

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Olympia, Washington 98504

## **BEGINNING OF REVIEW NOTICE Certificate of Need Applications**

## **Applicants, Project Descriptions, Estimated Costs:**

The following three applicants are proposing to provide Medicare and Medicaid-certified hospice services to the residents of Pierce County.

- <u>EmpRes Healthcare Group, Inc.</u>: providing services from an office in Kirkland, with no estimated capital costs.
- <u>Seasons Hospice & Palliative Care of Pierce County Washington, LLC:</u> providing services from an office in Tacoma, with estimated capital costs of \$106,700.
- Wesley Homes Hospice, LLC: providing services from an office in King County, with no estimated capital costs.

**Public Hearing:** No public hearing will be held unless requested. Requests must be in writing and include the name, address, and signature of the person making the request. The deadline for requesting a public hearing is Tuesday, May 2, 2023. If a public hearing is scheduled, the hearing notice will be published in <u>The News Tribune</u> at least 15 days before the date of hearing.

**Public Comment Period:** If no public hearing is held, written comments must be received by the Certificate of Need Program on or before <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>May 31, 2023</u>. Hearing requests and comments are not accepted by fax. Email them to: <u>FSLCON@doh.wa.gov</u>

Anticipated Decision Date: September 13, 2023

If you have any questions or would like additional information, call the Certificate of Need Program at (360) 236-2955 or log on to our website: https://doh.wa.gov/cn