



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Olympia, Washington 98504

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
Certificate of Need Application

Applicant: Emerald Communities

Description of Proposal: Establish a 45-bed skilled nursing facility (SNF) within a continuing care retirement community (CCRC) in the city of Gig Harbor within Pierce County.

Estimated Costs: SNF \$10,885,543

Public Hearing: A public hearing will be held on this project. Details are as follows:

Date: January 28, 2015
Time: Beginning at 2:00pm
Location: Meeting Room
Gig Harbor Library
4424 Point Fosdick Drive Northwest
Gig Harbor, Washington 98335

The location of the hearing is barrier free.

The purpose of the hearing is fact finding about the proposed project. **Individuals speaking at the hearing will be limited to 3 minutes.** Therefore, written comments are encouraged.

Oral or written comments must be submitted either at the hearing or received by the Certificate of Need Program by 5:00 pm, January 28, 2015. Faxed comments will not be accepted.

Send written comments to:

Mailing Address

Department of Health
Certificate of Need Program
Mail Stop 47852
Olympia, WA 98504-7852

Physical Address

Department of Health
Certificate of Need Program
111 Israel Road SE
Tumwater, WA 98501

Anticipated Decision Date: March 30, 2015

This hearing is the sole responsibility of the Certificate of Need Program. It is not sponsored or endorsed by any other organization. For assistance for persons with disabilities, contact Certificate of Need Program at (360) 236-2955 or TTY/TDD (800) 833-6388 by January 21, 2015.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please call Bob Russell with the Certificate of Need Program at (360) 236-2958. For additional information or details, log into our website: www.doh.wa.gov/hsqa/FSL/certneed/.