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The Honorable E. Benjamin Nelson
United States Senate
720 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-2706

Dear Senator Nelson:

As a lifetime member of the Northeast Nebraska rural community, I would like to take the time to convey my support for the proposed grant that Faith Regional Health Services' (FRHS) has requested for the 2010 fiscal year. Often times living in a small rural community one has to sacrifice resources that are readily available in the city. However, it brings me peace of mind to know that if ever I should need medical assistance my geographical location does not limit my quality of care.

I am writing to ask for your support as FRHS pursues advancement in medical record processing technology. The new durable notebook ("Tough Books") will allow immediate access of medical records to the hospital, doctors and staff. These latest innovations will be a great improvement and will allow the hospitals and clinics to stay current with the latest trends.

As you know, funding is available to help minimize the costs of such an undertaking. These funds would be of great value to the healthcare system in Northeast Nebraska. The money would be spent wisely and improve the healthcare of our communities and citizens. We appreciate your support and would like to thank you for taking the time to consider our hospitals and clinics for this funding. We look forward to your efforts on our behalf.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,



Roger Haberer
Osmond General Hospital Board Member