

STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Olympia, Washington 98504

BEGINNING OF REVIEW NOTICE

Applicant, Project Description, and Estimated Capital Cost:

The Pennant Group Inc. proposes to expand Iron Bridge Healthcare, Inc. dba Columbia River Home, an existing home health agency in Kennewick, Washington within Benton County, to also serve patients in Walla Walla County. The estimated cost for this project is \$5,000.

Public Hearing: No public hearing will be held unless requested. To request a hearing, the request must be in writing and include the name, address, and signature of the person making the request. The deadline for requesting a hearing is <u>Wednesday, January 3, 2024</u>. If a public hearing is scheduled, the hearing notice will be published in the Union-Bulletin 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>Tuesday</u>, January 23, 2024. Hearing requests and comments are not accepted by fax.

Email them to: <u>FSLCON@doh.wa.gov</u> or <u>Jules.Kolln@doh.wa.gov</u>.

Anticipated Decision Date: Friday, March 22, 2024

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please call Jules Kolln with the Certificate of Need Program at (360) 236-2526. For more information, log onto our website, <u>www.doh.wa.gov/cn</u>.