

DEPARTMENT: **Public Health** BY: **Charles B. Mosher, M.D., Health Officer** PHONE: **966-3689** ⁹⁻¹²

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: (Policy Item: Yes ___ No X)

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.

COSTS: (X) Not Applicable
A. Budgeted current FY \$ _____
B. Total anticipated costs \$ _____
C. Required additional funding \$ _____
D. Internal transfers \$ _____

SOURCE: () 4/5ths Vote Required
A. Unanticipated revenues \$ _____
B. Reserve for contingencies \$ _____
C. Source description: _____
Balance in Reserve for Contingencies,
if approved: \$ _____

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:
List the attachments and number the pages consecutively:

CLERK'S USE ONLY:
Res. No.: 95-155 Ord. No. _____
Vote - Ayes: 4 Noes: _____
Absent: Tuber Abstained: _____
 Approved () Denied
 Minute Order Attached () No Action Necessary

The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.
Date: _____
ATTEST: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board
County of Mariposa, State of California
By: _____
Deputy

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:
This item on agenda as:
 Recommended
 Not Recommended
 For Policy Determination
 Submitted with Comment
 Returned for Further Action
Comment: _____
A.O. Initials: [Signature]

MARIPOSA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MINUTE ORDER

TO: DR. MOSHER, County Health Officer

FROM: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board *MW*

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
File