



## **ELECTRONIC TRANSMITTAL**

Mr. Marty Lynch, CEO LifeLong Medical Care P.O. Box 11247 Berkeley, CA 94712-2247

Re: Support for LifeLong Medical Care's Service Area Competition

(HRSA-20-015)

Dear Dr. Lynch:

The City of San Pablo herein provides our support to LifeLong Medical Care's (Lifelong) *Service Area Competition* (HRSA-20-015) application to the Health Resources and Services Administration of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Continuation of its Section 330 funding will enable LifeLong to continue serving low-income and vulnerable populations in Alameda County, Contra Costa County and Marin County, California.

LifeLong Medical Care is a multi-site Federally Qualified Health Center providing comprehensive primary care services in the San Francisco Bay Area since 1976. LifeLong currently provides integrated primary care medical, dental and behavioral health services to over 66,000 patients annually. To improve community health and minimize health disparities, LifeLong services are designed to reduce barriers to care for low-income populations including those with complex needs, such as public housing residents, the elderly, homeless, uninsured, and those living with chronic conditions such as HIV. To promote community health, Lifelong collaborates with community health centers and other partner organizations throughout the region to ensure access to high quality care for underserved populations.

Continuation of LifeLong's Section 330 funding will ensure the availability and accessibility of high quality and culturally relevant services in our area. I wholeheartedly support LifeLong's proposal and look forward to continued collaboration in service to our communities in need.

Dr. Marty Lynch, CEO July 18, 2019 Page 2

I strongly encourage you to support LifeLong's SAC proposal to continue the much-needed services in the East Bay, and I hope that you will give it every fair and due consideration.

Sincerely,

Rich Kinney, Mayor City of San Pablo

cc: San Pablo City Councilmembers

City Manager