

**NOTICE OF DECISION ON REQUEST FOR DETERMINATION OF WHETHER
A CERTIFICATE OF NEED IS REQUIRED
THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

In accordance with 7 AAC 07.031, the Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS) has determined that a certificate of need is required for the health care project or activity described below:

Project/Activity: Establish an independent diagnostic testing facility (IDTF), as defined in AS 18.07.111 and 7 AAC 07.900(23), of approximately 3,400 square feet with a refurbished 2006 Upright MRI for full body MRI services in Wasilla, Alaska.

Applicant's Name: Cable & McCormick, a Professional Corporation, d/b/a Diagnostic Imaging of Alaska

Project/Activity Service Area: Wasilla, Alaska

Estimated Cost of Project/Activity: \$1,883,104.00

Summary of Decision: In accordance with A.S. 18.07.031-111 and 7 AAC 07.001-900, the project cannot proceed without a Certificate of Need. After review of the certified cost estimates and other information submitted with the request for determination, it has been determined that a CON is required for the proposed project because the expenditures at issue exceed the \$1.45 million statutory threshold under AS 18.07.031.

Copies of the request for determination and this decision are available on the Certificate of Need website at: <http://hss.state.ak.us/Apps/CertNeed/>. Copies may also be obtained by contacting the certificate of need program coordinator by mail, phone, FAX, or email as follows:

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A person who requested a determination under 7 AAC 07.031 may seek reconsideration of the determination by submitting a written request for reconsideration to the department. A request for reconsideration must be postmarked no later than April 18, 2014 and be made in conformance with 7 AAC 07.033. A decision under 7 AAC 07.033 constitutes the final administrative decision of the department.

DATE: March 18, 2014
Anchorage, Alaska

/s/Alexandria Hicks
Certificate of Need Program Coordinator