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**CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**  
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10-20-2014 - Spoke with  
Julia and told her that the  
grant request  
would be considered  
at next meeting.  
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Daniel B. Biddick  
Peggy L. Biddick  
James W. Neundorfer  
David Warner

**GRANT APPLICATION**

**\*Must be received in our office on or before the due dates below**

**Due Dates April 15<sup>th</sup> and October 15<sup>th</sup>**

Date: 10/12/2014

Name of Organization (must match IRS 501(c)(3) designation) Upland Hills Health, Inc.

Address 800 Compassion Way

City, State, Zip Dodgeville, WI 53533

Phone 608-930-7169

Person Responsible for the Grant Julia Oellerich

Position in the Organization Foundation Director

Organization's Purpose We are a community-minded healthcare system providing innovative, individualized and compassionate care for every stage of life.

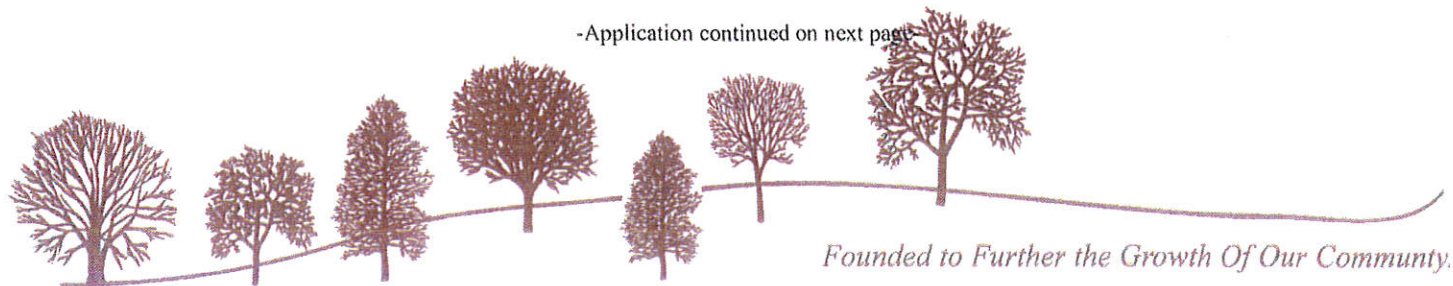
This application must include your organization's latest IRS Letter of Determination showing exemption and public support status. (Not required for units of Government & public schools).

Grant Request \$ \$5,000

Describe the reason for this grant request in the space below:

Upland Hills Health (UHH) is requesting funding to support the purchase of native plants to aid in the modified restoration of the meadow on the UHH campus. The plants will be strategically placed around the Get Fit Walking Trail, after the development of the trail is completed. UHH is partnering with Erdman, an Engineering Firm, as well as Landscape Architecture students from UW-Madison and UW-Platteville, to incorporate native plants into the new landscaping plan.

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## **Biddick Foundation – Grant Information**

Upland Hills Health, Inc.

### **A. Supporting Information**

#### **1. Specific use of the grant funds**

Upland Hills Health (UHH), The Iowa County Health Department, and the Aging and Disability Resource Center are partnering to develop the Get Fit Walking Trail in response to a number of requests from members of our community for a safe walking trail at or near the hospital that could tie into the current walking and biking trail that intersects the highway (main thoroughfare) through town.

Dodgeville was founded and built in an Oak Savanna plant community. Oak Savannas are characterized as primarily a grassland landscape with ‘scattered’ trees or groupings of trees. With this in mind, Upland Hills Health has enlisted the help of Erdman, an Engineering Firm, as well as students from the UW-Madison Landscape Architecture Department and students from the UW-Platteville PACCE (Pioneer Academic Center for Community Engagement) program, to help us create a modified version of the Oak Savanna plant community to landscape around the Get Fit Walking Trail. This landscape will incorporate plant species and trees that could once be found on the UHH campus, such as a variety of Oak trees, White or Jack Pine trees, Dogwood shrubs, Prairie Willows, Blackhaws, Blue joint grasses, Canada wild ryes, Tall anemones, Yellow, giant hyssops, and Starry champions.

#### **2. Time Schedule**

The planting would take place after the completion of the Get Fit Walking Trail, which we anticipate to be fall of 2015.

#### **3. Other sources of funding**

As we get closer to the initial phase of the development, we will turn to our local businesses for sponsorship and community members for donations. We also will research other grant opportunities through Alliant Energy, as well as the Department of Natural Resources. Currently, the Elmer G. Biddick Charitable Foundation is the only organization Upland Hills Health is approaching for assistance with native vegetation. The hospital will use its own funds designated for landscaping to supplement the donated funds to complete this project. Should we receive the requested funding, we would acknowledge the donation through our press release concerning the development of the Get Fit Walking Trail and restoration. There will also be an opportunity to recognize the donation on a plaque or paver on the newly developed trail.

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### **4. Describe the effect of postponing your request to another time**

Postponing the request would result in the limited amount of plants we are able to incorporate into the landscape around the Get Fit Walking Trail.

