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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Health Care

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4075

"Dear State Treasurer Steiner,

Please support the Bay Area Hospital's plan for restabilization this session, including the plan for refinancing existing debt. Recent cost-cutting measures have placed the Hospital on much better footing but financial instability remains.

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.

Sincerely,"