

SEMINOLE COUNTY GOVERNMENT AGENDA MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Renewal of Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity and Ambulance Franchise Agreements.

DEPARTMENT: Public Safety **DIVISION:** EMS Performance Management
AUTHORIZED BY: Kenneth M. Roberts **CONTACT:** Angel J. Nater **EXT** 5127



Agenda Date 06/13/06 **Regular** **Consent** **Work Session** **Briefing**
Public Hearing – 1:30 **Public Hearing – 7:00**

MOTION/RECOMMENDATION:

Approve and authorize Chairman to execute;

- 1) One-year Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (COPCN) renewals for Florida Hospital, Orlando Regional Healthcare System, Rural Metro Ambulance and Central Florida Ambulance d/b/a American Ambulance.
- 2) Two-year COPCN renewals for Casselberry FD, Lake Mary FD, Longwood FD, Oviedo FD, Sanford FD, Seminole County EMS/Fire/Rescue and Winter Springs FD.
- 3) One-year Ambulance Franchise renewals for Rural Metro Ambulance and American Ambulance. (Angel Nater, Program Manager)

BACKGROUND:

Ambulance providers are required to obtain a COPCN from each county they operate in, per F.S. 401.25 (2d). Chapter 17 of the Seminole County Code authorizes the Board to regulate ambulance and interfacility service.

Ambulance franchise agreements are established for the provision of non-emergency transport service.

Existing COPCNs for Casselberry FD, Lake Mary FD, Longwood FD, Oviedo FD, Sanford FD, Seminole County EMS/Fire/Rescue, Winter Springs FD, Florida Hospital, Orlando Regional Healthcare, American Ambulance, and Rural Metro Ambulance are due to expire on 6/30/06. The Ambulance Franchise Agreement for Rural Metro Ambulance is due to expire on 6/30/06 and American's Ambulance Franchise Agreement expires on 6/13/06.

Reviewed by:
Co Atty: _____
DFS: _____
Other: _____
DCM: 
CM: 
File No. <u>CPS01</u>

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, Casselberry Fire Department desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes*, and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: the city limits of Casselberry and per mutual aid agreements.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

AC/lpk
5/10/06
copcn-csbry

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, Lake Mary Fire Department desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes*, and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: the city limits of Lake Mary and per mutual aid agreements.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, Longwood Fire Department desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes*, and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: the city limits of Longwood and per mutual aid agreements.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, Oviedo Fire Department desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes*, and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: the city limits of Oviedo and per mutual aid agreements.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, Sanford Fire Department desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes*, and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: the city limits of Sanford and per mutual aid agreements.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, Seminole County EMS/Fire/Rescue Division desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes*, and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: all geographical boundaries of Seminole County and as per automatic response, first response agreements and mutual aid agreements.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, Winter Springs Fire Department desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes*, and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: the city limits of Winter Springs and per mutual aid agreements.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, CENTRAL FLORIDA AMBULANCE, INC. d/b/a AMERICAN AMBULANCE OF CENTRAL FLORIDA desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of Chapter 401, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from June 30, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: non-emergency transports within the geographical boundaries of Seminole County.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, FLORIDA HOSPITAL desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes,* and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from June 30, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: interfacility transports between facilities owned and operated by Florida Hospital.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, RURAL/METRO CORPORATION OF FLORIDA d/b/a RURAL METRO AMBULANCE desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes*, and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: non-emergency transportation within the geographical boundaries of Seminole County.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

SECOND RENEWAL OF NON-EXCLUSIVE AMBULANCE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

THIS SECOND RENEWAL is made and entered into this 15th day of May, 2006, and is to that certain Agreement made and entered into on the 14th day of November, 2002, between **RURAL/METRO CORPORATION OF FLORIDA, D/B/A RURAL METRO AMBULANCE SERVICE**, whose address is 4728 Old Winter Garden Road, Orlando, Florida 32811, hereinafter referred to as "PROVIDER", and **SEMINOLE COUNTY**, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, whose address is Seminole County Services Building, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, Florida 32771, hereinafter referred to as "COUNTY".

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, the PROVIDER and COUNTY entered into the above-referenced Agreement on November 14, 2002, for non-exclusive ambulance services; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to renew the Agreement so as to enable both parties to continue to enjoy the mutual benefits it provides,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual understandings and agreements contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

1. **RENEWAL.** The Agreement is hereby renewed for the term from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007, unless terminated sooner as provided for therein.

2. Except as herein modified, all terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect for the term of this Renewal, as originally set forth in said Agreement.

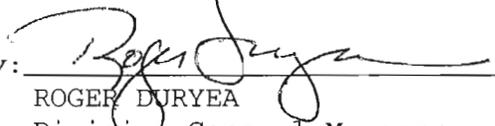
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this instrument for the purpose herein expressed.

