

September 8, 2017

City Council President Loretta Scott
City of Rochester
City Hall Room 301 A
30 Church Street
Rochester, New York 14614

Dear Ms. Scott:

I am writing today to indicate my support for the proposed redevelopment of Cobbs Hill Village senior housing located on Norris Drive. I am familiar with the work of Rochester Management, Inc. as several of our clients reside at Seneca Towers. We have had a fine working relationship for many years.

The work to be completed at Cobbs Hill Village is critical in creating apartments which will allow seniors to remain independent. The current facilities are obsolete and unable to accommodate residents who have become frail or limited in mobility. The new buildings will offer much needed secured entrances as well as a space for gathering. Avoiding isolation is a key to keeping seniors engaged, involved and healthy. At ElderONE, we work with seniors every day and we understand the urgent need for up to date, healthy, accessible and affordable housing within the city of Rochester.

Please join advocates for seniors in ensuring that we include them in our plans for the future. This project will serve to not only care for current residents, but will provide much needed housing for the future as well.

Best Regards,



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