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Re: Letter of Intent

Dear Ms. Sigman:

This is a letter of intent from BHC Fairfax Hospital, Inc. to establish a new psychiatric hospital in Snohomish County, Washington.

1. Description of Proposed Service

Fairfax proposes to establish a new 34-bed psychiatric hospital.

2. Estimated Cost of the Project

The estimated cost of the project is \$5,746,000.

3. Identification of the Service Area

The service area is Snohomish County.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact me at (425) 821-2000.

Very truly yours,

Ron Escarda  
Chief Executive Officer

cc: Frank Fox