

EXTENSION OF SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Township of Neptune (the "Township") and the Borough of Neptune City (the "Borough") entered into a Shared Services Agreement (the "Agreement") for the provision of Emergency Medical Services for a term on one (1) year commencing January 1, 2021 and ending December 31, 2021, which permitted extensions for a period of five (5) years; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the Township and the Borough to extend said Agreement for a term of one (1) year commencing on January 1, 2024 and ending on December 31, 2024; and

WHEREAS, all terms of the Agreement will remain unchanged with the exception of the following terms, which will replace the existing terms in said contract.

B. DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES.

The Township's services to the Borough will therefore include, but not necessarily be limited to the following:

1. Provision of basic life support emergency medical services between the hours of 12:00AM and 6:00 PM, daily and any other time when such services are available from the Township, based upon a schedule set solely by the Township and shared with the Borough.

C. ESTIMATED COST.

The estimated cost of the Project shall be, as far as may be determined at this time, approximately \$1.9 million for the provision of all of the Township's basic life support emergency medical services with the Township and no other participant municipalities involved in the regionalization of emergency medical services with the Township. The estimated cost for providing these services to the Borough is \$260,000.00. The cost of the project for ensuing year is anticipated to be equal or greater than the cost for the initial year of the project.

The Township shall bill for services described herein as described herein in "E. Third Party Billing.

The Borough will be required to pay to the Township a monthly fee of \$7,292.00 to pay uncollected resident beneficiary co-pays from public funds and the difference between the anticipated overall collection rate 100% collections for up to five hundred (500) EMS responses for the year and a fee of \$175.00 for each call in excess of five hundred (500) during the year.

The estimated savings to the Borough is \$173,500.00 for 2024.

This estimate and calculation above is recited as required by the Shared Services Agreement.

F. DURATION OF AGREEMENT.

The initial Agreement was for an initial period was for an initial period of one (1) year, commencing January 1, 2021 and ending on December 31, 2021.

This Agreement may be extended by Agreement of both parties for a period of five (5) years beyond the expiration date by resolution of each governing body with an allowance to amend the annual fee based upon costs and call volume.

This Agreement shall be the second of the five (5) annual extensions permitted by the initial Agreement.

Either party may, for cause, terminate this Agreement by notice to the other party. Such notice shall be provided at least six (6) months prior to the designated termination date.

Q. CONFIRMING STATEMENT.

This Agreement replaces and supersedes all previous Agreements between the Township and the Borough for the Provision of Basic Life Support and Emergency Medical Services.

R. ENACTMENT PROCEDURE.

The governing bodies of the Township and the Borough have duly adopted a Resolution authorizing the entering into this Shared Services Agreement pursuant to the provisions of the Uniform Shared Services and Consolidation Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1.

S. INDEPENDENT COUNSEL.

The parties hereby acknowledge that they have independent legal counsel of their own choosing in order to have this Agreement reviewed and approved and in order to receive independent and separate advice regarding every aspect of this Agreement. Moreover, the parties agree that whoever prepared this extension of the prior Shared Service Agreement, said preparation was not to give one or the other party a legal advantage in construction or interpretation should there be a claim by the parties or third party in the future.

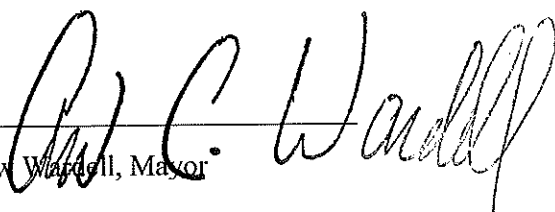
ATTEST:

NEPTUNE CITY



Corinne Dicorcia Williams, RMC

By:



Andrew Wardell, Mayor

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE



Gabriella Siboni, RMC

By:



Keith Cafferty, Mayor