

## **BEGINNING OF REVIEW NOTICE**

### **Certificate of Need Application**

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

##### ***Project One: MultiCare Health System***

MultiCare Health System proposes to expand the services provided at its MultiCare Yakima Memorial Surgery Center at Ridgeview, located at 2500 Racquet Lane in Yakima, WA 98902, in Yakima County. Surgical services currently provided at the facility include urology, orthopedics, podiatry, ophthalmology, gynecology, brachytherapy, pain management, and general surgery. MultiCare Health System proposes the addition of cardiology, vascular, and gastroenterology surgical services. The estimated capital expenditure for the project is \$3,496,161

##### ***Project Two: MEC Yakima, LLC***

MEC Yakima, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of MultiCare Health System, proposes to establish a new freestanding surgery center at 3909 Creekside Loop, Ste 125 in Yakima, WA 98902 within Yakima County. The new surgery center would operate three operating rooms and provide endoscopy services. The estimated capital expenditure associated with this project is \$6,009,170

**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 **Wednesday, November 27, 2024**. If a public hearing is scheduled, the hearing notice will be published in the Yakima Herald-Republic at least 15 days before the date of the hearing.

**Public Comment Period:** Written comments must be received at the Certificate of Need Program office on or before **Tuesday, December 17, 2024**. Faxed comments and hearing requests are not accepted. Send written comments to:

e-mail: [CN@doh.wa.gov](mailto:CN@doh.wa.gov)

**Anticipated Decision Date: Tuesday, February 18, 2025.**

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please reach out to the Certificate of Need program with the email above. For more information, log into our website, [www.doh.wa.gov/cn](http://www.doh.wa.gov/cn).