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Statement by Senator Bill Larkin on the Proposed Reduction in Hours at the Cornwall Hospital Emergency Room

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“I was very pleased with the response to Tuesday’s meeting with St. Luke’s Cornwall Hospital concerning the proposed reduction in hours at their Cornwall Campus Emergency Room.

Local officials had the opportunity to express their fears to the hospital representatives and ask pointed questions regarding the announced changes. Everyone agreed that more dialogue and discussion are needed before any changes are finalized.”

“I look forward to meeting again with the hospital representatives and local officials to make sure the public’s concerns are heard on these proposed changes and ensure the safety of our local residents.”