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To whom it may concern,

As a past recipient of the wonderful care and nurturing of HammondCare staff, when my husband sadly passed away at a young age two years ago, I am fully supportive of HammondCare's Staged Redevelopment of Greenwich Hospital (Concept Proposal) at River Road, Greenwich application number SSD 17_8699. I know and value the importance of this service within the local community, however I also know that a redevelopment of the facilities is urgently needed.

I support HammondCare's proposal for an integrated health care campus that will feature a doubling of inpatient beds across palliative care, rehabilitation, dementia care and older people's mental health.

I proudly work as a volunteer at Greenwich Hospital. Greenwich Hospital has provided an exceptional level of care for many years. It has a much-deserved reputation for providing the highest level of support to patients and their families at the most vulnerable times of their lives.

However, the hospital's buildings date back to the 1960s and there is an urgent need to improve the buildings to ensure the hospital continues to be fit for purpose and meets the needs of the growing aged population in Sydney's lower North Shore.

The redeveloped hospital will incorporate a new health care and allied health facilities, residential aged care and seniors housing in an integrated care campus. The campus will also be a hub for extensive outpatient and community health and aged services. It will ensure Greenwich Hospital can continue being a great health facility for many decades to come.

HammondCare is a not-for-profit organisation. This \$141.5 million redevelopment will provide significant community benefit without the need for public funding. The mix of services provides a continuum of care and is a wise and responsible use of the site and ensures financial sustainability.

Regards,

Kylie Broeking