceed the approved capital expenditure amount by more than 115%, the applicant must first obtain a new certificate of need.

Response to the conditions in Attachment A should be attached to emails addressed to the Project Analyst and the Co-signer no later than 35 days from the date of the decision. Failure to respond within this time period may result in the Agency determining not to issue a certificate of need for the project referenced above.

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 approved timetable for this project is found in Attachment B.

Note: The applicant shall not begin developing this project until after the certificate of need has been issued and the certificate of need will not be issued until the applicant has documented that all conditions that must be met prior to issuance of the certificate of need have been met.

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

LOCATION: 809 Ruggles Drive, Edgerton Building, Raleigh, NC 27603 MAILING ADDRESS: 2704 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-2704 https://info.ncdhhs.gov/dhsr/ • TEL: 919-855-3873

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Furthermore, if the project requires that plans be submitted to the Construction Section, those plans will not be reviewed or approved until after the certificate of need has been issued.

The Certificate of Need law provides that any affected person has thirty (30) days after the date of the decision to file a petition for a contested case on this approval. Further, if you are aggrieved by any of the conditions you may file a petition for a contested case hearing in accordance with N.C. Gen. Stat. §150B, Article 3. 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. Effective October 1, 2009, OAH requires a filing fee with submittal of petitions for contested cases. Please direct all questions regarding this fee to the OAH Clerk's Office (919-431-3000).

N.C. Gen. Stat. §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:

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 thirty day appeal period which ends on the date shown above. If a contested case petition is filed with OAH within the thirty day appeal period, the certificate will not be issued until the appeal is resolved.

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,

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Enclosures:

cc:

Attachment A: Conditions of Approval Attachment B: Approved Timetable Required State Agency Findings

Acute & Home Care Licensure & Certification Section, DHSR

Attachment A Conditions of Approval

- 1. Bio-Medical Applications of North Carolina, Inc. shall materially comply with all representations made in the certificate of need application.
- 2. Pursuant to the facility need determination in the 2020 SMFP, Bio-Medical Applications of North Carolina, Inc. shall develop no more than eight additional in-center dialysis stations at FMC of East Greensboro for a total on no more than 51 in-center dialysis stations.
- 3. Bio-Medical Applications of North Carolina, Inc. shall acknowledge acceptance of and agree to comply with all conditions stated herein to the Agency in writing prior to issuance of the certificate of need.

Attachment B Approved Timetable

1.	Drawings Completed	January 16, 2021
2.	Construction / Renovation Contract(s) Executed	•
	25% of Construction / Renovation Completed (25% of th	
	2021	
4.	50% of Construction / Renovation Completed	July 30, 2021
5.	75% of Construction / Renovation Completed	September 28, 2021
6.	Construction / Renovation Completed	November 27, 2021
7.	Equipment Ordered	September 28, 2021
8.	Equipment Installed	December 12, 2021
9.	Equipment Operational	December 26, 2021
10.	Building / Space Occupied	December 26, 2021
11.	Services Offered (required)	December 31, 2021
12	Medicare and / or Medicaid Certification Obtained	December 31 2021