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On Behalf Of:

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"Hello State Treasurer and Lawmakers,

The Bay Area Hospital needs your assistance and SUPPORT for its restabilization plan, including the H.B.4075 plan for refinancing. After months of reforms and cost-cutting, the Hospital is in much better shape but still struggling with high interest payments and aging equipment.

If the State is unwilling to assist the Bay Area Hospital, it will likely downgrade to a "type B" hospital. This comes with a number of costs to wellness and the local economy, including an estimated 180 preventable deaths each year.

Please do what you can to save the Bay Area Hospital.