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Sue Tanner
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Re: Swedish Medical Center Cherry Hill Campus Master Plan, Project No. 3012953

Dear Examiner Tanner:

Pursuant to your ruling at the hearing for the Swedish Cherry Hill Medical Center Major Institution Master Plan, I am submitting the attached Proposed Findings and Conclusions Concerning Need and Public Benefit on behalf of Washington CAN.

With these Proposed Findings and Conclusions, I have focused entirely and solely on findings and conclusions relevant to the discussion of need and public benefit. These are not the only issues presented by Washington CAN regarding the MIMP decision, but I focused only on these two because of limitations on capacity and time. Our focus on need in the proposed findings and conclusions should not detract in any way from our position on all of the other issues presented. Washington CAN believes that this proposal should be denied (or at least conditioned) also because the proposal will significantly harm the livability and vitality of the surrounding neighborhoods, the purpose and intent of Chapter 23.69 has not been met, the standards for a rezone have not been met, and for the other reasons expressed during the hearing through public testimony and written comments, including my comments submitted on behalf of Washington CAN.

Thank you for allowing us the opportunity to submit these Proposed Findings and Conclusions.

Very truly yours,

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