

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA; AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION AND ACCEPTANCE OF A GRANT FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES, OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AND CERTIFYING THAT THE AWARD PROGRAM WILL IMPROVE AND EXPAND THE COUNTY'S EXISTING PRE-HOSPITAL EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEM.

WHEREAS, the State of Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, Office of Emergency Medical Services distributes county grant funding to assist public organizations to improve and expand their EMS systems; and

WHEREAS, the Manatee County Board of County Commissioners is eligible to submit an EMS County Grant application; and

WHEREAS, the Manatee County Department of Public Safety Division of Emergency Medical Services has identified the need to improve and expand the County's pre-hospital Emergency Medical System and in accordance with Chapter 100-95, Florida Administrative Code, the EMS County grant award will not be utilized to supplant the existing County EMS budget allocations.

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

1. The submission and acceptance of the EMS County Grant from the State of Florida Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services, Office of Emergency Medical Services for improvement and expansion of Manatee County's pre-hospital Emergency Medical Services System is hereby authorized.
2. The EMS County Grant Award will not be utilized to substitute the existing County EMS budget allocations; and
3. The Chairman, or in her absence, the Vice Chairman, is authorized to execute the application and all appropriate documents with regards to the submission and acceptance of this grant.

ADOPTED with a quorum present and voting this 16th day of September, 1997.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: *Patricia H. Glass*  
Patricia H. Glass, Chairman

ATTEST:  
R. B. WIRE  
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

By: *Dustin G. Krause*

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