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# NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS **Board Agenda Letter**

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

FROM: JoAnn Melgar for Jennifer Yasumoto - Director

Health & Human Services Administration

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**SUBJECT:** Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Presentations

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Director of Health and Human Services requests the Board receive the following presentations regarding Napa County Emergency Medical Services (EMS):

- Presentation of a Proclamation to Shaun Vincent, Emergency Medical Services ("EMS") Administrator declaring Emergency Medical Services Week in Napa County - May 17-23, 2020; and
- 2. Presentation by Lois Husted, Chair of the Emergency Medical Care Committee ("EMCC"), to provide the EMCC Annual Report; and
- 3. Presentation by Shaun Vincent, EMS Administrator, to provide the local Emergency Medical Services 2019 calendar year annual update.

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Today's requested actions asks the Board to accept three presentations regarding Napa County Emergency Medical Services ("EMS"):

- 1. Presentation of a Proclamation to Shaun Vincent, EMS Administrator, declaring Emergency Medical Services Week in Napa County May 17-23, 2020;
- 2. Presentation by Lois Husted, Chair of the Emergency Medical Care Committee ("EMCC"), to provide the EMCC Annual Report to the Board; and
- 3. Presentation by Shaun Vincent, EMS Administrator, to provide the local Emergency Medical Services 2019 calendar year annual update.

#### PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS

No Action Required

### FISCAL & STRATEGIC PLAN IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? No

County Strategic Plan pillar addressed:

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT**

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The proposed action is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

#### **BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION**

#### **Proclamation**

Emergency Medical Services ("EMS") is a vital public service, and the members of the Emergency Medical Services teams of Napa County are ready to provide life-saving care to those in need 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Access to quality emergency care dramatically improves the survival and recovery rate of those who experience sudden illness or injury. It is appropriate to recognize the value and accomplishments of the emergency medical services providers by designating Emergency Medical Services Week in Napa County.

# **Emergency Medical Care Committee Annual Report**

The Napa County Medical Emergency Care Committee ("EMCC") is established by the Napa County Board of Supervisors to perform the functions set forth in (1) below as authorized by Sections 1797.270 through 1797.276 of the California Health and Safety Code relating to the provision of ambulance services, emergency medical care, and training programs in cardiopulmonary resuscitation and lifesaving first aid techniques within Napa County.

- 1. The EMCC shall perform the following functions:
  - a. Review, at least annually, all of the following:
    - 1. The operations of ambulance services operating within Napa County; and
    - 2. Emergency medical care offered within Napa County, including training in Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation.
    - 3. Public Access Defibrillation.
    - 4. First aid practices.
  - b. Report to the State EMS Authority, the local EMS Agency and the Board, at least annually, regarding the observations and recommendations of the EMCC resulting from the EMCC's activities listed in (1) above.
  - c. Act in an advisory capacity to the Board and the local EMS Agency on all matters related to emergency medical services as directed and requested by the Board from time to time.

#### **Local Emergency Medical Services Annual Update**

On July 1, 2020, the Public Health Division of the Napa County Health and Human Services Agency will be

completing its ninth year as an independent County Local Emergency Medical Services Agency, or "LEMSA". Among the most significant highlights from the last year are:

- 1. Approval of EMS Authority System Plans including plans focused on Trauma Services, Stroke Services, and Quality Improvement.
- 2. Successful development and implementation of the local Multi-Casualty Incident Management Plan, including the implementation of the ReddiNet software.
- 3. Successfully procured EndPoint EMS as the contractor responsible for an EMS System Assessment, Request For Proposals Development, and contract negotiations with an Advance Life Support ambulance provider within the Napa County exclusive operating area.
- 4. Successful survey of Queen of the Valley Medical Center's Trauma Program by the American College of Surgeons with a three year verification as a Level III Trauma Center.
- 5. Successful medical and health response to vulnerable community members during the June, September, October, and November Public Safety Power Shutoffs in Napa County.

## **SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

- A. Power Point Presentation
- B . Proclamation

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Ben Guerrieri