

## COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

M. Norman Oliver, MD, MA State Health Commissioner Department of Health P O BOX 2448 RICHMOND, VA 23218

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August 31, 2020

Mr. George P. Phillips Consultant 608 Tyson Road Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462

**RE: COPN No. VA-04716** 

Riverside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Riverside Regional Medical Center Add one CT scanner at Riverside Regional Medical Center

Dear Mr. Phillips:

In accordance with Chapter 4, Article 1.1 of Title 32.1 of the Code of Virginia of 1950 (the Code), as amended, I reviewed the application and all supporting documents submitted by Riverside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Riverside Regional Medical Center to add one fixed CT scanner at Riverside Regional Medical Center.

As required by Section 32.1-102.3B of the Code, I have considered all factors that must be taken into account in a determination of public need, and I have concluded that **conditional approval** of the request is warranted based on the following findings:

- The project is generally consistent with the applicable criteria and standards of the State Medical Facilities Plan and the eight Required Considerations of the Code of Virginia.
- 2. Approval of the project will reduce the burden on Riverside Regional Medical Center's heavily utilized CT scanners,
- 3. The project is highly unlikely to have an adverse effect on the utilization of existing providers.
- 4. The project is more favorable than the alternative of the status quo.
- 5. There is no known opposition to the project.
- 6. The capital and financing costs are reasonable.

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This certificate is valid for the period August 31, 2020 through August 30, 2021. The total authorized capital cost of the project is \$1,935,750.

Please file two copies of the application for a certificate extension with the Department no later than 30 days before the expiration date of the certificate. Part VIII of the Virginia Medical Care Facilities Certificate of Public Need Rules and Regulations identifies the filing requirements and review procedure for certificate extension requests.

Sincerely,

M. Norman Oliver, MD, MA State Health Commissioner

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## Enclosures

cc: Allyson Tysinger, Senior Assistant Attorney General, Commonwealth of Virginia Erik Bodin, Director, Division of Certificate of Public Need Deborah K. Waite, Operations Manager, Virginia Health Information Thomas Franck, MD, Acting District Director, Peninsula Health District



## MEDICAL CARE FACILITIES CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC NEED COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

THIS CERTIFIES THAT Riverside Hospital, Inc. is authorized to initiate the proposal as described below.

NAME OF FACILITY: Riverside Regional Medical Center

LOCATION: 500 J. Clyde Morris Boulevard Newport News, Virginia 23601

OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL: Riverside Hospital, Inc.

SCOPE OF PROJECT: Add one fixed CT scanner at Riverside Regional Medical Center. The authorized capital costs issued with the condition that appears on its reverse associated with this project total \$1,935,750. The project is expected to be completed by December 15, 2021. This certificate is



to fulfill these conditions. This Certificate is non-transferable and is limited to the location, ownership, control and scope of the project shown completion within a reasonable time period. The Commissioner reserves the right not to renew this Certificate in the event the applicant fails shall be submitted to the State Health Commissioner within twelve (12) months from the date of issuance along with adequate assurance of and continuing progress towards implementation of the proposal within twelve (12) months from the date of issuance. A progress report policies and procedures promulgated thereunder, this Medical Care Facilities Certificate of Public Need is issued contingent upon substantial Pursuant to Chapter 4, Article 1:1 of Title 32.1, Sections 32.1-102.1 through 32.1-102.12 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended and the

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Date of Issuance: August 31, 2020

Expiration Date: August 30, 2021

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services revenue derived from CT services provided at Riverside Regional Medical Center as valued under the provider services and facilitate the development and operation of primary care services to medically underserved persons in an of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1395 et seq. is available from Virginia Health Information. The value of charity care reimbursement methodology utilized by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for reimbursement under Title XVIII revised percentage based on the regional average after such time regional charity care data valued under the provider of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1395 et seq. Compliance with this condition will be documented to the Division of reimbursement methodology utilized by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for reimbursement under Title XVIII aggregate amount equal to at least 5.1% of Riverside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Riverside Regional Medical Center's total patient regardless of their ability to pay, and will provide as charity care to all indigent persons free services or rate reductions in provided to individuals pursuant to this condition shall be based on the provider reimbursement methodology utilized by the compliance with the preceding requirement. Riverside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Riverside Regional Medical Center will accept a Certificate of Public Need annually by providing audited or otherwise appropriately certified financial statements documenting Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for reimbursement under Title XVIII of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1395 Riverside Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Riverside Regional Medical Center will provide CT services to all persons in need of this service.

designated medically underserved areas of the applicant's service area. Additionally Riverside Hospital will facilitate the development and operation of primary and specialty medical care services in Riverside Hospital will provide CT care to individuals who are eligible for benefits under Title XVIII of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. § 1395 et seq.), Title XIX of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. § 1396 et seq.), and 10 U.S.C. § 1071 et seq.