



City of Las Cruces

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Mr. Earl Jones, Jr.
Chairman
Good Hope Hospital
410 Denim Drive
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Mr. Jones:

Since becoming part of our community, Mountain View Hospital has been a vital community partner. Mr. John Hummer brings expertise and enthusiasm to many local boards and committees. Las Cruces is truly fortunate to have Mountain View Hospital here in our fine city.

Presently our other local hospital is facing some challenges but in my opinion these were not brought about by the arrival of Mountain View. In fact, Mr. Hummer has been extremely helpful in this matter.

There's been no evidence provided that would show a direct relationship between the arrival of Mountain View and the issues occurring at Memorial Medical Center.

Sincerely,

William Mattiace
Mayor

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