

Measure F Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What is Measure F?

A: On November 5, 2013, voters in the Marin Healthcare District approved Measure F, the \$394 million general obligation bond to rebuild Marin General Hospital. The funds from the bond will be used to build MGH 2.0, a modern, earthquake-safe, hospital that will serve our community well into the future.

Q: How will the Hospital Replacement Project be paid for?

A: The project is being financed through a combination of sources including Marin General Hospital's future operating revenue, private donations and the Measure F Health Bond, which you may have seen on your October 2015 tax forms. On average, Measure F will cost homeowners about \$130 per year—only \$11 per month and it's deductible on state and federal taxes. The current rate is \$23.50 per \$100,000 assessed property value.

Q: How often will I see this Health Bond on my tax forms?

A: The Measure F Health Bond is an annual tax that will appear on homeowners' tax forms for no more than 40 years.

Q: What about fiscal controls?

A: Every penny from Measure F must stay in our community to complete the hospital replacement project. No funds can be taken away by the State or be used for other purposes like administrators' salaries. An independent Citizens Oversight Committee will ensure funds are spent properly.

Q: Who can I contact if I have more questions related to the Measure F Health Bond?

A: For information please call the Marin Healthcare District at 1-415-464-2090 or email: info@marinhealthcare.org.

