North Tahoe Fire Protection District

Ambulance Rates FY 2023-2024

Exhibit "A"

SERVICE & SUPPLIES	2022/2023 CHARGES	2023/2024 CHARGES
ALS Base Transport	\$2,190.00	\$2,284.00
Mileage	\$47.00	\$48.00
Standby 15 min	\$60.00	\$61.00
Treat No Transport	\$324.00	\$337.00



RESOLUTION NO. 10-2023 TO INCREASE EXISTING RATES FOR AMBULANCE SERVICES

WHEREAS, on June 19, 2019, the North Tahoe Fire Protection District approved Ordinance No. 03-2019 which indicated that:

- 1. The Schedule of Fees for services and supplies, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference, is hereby amended and adopted as the rates to be charged for ambulance, rescue, interfacility transfers and first aid services and supplies by the District.
- 2. The fees identified in Exhibit "A" of Ordinance 03-2019 shall be adjusted annually, beginning July 1, 2019 and each July thereafter, by the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for "All Urban Consumers" for the U.S. City Average for medical care, not seasonally adjusted (1982-84 = 100) as published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, as published for the twelve (12) month period ending December 31 of the preceding calendar year, except that no CPI adjustment shall reduce any fees.
- 3. Approval by the Board of Directors shall be by resolution, adopted at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Board prior to enactment of the increase.

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED by the Board of Directors that:

1. The fees identified in Exhibit "A" are being adjusted effective July 1, 2023 pursuant to Ordinance 03-2019, by the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for "All Urban Consumers" for the U.S. City Average for medical care, not seasonally adjusted (1982-84 = 100) as published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, as published for the twelve (12) month period ending December 31 of the preceding calendar year, except that no CPI adjustment shall reduce any fees.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the North Tahoe Fire Protection District, Tahoe City, California this 23rd day of May 2023 by the following vote on roll call:

AYES: Directors Baffone, Doyle, Loverde, and Ragan

NOES: None

ABSENT: Director Correa

Mike Baffone

President of the Board of Directors

Melissa Daniels, District Clerk

North Tahoe Fire Protection District

Ambulance Rates 2019

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SERVICE & SUPPLIES	2016 CHARGE	2019 CHARGE
BLS	\$1,866	\$2,190
ALS	\$1,866	\$2,190
ALS 2	\$1,866	\$2,190
Mileage	\$39	\$47
Standby 15 min	\$50	\$60
Treat No Transport	\$275	\$324



ORDINANCE 03-2019 OF THE NORTH TAHOE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

AN ORDINANCE SUPERSEDING AND REPLACING ORDINANCE 01-2016 INCREASING EXISTING RATES FOR AMBULANCE SERVICES AND SUPPLIES

WHEREAS, NORTH TAHOE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT is a Fire Protection District duly organized and existing under the Fire Protection District Law of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, the District is authorized by the provisions of Health & Safety Code Section 13862 to operate an ambulance service within and without the District and to operate rescue and first aid services within and without the District;

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of North Tahoe Fire Protection District has determined that it is necessary to provide advanced life support (ALS) ambulance service within the legal boundaries of the District.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of North Tahoe Fire Protection District has determined to adopt ALS billing District-wide as a matter of policy.

WHEREAS, the District pursuant to Health & Safety Code Section 13916 deems it necessary to charge and occasionally increase certain charges related to ambulance transports.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Directors of NORTH TAHOE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT that;

- 1. The Schedule of Fees for services and supplies, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference, is hereby amended and adopted as the rates to be charged for ambulance, rescue, interfacility transfers and first aid services and supplies by the District.
- 2. The fees identified in Exhibit "A" shall be adjusted annually, beginning July 1, 2019 and each July thereafter, by the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for "All Urban Consumers" for the U.S. City Average for medical care, not seasonally adjusted (1982-84 = 100) as published by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor

Statistics, as published for the twelve (12) month period ending December 31 of the preceding calendar year, except that no CPI adjustment shall reduce any fees.

Approval by the Board of Directors shall be by resolution, adopted at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Board prior to enactment of the increase.

- 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval required by law, until it is amended, suspended, and/or rescinded by this Board.
- 4. If any fee, word, or provision of this Ordinance, including Exhibit "A", is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, then the offending portion shall be severed from the remaining provisions of this Ordinance, which shall remain in full force and effect.
- 5. This Ordinance accordingly is adopted at the June 19, 2019 meeting, with the new rates to be effective thirty days thereafter.
- 6. This Ordinance 03-2019 supersedes and replaces Ordinance 01-2016 in its entirety.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the NORTH TAHOE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT, Tahoe City, California this 19th day of June, 2019 by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Directors Battone, Correa, Dojle, Loverde & Ragan

NOES: None ABSENT: None ABSTAIN: None

Attest:

Approved by:

Mike Baffone, President of the

Board of Directors

Clerk of the Board