If we do not receive the requested funds from the Elmer G. Biddick Charitable Foundation, we will need to seek funds elsewhere.

### **5. Describe who, when, how, and where the effects of this grant will be felt**

The Get Fit Walking Trail will benefit patients, employees and community members alike, as the walking trail will be available for anyone to utilize. Upland Hills Health is working with Erdman to ensure the trail will be wheelchair friendly. The plants that will be incorporated into the landscape surrounding the walking trail will provide a scenic view of rural landscapes that are reminiscent of a time that precedes Upland Hills Health.

## **B. Your organizations history, activities, services, and composition**

Upland Hills Health is a non-profit organization guided by a Board of Directors consisting of dedicated community leaders who generously volunteer their time and talents. Upland Hills Health currently employs over 450 individuals and has over 75 active volunteers. Upland Hills Health was formed as the result of a merger of two Dodgeville hospitals: St. Joseph's Hospital and Dodgeville General Hospital. They came together in 1974 as a united non-profit organization, Memorial Hospital of Iowa County, Inc. In 2001, the corporate identity was changed to Upland Hills Health to reflect a growing service area and expanded health services.

Depth of Services: Below is a summary listing of the services offered through Upland Hills Health.

24-hours Emergency Services, Advance Directive Assistance, Audiology Services/Hearing Aids, Autologous Blood Collection, Birthing Unit with Labor, Delivery, Recovery and Postpartum (LDRP) Suites, Bone Density Testing, Cancer Services (recommended cancer screenings), Cardiac Rehabilitation Clinic, Cardiac Services, Cardiopulmonary Services, Childbirth Classes, Sibling Classes, Breast Pump Rental and Other Programs for New Parents, CPR and First Aid Classes for the Community, CrestRidge Assisted Living Facility (in partnership with ElderSpan, Inc.), CT Scans, Dialysis, Diabetes Education, Diagnostic Laboratory, Discharge

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Planning/Social Services, Enhanced External Counter Pulsation (EECP), Wellness Center, Exercise Classes, Family Physicians, Fluoroscopy, Home Care and Hospice, Home Medical Equipment, Inpatient Care (Pediatrics to Geriatrics), Intensive Care Unit (ICU), Magnetic Resonance Imaging, Digital Mammography, Nuclear Medicine, Nursing and Rehab Center, Nutrition Counseling & Classes, Obstetrics: Local Doctors who do Obstetrics, Oncology Services, Pharmacy Services, Positron Emission Tomography (PET) Scanner, Pregnancy Loss Support Services, Pulmonary Rehabilitation, Radiologist, Radiology, Rehabilitation Services (including Physical, Occupational and Speech Therapies), Sleep Disorders Center, Smoking Cessation Program, Specialty Physician Services, Stress Testing (Cardiopulmonary), Surgery (including Pre-surgery Education and Same-day Surgery, Ultrasound, Urgent Care Services at Convenient Hours, Wellness Classes, Wellness Services to Business and Industry, Work Place Drug and Alcohol Screening, and X-Ray Exams.



October 12, 2014

Elmer G. Biddick Charitable Foundation  
11623 State Road 80  
Livingston, WI 53554

Dear Foundation Committee Members,

Please accept this letter as Upland Hills Health's (UHH) full support for the enclosed grant application. UHH is partnering with several area organizations to create a safe, accessible walking trail for our patients, staff, and community residents. UHH is the lead applicant for this project, and as such, we agree to fulfill the duties as specified in the proposal.

It is our vision to incorporate native plants into the landscape surrounding the future Get Fit Walking Trail. For this, UHH has turned to the experts at Erdman, an Engineering Firm, to assist in the restoration of the Oak Savannah plant community that once inhabited the grounds on which the UHH campus is located. We are seeking funds from your organization for the purchase these native plants.

We pledge our staff time and matching funds, as specified in the narrative section of this application. Students from the UW-Madison Landscape Architecture Department and the UW-Platteville Pioneer Academic Center for Community Engagement (PACCE) program, will be invited to participate in this restoration project as part of their course work.

We appreciate your support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lisa Schnedler". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being particularly prominent.

Lisa Schnedler  
President & CEO

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**Jack Carlson**

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**From:** Jack Carlson  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 29, 2014 7:51 AM  
**To:** BradBiddick; Brian Nodolf; Dan Biddick; David Warner; 'James Neuendorf'; Peggy Biddick; Rachel Jordan  
**Subject:** FW: Conceptual trail design  
**Attachments:** Conceptual design of trail.pdf

I am forwarding this email and pdf file that gives additional background information for the grant application submitted from [Upland Hills Health in Dodgeville](#). Jack

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**From:** Julia Oellerich [<mailto:oellerichj@uplandhillshealth.org>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 28, 2014 1:00 PM  
**To:** Jack Carlson  
**Subject:** Conceptual trail design

Good afternoon Jack

I've attached the conceptual design that was verbally discussed with Erdman. They were not able to provide me with an estimated length because they have not measured the area yet. Based on personal knowledge of the area, it would be close to a mile in length if you completed a full loop of the trail twice.

