

Dispatch Service Agreement Tooele County – Mountain West Ambulance Service

1. **CONTRACTING PARTIES:** This agreement made and executed the 1st day of July, 2018, by and between TOOELE COUNTY, a body politic and corporate of the State of Utah, (hereinafter referred to as "County"), and Mountain West Ambulance Service, (hereinafter referred to as "Service").

2. **PURPOSE:** This agreement is for the purpose of Tooele County providing radio dispatch services to Mountain West Ambulance Service.

IN CONSIDERATION of the following mutual promises, terms and conditions, the parties agree as follows:

3. **DISPATCH FEES:** The County agrees to provide to the Service the following radio dispatch services during the term of this agreement at an adequate level and in a timely fashion:

- a. Receive and prioritize 911 emergency and non-emergency telephone answering and radio dispatch service for the District 24 hours a day 7 days a week. Handle outbound telephone calls when appropriate.
- b. Page the second group for all off-duty staff when requested.
- c. Conduct status checks every 10 minutes after arrival on scene.
- d. Page the Fire Chief when requested by the Incident Commander.
- e. Gather, record, and report all data collected by the dispatch center and provide recordings of such upon request.
- f. Conduct monthly area wide communication meetings.

4. **CONSIDERATION:** In consideration of the County providing the dispatch services specified herein from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019, the Service agrees to pay the County the sum of \$66,402.00. Said fees shall be paid to Tooele County on a quarterly basis and shall be paid without the necessity of being billed by the County. Said payments shall be made within fifteen (15) days following the end of each quarter. If payments are not made when due, they shall accrue interest at the rate of 1.5% per month until paid. The basis and method of computation of said amount is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" which by reference is made a part hereof. The County may at the end of each calendar year, adjust the fee it charges the Service for dispatch services under this agreement.

5. **BUDGET NOTICE:** The County agrees to notify the Service by November 31st of each year of the upcoming year's Dispatch fee predictions. The County agrees to provide the final Dispatch numbers to the Service by January 31st of each year.

6. CONTRACT TERM: This agreement shall take effect on July 1, 2018 and shall terminate on June 30, 2019, unless terminated sooner according to the terms and conditions of this agreement.


7. INADEQUATE SERVICE: If the Service determines that it has received inadequate dispatch services under this agreement, the Chief Administrator shall report the problem, in writing, to the Sheriff. If the problem has not been resolved to the satisfaction of the Service within fifteen (15) days, the original report, together with a supplemental report indicating the current status of the problem shall be forwarded to the Tooele County Commission for review.

8. TERMINATION: This agreement may be terminated prior to its duration if a party materially breaches the terms or conditions thereof and provided the non-breaching party gives written notice to the breaching party to remedy said default if the said default is not cured within thirty (30) days after receipt of said notice. This agreement may also be terminated by either party for any reason upon ninety (90) days written notice.

9. LIABILITY: It is mutually agreed that each party shall be responsible for the negligent acts of their own representatives or employees and shall hold the other party harmless from claims made as a result of work performed by reason of this agreement.


DATED this 1st day of July, 2018

MOUNTAIN WEST AMBULANCE



Phil Eaton, CEO

TOOELE COUNTY



Wade B. Bitner, Chairman
Tooele County Commission

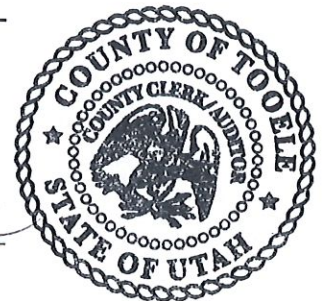
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Marilyn Gillette
Tooele County Clerk/Auditor



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Scott Broadhead
Tooele County Attorney