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Dear Karen,

Thank you for your comments over the phone on Monday.

Per our conversation, can we have a Letter of Determination on the MRI and its housing?

As you may remember, SPH is replacing our MRI scanner as approved about a year ago. The cost of the scanner is \$1.8M.

When the old MRI lease expires this year, the trailer that it is housed in will also be returned. In order to protect patients from inclement weather, SPH would like to install a permanent or modular building to house the replacement MRI scanner. This would be approximately 900 square feet at a cost of approximately \$800K to \$900K.

Again, this is strictly a replacement permanent building to house our MRI in similar fashion to the current tractor/trailer set up.

Please provide a response concerning a Letter of Determination or a request for further information.

Thanks



Robert Letson