



RESOLUTION G2025-58

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES THROUGH THE COMMUNITY PARAMEDIC PROGRAM FOR THIRTY-SIX (36) MONTHS JULY 2025 THROUGH JUNE 2028 WITH THE LOVELAND SYMMES FIRE DEPARTMENT AND DISPENSING WITH A SECOND READING

WHEREAS, the Symmes Township Board of Trustees, Hamilton County, Ohio is authorized to contract for fire protection and emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, the Symmes Township Board of Trustees and the Loveland Symmes Fire Department have entered into a contract which provides such terms and conditions which are appropriate for the protection of lives and property of all persons and businesses within Symmes Township; and

WHEREAS, the Loveland Symmes Fire Department is requesting a Community Paramedic Program to support the staffing of response to emergency medical programs, that will run for thirty-six (36) months July 2025 through June 2028 and reassess the program for effectiveness and reauthorization by the communities; and

WHEREAS, the Symmes Township Board of Trustees hereby approve contributions to the contract and add Exhibit B, Community Paramedic Program, for three years – June 2025 through December 2025 – with an amount not to exceed \$17,430; 2026 – with an amount not to exceed \$36,612; 2027 – with an amount not to exceed \$38,436; January 2028 through June 2028 – with an amount not to exceed \$20,178; and

WHEREAS, all other provisions of the contract shall remain in effect for the duration of the contract; and

WHEREAS, the Exhibit B of the contract shall be approved as attached and will remain in effect the duration of the contract and as supported by the current contract language; and

WHEREAS, the amendment to the contract shall take effect and be in effect beginning on July 1, 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio:

Section 1. That the Symmes Township Board of Trustees authorize the Township Administrator to sign an amendment to the contract for fire protection and emergency medical services with the Loveland Symmes Fire Department as it is set forth on the attached Exhibit B.

Section 2. The Township Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized and directed to make payments to the Loveland Symmes Fire Department monthly \$2,905.00 for year 2025 June through December; \$3,051.00 for year 2026; \$3,203.00 for year 2027; and \$3,363.00 for year 2028 January through June.

Section 3. It is hereby certified that all formal actions of the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of the Board and that all deliberations of the Board were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

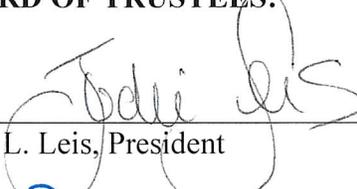
Section 4. Upon majority vote does hereby dispense with the requirement that this Resolution be read on two separate days and hereby authorizes the adoption of this Resolution upon its first reading.

Section 5. This Resolution shall take effect and be enforced from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

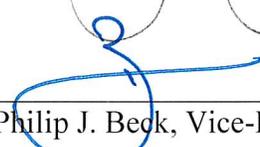
ADOPTED JULY 1, 2025- RESOLUTION G2025-58

Vote Record: Mr. Beck Aye Mr. Bryant Aye Ms. Leis Aye

BOARD OF TRUSTEES:



Jodie L. Leis, President



Philip J. Beck, Vice-President



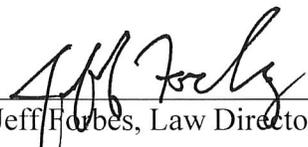
Kenneth N. Bryant, Trustee

ATTEST:



Joseph C. Grossi, Fiscal Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Jeff Forbes, Law Director

Exhibit B

Community Paramedic Program

Scope: 40 hours per week of operations, times to be determined by the Fire Chief to support the staffing of response to emergency medical programs.

Back fill. This position will not be backfilled during normal off time such as sick, vacation and Paid time off.

Operational period. This pilot program will run for 36 months and will be reassessed for effectiveness and will need to be reauthorized by the communities should they wish to continue.

Cost of program

2025	\$34,860	\$2905.00 Per community per month 6 months of operation
2026	\$73,205.	\$3051.00 Per community per month
2027	\$ 76,866.	\$3203.00 Per community per month
2028.	\$40,356.	\$3363.00 Per community per month 6 Months of operation

The cost of this program will be divided equally between the City of Loveland and Symmes Township