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**Re: Contract/RFP No. YH 18-0001
Request for Capped Contract Award**

Dear Ms. Harley:

Bridgeway Health Solutions of Arizona, Inc. ("Bridgeway") received your letter dated March 3, 2017 advising Bridgeway that it is not being awarded a contract in response to its proposal to provide long term care services and supports as part of the Arizona Long Term Care System ("ALTCs") program for the elderly and physically disabled (E/PD) as described in RFP No. YH 18-0001 (the "RFP"). Bridgeway has served as an ALTCs program contractor since 2006 providing quality and compassionate care to our 5,181 members in Maricopa County and five counties across Southern Arizona.

Pursuant to Section H, Paragraph 9, page 233 of the RFP, as an unsuccessful Incumbent health plan, Bridgeway hereby submits this request for a Capped Contract Award for Maricopa County under the terms and conditions of the RFP. Bridgeway understands that under a Capped Contract the plan will continue to serve its approximately 3,000 members in Maricopa County but will not be permitted to enroll new members.

Bridgeway is part of a broader network of Centene health plans providing services to hundreds of thousands of Arizonans. With over 1,500 employees across the State, we remain committed to serving Arizonans in need and providing the highest quality care at an affordable cost. Requesting a capped contract for Bridgeway in Maricopa County ensures the continuity of care for nearly 3,000 of our most vulnerable members.

We understand that you have up to nine (9) days to notify us of your decision. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (480) 567-9011.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul Barnes".

Paul Barnes, PhD
Arizona Plan President & CEO