



HAYWOOD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA REQUEST

***Must be presented to the County Manager's Office
NO LATER THAN 5 P.M. FRIDAY THE WEEK BEFORE THE MEETING***

DATE OF REQUEST: October 7, 2011

FROM: **Julie Davis, Finance Director and Jim Pressley, EMS Director**

MEETING DATE REQUESTED: October 17, 2011

Regular meetings: First (1st) Monday of the month at 9:00 am
Third (3rd) Monday of the month at 5:30 pm

SUBJECT: **New ambulance purchases at same price as prior contract**

REQUEST: **Approval of waiver of competitive bidding under G. S. 143-129 (g)**

BACKGROUND: Haywood County EMS had approval to purchase two new ambulances in the current budget year. The county had purchased the same ambulance last year as was requested in the current year. The ambulance vendor has offered to sell the current two ambulances to the county at the same price as last year's ambulance purchase. G. S. 143-129(g) allows a waiver of bidding for previously bid contracts when it is determined that it is in the best interest of the county and the contract was completed within the past 12 months. Haywood County EMS has determined that the prior price of the ambulance is a better price than can currently be obtained. The County gave Notice of Waiver of Competitive Bidding Haywood County EMS on September 14, 2011 as required by state statute.

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN: At approval, EMS will order two ambulances from Southeastern Specialty Vehicles for \$120,300 per ambulance

FINANCIAL IMPACT STATEMENT: Currently, two ambulances are included in the EMS budget

SUPPORTING ATTACHMENTS: YES NO HOW MANY?

LIST: Martin-McGill Scope of Services Agreement

If yes, one ORIGINAL ATTACHMENT, and 14 copies, copied front and back side of pages, stapled and three-hole punched must accompany the agenda request

PowerPoint Presentation: YES NO

PERSON MAKING PRESENTATION AT MEETING:

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County Manager / Clerk to the Board Comments: _____

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