

2020 EMS Transportation Agreement for Scott County Iowa EMS Non Transport Service Programs

Section 1. Identity of Parties.

- A. Bennett Ambulance Service, 145 Main St, PO Box 45, Bennett, IA 52721
Durant Ambulance Service, 703 5th St, PO Box 643, Durant, IA 52747
MED-FORCE, 6343 Wolf Road, Colona, IL 61241
MEDIC EMS, 1204 E High St, Davenport, IA 52803
Wheatland EMS, PO Box 1, Wheatland, IA 52777
- B. Bettendorf Fire Department, 1609 State St, Bettendorf, IA, 52722
Blue Grass Fire Department, 606 W Mayne St, Blue Grass, IA 52726
Buffalo Fire Department, 126 E Front St, Buffalo, IA 52728
Davenport Fire Department, 331 Scott St, Davenport, IA 52801
Dixon Fire Department, 306 Davenport St, PO Box 101, Dixon, IA 52745
Donahue Fire Department, 302 Main St, PO Box 245, Donahue, IA 52747
Eldridge Fire Department, 120 N 2nd St, PO Box 37, Eldridge, IA 52748
LeClaire Fire Department, 201 N 15th St, LeClaire, IA 52753
Long Grove Fire Department, 121 N 1st St, PO Box 37, Long Grove, IA 52756
Maysville Fire Department, 23614 93rd Ave, Walcott, IA 52773
McCausland Fire Department, 305 N Salina St, PO Box 218, McCausland, IA 52758
New Liberty Fire Department, 765 Pike St, New Liberty, IA 52765
Princeton Fire Department, 410 Highway 67, PO Box 85, Princeton, IA 52768
Riverdale Fire Department, PO Box 364, Bettendorf, IA 52722
Walcott Fire Department, 128 W Lincoln St, PO Box 68, Walcott, IA 52773
- C. Scott Emergency Communications Center, 1100 W 46th St, Davenport, IA 52807

Section 2. Purpose of Agreement.

Iowa law requires a non transport service program to maintain a transport agreement with an ambulance service program to provide a planned mechanism for routine patient transportation. A transport agreement is defined as "a written agreement between two or more service programs that specifies the duties and responsibilities of the agreeing parties to ensure appropriate transportation of patients in a given service area." 641 Iowa Administrative Code 132.1. The parties have entered into this agreement to effectuate these requirements.

Section 3. Duties and Responsibilities.

Refer to Section (A) Above _____ shall provide transportation for

Refer to Section (B) Above _____ twenty-four hours-a-day, seven days-a-week.

Refer to Section (C) Above _____ shall provide simultaneous dispatch.

Section 4. Duration of Agreement: The agreement shall be in effect upon signature of the service programs and communications center. The agreement shall be in effect for five years from the date of execution unless terminated earlier in accordance with the termination section of this agreement. The agreement may be extended for additional five year terms upon mutual agreement of all parties in writing at least thirty days before the termination date.

Section 5. Compensation/Reimbursement. To be determined by parties/services involved in the execution of this plan.

Section 6. Termination. Any party to this agreement may terminate the agreement by providing thirty days written notice by certified mail to the other parties and to the Iowa Department of Public Health Bureau of EMS, 321 East 12th Street, Des Moines, IA, 50319-0075.

Section 7. Liability. Each party to the agreement shall bear the liability and cost of damage to its personnel, vehicles, and equipment. Each party to the agreement shall be responsible for defending claims made against it or its staff arising from participation in this agreement.

Section 8. Insurance. Each party to the agreement shall procure and maintain such insurance as is required by applicable federal and state law and as may be appropriate and reasonable to cover its staff, equipment, vehicles, and property, including but not limited to liability insurance, workers compensation, unemployment insurance, automobile liability, and property damage.

Section 9. Status and Responsibilities of Parties. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed as creating or constituting the relationship of partnership or joint venture between the parties hereto. Each party shall be deemed to be an independent contractor. No party, unless otherwise specifically provided for herein, has the authority to enter into any contract or create an obligation or liability on behalf of, in the name of, or biding upon another to this agreement.

Each of the parties shall be responsible for ensuring that all persons acting on behalf of the party are properly licensed, certified, or accredited as required by applicable federal and state law.

Each of the parties to the agreement shall be responsible for withholding taxes, social

security, unemployment, worker's compensation, and other taxes for its employees and shall hold all other parties harmless for the same.

Section 10. Execution.

 David Bergthold, Bennett Ambulance Service	8/1/2020 month-day-year
 Andy Gruman, Durant Ambulance Service	8/1/2020 month-day-year
 Daniel Starnberg	
 Kevin Takacs, MED-FORCE	8/1/2020 month-day-year
 Linda Frederiksen, MEDIC EMS	8/1/2020 month-day-year
 Andrea Werner, Wheatland EMS	8/1/2020 month-day-year
 Steve Knorrek, Bettendorf Fire Department	8/1/2020 month-day-year
 Brian Seamer, Blue Grass Fire Department	8/1/2020 month-day-year
 Doug Anderson, Buffalo Fire Department	8/1/2020 month-day-year
 Michael Carlsten, Davenport Fire Department	8/1/2020 month-day-year
 Patrick Miller, Dixon Fire Department	8/1/2020 month-day-year