



CONGRESSWOMAN SHELLEY BERKLEY

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Mr. John McDonald, Managing Partner
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3769 Mesa Linda Dr
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Dear Mr. McDonald:

It was a pleasure meeting with you to hear about your plans for expanding hospital services in Southern Nevada through the Meadows Hospital development project. Per our conversation, you indicated the Meadows Hospital development project seeks to provide additional hospital services and access in North Las Vegas, with the potential of creating approximately 3500 jobs throughout the construction and permanent staffing phases. Creating jobs is especially important with the Nevada unemployment rate topping 13%, the highest it's been in decades.

Expanded access to hospital services and increased medical capacity would reduce wait times for patients in Southern Nevada. The added construction jobs would benefit our economy by employing workers in one of the hardest hit industries in our State, and I support efforts to create jobs and expand medical services.

Thank you for sharing the details about the Meadows Hospital project with me. I will look forward to periodic updates as it progresses.

Sincerely,

SHELLEY BERKLEY
Member of Congress