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To Whom It May Concern:

Prince William Hospital is a 174 bed health care facility located in Prince William County, Virginia, approximately 30 minutes West of Washington, DC. In our region, we are experiencing rapid growth and change, sometimes at an exponential rate. To meet the demands of the diverse population we serve, we're actively expanding services to keep pace with advances in technology as well as recruiting highly qualified physicians to join our medical staff.

We engaged the services of The Medicus Firm to assist us in locating a qualified General Surgeon to join a highly reputable group of surgeons in our service area. The parameters and expectations of this group firm, and I sometimes felt we were looking for a needle in a haystack; needless to say, physician recruitment was going to be a challenge.

My recruiter came to our community to profile the opportunity. He provided valuable feedback regarding the search, and offered suggestions on how we could better package the opportunity for more successful recruitment. My recruiter communicated frequently regarding the progress of the search and worked diligently to ensure that we had a successful outcome.

After a few months of scouring the marketplace the Recruiting Principal with whom we worked with found that "needle." We are very happy with the physician candidate who will be joining us.

I would be comfortable recommending The Medicus Firm. If you have questions about their efforts on our behalf or my experiences with them. please feel free to contact me at (703) 369-8458.

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