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The Honorable Andrew Joyce
Chairman, Albany County Legislature
Legislative Clerk's Office
112 State Street, Suite 710
Albany, New York 12207

Dear Chairman Joyce:

Shaker Place Rehabilitation and Nursing Center respectfully requests to amend our 2022 budget to implement technical corrections, attract candidates to, and retain employees in essential positions. This budget amendment provides for required 2% salary increases for the Groundsperson and Administrative Aide titles, provides a competitive salary to the vacant Assistant Cook title, and provides for a budget adjustment to the Medical Clerk title. In addition we are requesting to add a full-time Physical Therapist, which will minimize our use of per-diem Physical Therapists that are now working six to seven days per week to meet the demands of our increasing number of residents utilizing therapy services.

Please note that the requested adjustments are budget neutral, as vacant part-time titles, per-diem accounts and equipment accounts are proposed for reduction.

Sincerely,

Larry I. Slatky
Executive Director

Cc: Dennis Feeney, Majority Leader
Frank Mauriello, Minority Leader
Rebekah Kennedy, Majority Counsel
Arnis Zilgme, Minority Counsel

