

R E S O L U T I O N  
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A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY, FLORIDA, CERTIFYING TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH THAT ALL MONIES RECEIVED FROM THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES GRANT WILL BE USED TO IMPROVE AND EXPAND THE COUNTY'S PRE-HOSPITAL EMS SYSTEM AND WILL NOT SUPPLANT CURRENT LEVELS OF COUNTY EXPENDITURES.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the State of Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) is authorized by Chapter 401, Florida Statutes, to dispense grant funds to improve and expand prehospital emergency medical services in the State; and

WHEREAS, forty-five percent (45%) of these EMS Trust grant funds are made available to the boards of county commissioners of all 67 counties in the State of Florida according to the proportion of the combined amount deposited in the trust fund from the County for the purpose of improving and expanding pre-hospital EMS systems in each county; and

WHEREAS, Charlotte County EMS wishes to make an application for an Emergency Medical Services County Grant to the State of Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida Department of Health requires that counties that apply for the Emergency Medical Services County Grant certify by Resolution that the monies awarded will be applied to the County's pre-hospital Emergency Medical Services ("EMS") System and will not supplant current levels of County expenditures.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Charlotte County, Florida:

1. That all monies received from the Emergency Medical Services Grant will be used to improve and expand Charlotte County's pre-hospital EMS System, and such grant monies will not be used to supplant current levels of County expenditures.
2. In accordance with Sec. 401.113(2), Florida Statutes, the undersigned hereby requests an EMS grant fund distribution for the improvement and expansion of pre-hospital EMS.
3. That the County authorizes the County Administrator or his/her designee to execute any documents associated with the award of the grant.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED this 10th day of January, 2017.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
William G. Truex, Chair

ATTEST:  
Barbara T. Scott, Clerk of Circuit  
Court and Ex-officio Clerk to the  
Board of County Commissioners

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Janette S. Knowlton, County Attorney  
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