

STATE OF WASHINGTON

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Olympia, Washington 98504

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

## Applicant, Project Description, and Estimated Capital Cost:

Prosser Public Hospital District dba Prosser Memorial Health proposes replacement of the 25-bed critical access hospital to a new site in Benton County. The current address of the hospital is 723 Memorial Avenue, in Prosser [99350] The new site has not yet been assigned an address. The hospital district has acquired three separate, contiguous parcels on which the replacement hospital will be located. The tax parcel ID numbers are: 135942000010000, 135942000011000, and 135942000012000. The estimated capital expenditure associated with the replacement of the hospital is \$13,691,563.

**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. Deadline for requesting a hearing is <u>Monday, August 16, 2021</u>. Faxed requests are not accepted.

If a public hearing is scheduled, the hearing notice will be published in the **Tri-City Herald** at least 15 days before the date of the 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>Friday, September 3, 2021</u>. Faxed comments are not accepted. Send public hearing request or written comments to:

e-mail: fslcon@doh.wa.gov e-mail: karen.nidermayer@doh.wa.gov

## Anticipated Decision Date: November 4, 2021

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please call Karen Nidermayer with the Certificate of Need Program at (360) 236-2957. For more information, log into our website, <u>www.doh.wa.gov/cn</u>.