Recommend resolution authorizing Chairman to sign Emergency Medical Service (EMS) Physicians Contracts for reimbursement to the local physicians of 58% of the EMS Fund for emergency medical care services rendered to the indigent for Fiscal Year 1994-1995. Although the County has removed itself from the business of administering the Rural Health Service (RHS) program, it remains responsible for the EMS Program. Contracts are needed between local Physicians and the County in order for the Auditor's Office to issue them warrants for reimbursement of uncompensated emergency medical services.

Funds come from SB-12, and this is the only use allowed for these funds.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board has previously entered into similar (RHS) agreements with Physicians for prior fiscal years. These funds come from certain traffic violation fines and an average of $5,750 a year is available to physicians, although the exact amounts vary.

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

1. Do not sign agreement. Physicians may not receive the funds.
TO: DR. MOSHER, County Health Officer
FROM: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board
SUBJECT: Emergency Medical Service (EMS) Physicians’ Contracts; Resolution Number 95-155

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MARIPOSA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA,
ADOPTED THIS Order on April 11, 1995

ACTION AND VOTE:

11:00 a.m. Dr. Mosher, County Health Officer;
D) Resolution Authorizing Chairman to Sign Emergency Medical Service (EMS) Physicians’ Contracts for Reimbursement to the Local Physicians of 58% of the EMS Fund for Emergency Medical Care Services Rendered to the Indigent for Fiscal Year 1994/95 (Continued from 04/04/95)
BOARD ACTION: Chairman explained that item was pulled from consent on 04/04/95. Out-of-town physicians are included as they provide various services to this area. (M) Balmain, (S) Reilly, Res. 95-155 adopted/Ayes: Reilly, Balmain, Stewart and Parker; Excused: Taber.

cc: Ken Hawkins, Auditor
    Jeffrey G. Green, County Counsel
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