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On Behalf Of: La Clinica Acute Care Clinic

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I'm writing in support of La Clinica's Acute Care Clinic project to expand urgent care services in Jackson County. Besides being a patient, I'm also a volunteer who sits on the Patient Insight Council, which meets monthly to provide input on how proposed projects and services affect us as patients, as well as to learn about future plans.

At a recent meeting, La Clinica's CEO met with the Council to explain the Acute Care Clinic expansion. I was thrilled to hear about the expansion, because the urgent care clinic closest to where I live closed in 2021 and I already have established relationships with La Clinica providers. To know that I can continue to get after-hours care with an organization I trust—as well as x-ray, ultrasound, and prescription drugs—will give me great peace of mind.

I strongly support the Clinic expansion and hope you will see fit to fund it. Our community here in southern Oregon really needs it!