

CLARK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM

Petitioner: Vincent V. Queano, Director of Business License

Recommendation:

Introduce an ordinance to amend Clark County Code Title 5, Chapter 5.03, Sections 5.03.010, 5.03.115, 5.03.120, 5.03.140 and 5.03.145 to revise/add definitions; add the EMS priority dispatch category "O" level of service; revise the mileage at which time an ambulance must be retired; update the maximum allowable ambulance service rates to current rates plus a three percent (3%) increase; add a maximum service rate for cardiac arrest patients that are not transported; modify the calculation by which increases in the service rates are determined; revise requirements regarding mutual aid; and providing for other matters properly related thereto; and set a public hearing. Commission District: All (For possible action)

FISCAL IMPACT:

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| Fund #: | N/A | Fund Name: | N/A |
| Fund Center: | N/A | Funded PGM/Grant: | N/A |
| Amount: | N/A | | |
| Description: | N/A | | |
| Additional Comments: | N/A | | |

BACKGROUND:

During the August 20, 2024, Board of County Commissioners' meeting the ambulance service rates were discussed and it was mentioned that County staff is working on an amendment to the Code to address unexpected fluctuations in the CPI for Medical Care Services. After multiple meetings that included senior County staff, the Clark County Fire Department, the District Attorney's office and the Department of Business License with input from the ambulance franchisees, an ordinance was drafted to amend Chapter 5.03 of the County Code.

Staff recommends that the ordinance to amend Chapter 5.03, Sections 5.03.010, 5.03.115, 5.03.120, 5.03.140 and 5.03.145 8.20.360 of the County Code be introduced and a public hearing be set for January 21, 2025.

Cleared for Agenda

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