

# Locals advocate for healthcare coverage during Tuesday demonstration

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Tom Rowley, right, of the Willow Springs area and Barry DeBrown, West Plains, protest the proposed dismantling of the Affordable Care Act during a demonstration at Ozarks Medical Center in West Plains on Tuesday. (ORN)

(West Plains) – About a dozen people protested the Republican plan to dismantle the Affordable Care Act during a demonstration at Ozarks Medical Center in West Plains on Tuesday.

Tom Rowley, who lives near Willow Springs, told Ozark Radio News that he’s in favor of improving the Affordable Care Act rather than dismantling it:



Rowley says that he is one of many who have benefited from the ACA, and hopes that Republican Senators, including Missouri’s Roy Blunt, will put the health of their constituents before politics:



Ozark Radio News also spoke with OMC Public Relations and Marketing Director Gay Stover, who said that the hospital supports the protestors’ rights to take up grievances with the government:

