

**Project Name:** Emergency Department/Operating Room Expansion

**Request Amount:** \$1,000,000

**Intended Recipient:** St. Mary's Medical Center of Scott County

**Full Street Address of the Intended Recipient:** 18797 Alberta Street, Oneida, TN 37841

**Explanation of the request:** The funding would be used for the Emergency Department/Operating Room Expansion. The addition of new/renovated operating rooms would allow physicians to provide timelier and higher quality care to their patients. The emergency room expansion will help St. Mary's better serve their patients and alleviate the burden of overcrowding. The physical facility as it currently exists is woefully inefficient. This inefficiency not only drains operating expenditures, it takes a toll on the healthcare professionals working in this environment and on the patients seeking care.