

Region 4 Winner!

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If I was a community leader, such as a mayor, I would want to solve the quality and services of health care because we live in a rural area with limited resources and options. The residents of Appomattox have trouble accessing specialized medical care and even sufficient basic health care providers. The limited public transportation options prevent people from traveling to specific health care facilities, including those in larger cities. Some areas of town have limited access to essential infrastructure like broadband internet which can also lead to problems accessing telehealth and other online health care resources.

People that I asked about our health care services problems feel that we need to find ways to build places such as walk-in clinics or even better doctors' and dentists' offices. They feel that we need to be provided with more and better support to invest in things like mobile clinics, decreasing medication costs, and improving insurance coverage. If we can get those kinds of things then it would be easier to improve the stability of our health care providers and be able to keep better doctors closer to us.

I feel like the community members' solutions sound amazing, and if I were mayor, I would try and figure out how I can make some, or even all, of them come true. I would also open a 24-hour emergency health care facility here. I feel that we need to figure out a way to fix the problems with health care in rural areas such as Appomattox. There is so much that can be done to improve health care in Appomattox that is being overlooked and pushed aside, and nothing is being done about it. The town of Appomattox needs to find a way to build all of this to provide the care and support that older ladies and gentlemen may need. I also think that in the near future Appomattox should build a hospital so that when there is an emergency the ambulance doesn't have to drive 30 minutes to the nearest hospital.

In conclusion I would like to improve the town of Appomattox's health care to benefit everyone but especially those who have a hard time traveling, bad health problems, or emergencies. I hope everyone agrees that we need better health care facilities, health care providers, doctors, and dentists. I believe that everyone should have equal options for good health care, but that you should also always pray to God for healing and health.