Also, from my understanding, this is the initial phase of the project. There is potential to add to the trail after the initial phase is completed. We are also researching options to tie this trail into Centennial Park as well as the paved bike trail that runs parallel to 18/151. Again, I would be happy to provide you with more details once the conceptual design is complete. Please let me know if there is additional information you would like in the meantime.

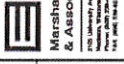
Thanks.

*Julia Oellerich*  
Foundation Director

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& Associates**  
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 Golden, Colorado 80401  
 Phone: 303.440.1000  
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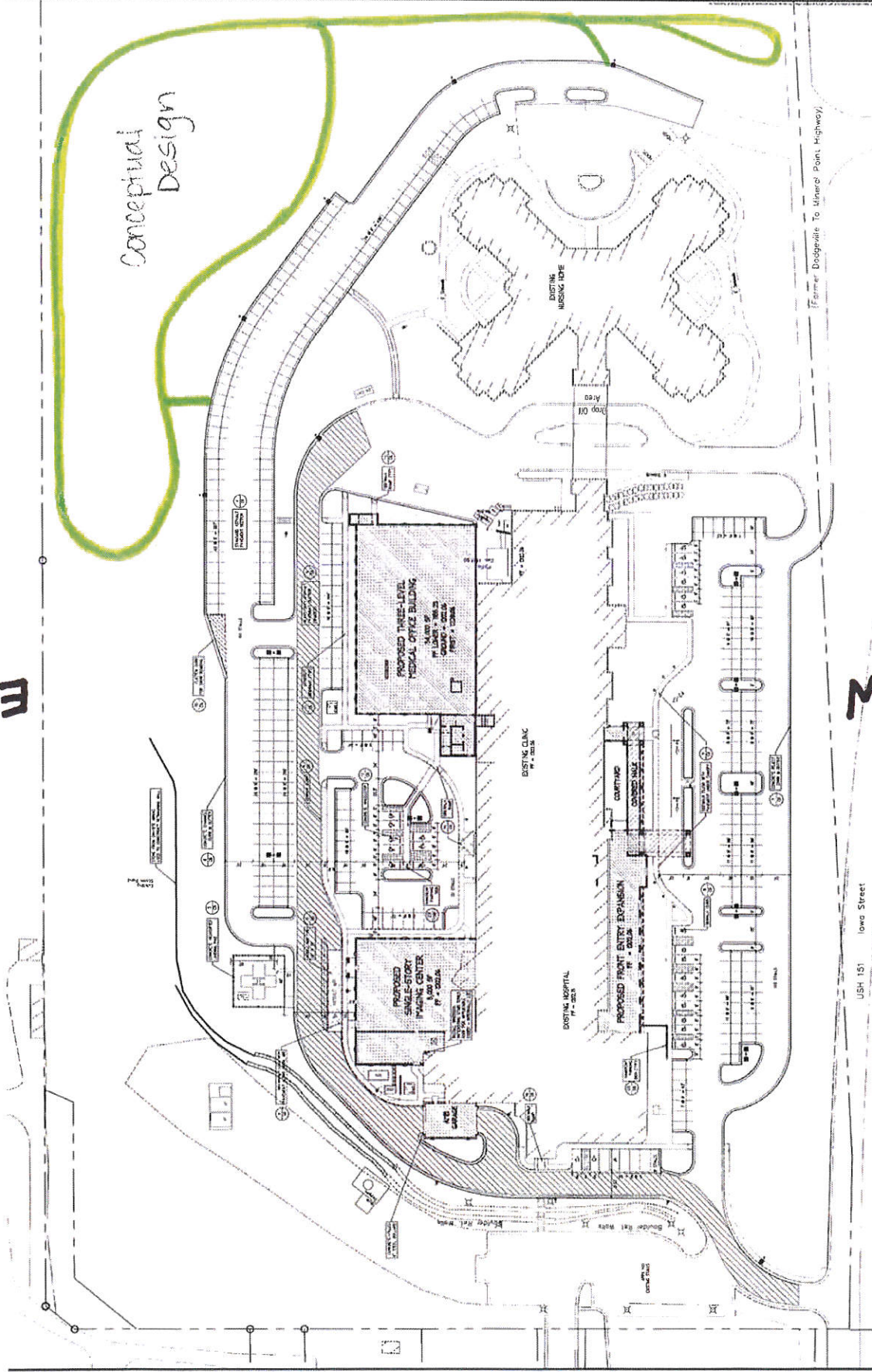
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Project Name	Upland Hills Health
Site Address	10000 W. 10th Avenue, Suite 100, Golden, CO 80401
Client	Upland Hills Health
Architect	Marshall Erdman & Associates
Site Plan	10/15/2014
Scale	1/8" = 1'-0"
Sheet No.	C5
Sheet Title	SITE LAYOUT PLAN

**C5**  
 DOODYVILLE, WI  
 5/20/20

Conceptual Design



**SITE LEGEND**

**EXISTING**

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- Existing Driveway
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