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November 6, 1968

Dr. G. Dekle Taylor
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Dear Dekle:

I appreciate your calling me today concerning my letter of resignation from the Duval Medical Center Planning and Development Committee. If it is clearly understood that I cannot attend any meetings called for 5:30 PM on the second Tuesday of each month I shall be happy to remain as a member of the committee and serve to the best of my ability.

I cannot help but be vitally concerned with the efforts of the committee because it must find a solution to a problem which is of extreme importance to every citizen of this community. It appears impossible to me, under present circumstances, that any appreciable larger amount of tax support can be provided for the new facility now under construction than is being provided for the present Duval Medical Center although the new plant will roughly be capable of caring for twice as many in-patients. Consequently the new hospital must be established on such a basis that the medical profession in Jacksonville will be willing and anxious to send its private patients to Duval Medical Center. It is only in this way that the new plant can be fully utilized and have an opportunity to expand as the needs of the community develop.

Insofar as I am able I shall be happy to be a part of this effort which must be successful.

Cordially yours,

I.M. Sulzbacher

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