ATTEST:

RURAL/METRO CORPORATION
OF FLORIDA, D/B/A
RURAL METRO AMBULANCE SERVICE

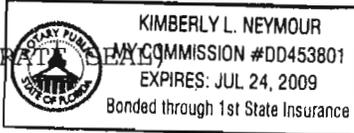


Kimberly Neymour, Secretary
HR Assistant

By: 

ROGER DURYEA
Division General Manager

(CORPORATE SEAL)



Date: 5/15/06

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

MARYANNE MORSE
Clerk to the Board of
County Commissioners of
Seminole County, Florida

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

For the use and reliance
of Seminole County only.

As authorized for execution
by the Board of County Commissioners
at their _____, 20____
regular meeting.

Approved as to form and
legal sufficiency.

County Attorney

AC/lpk
5/10/06
2nd Renewal-Ruralmetro

FIRST RENEWAL OF NON-EXCLUSIVE AMBULANCE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

THIS FIRST RENEWAL is made and entered into this ____ day of _____, 20__, and is to that certain Agreement made and entered into on the 13th day of June, 2003, between **CENTRAL FLORIDA AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC. D/B/A AMERICAN AMBULANCE**, whose address is 3836 Commerce Loop, Orlando, Florida 32808, hereinafter referred to as "PROVIDER," and **SEMINOLE COUNTY**, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, whose address is Seminole County Services Building, 1101 East First Street, Sanford, Florida 32771, hereinafter referred to as "COUNTY".

W I T N E S S E T H:

WHEREAS, the PROVIDER and COUNTY entered into the above-referenced Agreement on June 13, 2003, for non-exclusive ambulance services; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to renew the Agreement so as to enable both parties to continue to enjoy the mutual benefits it provides,

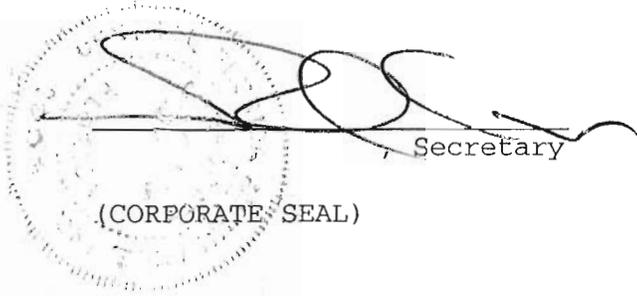
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual understandings and agreements contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

1. **RENEWAL.** The Agreement is hereby renewed for the term from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007, unless terminated sooner as provided for therein.

2. Except as herein modified, all terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect for the term of this Renewal, as originally set forth in said Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this instrument for the purpose herein expressed.

ATTEST:



(CORPORATE SEAL)

ATTEST:

CENTRAL FLORIDA AMBULANCE
SERVICE, INC., D/B/A
AMERICAN AMBULANCE

By: [Signature]
SAM WOOD, President

Date: 5-14-06

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

MARYANNE MORSE
Clerk to the Board of
County Commissioners of
Seminole County, Florida

For the use and reliance
of Seminole County only.

Approved as to form and
legal sufficiency.

As authorized for execution
by the Board of County Commissioners
at their _____, 20____
regular meeting.

County Attorney

AC/lpk
5/10/06
1st Renewal-CF Ambulance

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, ORLANDO REGIONAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM desires to provide emergency medical services to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for ambulance service to be provided to the citizens of Seminole County; and

WHEREAS, the above ambulance service has indicated that it will comply with all requirements of *Chapter 401, Florida Statutes,* and Chapter 17, Seminole County Code, the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience And Necessity to this ambulance company from June 30, 2006 through June 30, 2007.

IN ISSUING THIS CERTIFICATE, it is understood that the above named ambulance service will meet the requirements of State law, County ordinances and all other legal requirements and provide emergency services on a twenty-four hour basis for the following areas: air medical, pediatric and neonatal intensive care transportation within the geographical boundaries of Seminole County.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SEMINOLE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____
CARLTON D. HENLEY, Chairman

Date: _____

DOCUMENT ACTION FORM

DATE: May 22, 2006

SUBJECT: Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (COPCN) One-Year Renewals for Florida Hospital, Orlando Regional Healthcare System, Central Florida Ambulance d/b/a American Ambulance, Rural Metro Ambulance, Casselberry Fire Department, Lake Mary Fire Department, Longwood Fire Department, Oviedo Fire Department, Sanford Fire Department, Seminole County EMS/Fire/Rescue, Winter Springs Fire Department and Ambulance Franchise Agreement Renewals for Rural Metro Ambulance and Central FL Ambulance Inc d/b/a American Ambulance

AUTHORITY FOR PROCESSING:


Department Director Signature

1. To be placed on Report for BCC Meeting on 6/13/06
[Date]
2. Signature Needed by Chairman Yes
3. Board Approved on [Date] 6/13/06
4. Other [Specify] _____

NOTE: One original and one copy of document or letter needed for original signature (Not applicable for Resolutions or Ordinances - original only.)

Additional copies of documents should be forwarded if applicable and required for proper distribution.

DIRECTIONS FROM ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT FOR FINAL PROCESSING OF ORIGINAL. EXECUTED DOCUMENTS BY COUNTY COMMISSION RECORDS.

Please return one fully executed signed Original for each of the 11 Agencies to Public Safety for distribution.
