



Orting Valley Fire and Rescue

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Resolution 2023-001

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF PIERCE COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 18. AUTHORIZING AN INCREASE IN THE SCHEDULE OF FEES FOR THE PROVISION OF AMBULANCE SERVICES, INCLUDING TRANSPORT TO LOCAL HOSPITALS, TO BE CHARGED WITHIN THIS JURISDICTION, EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 1, 2023.

THIS SUPERCEDES RESOLUTIONS 2022-001.

WHEREAS, RCW 52.12.131 authorizes any fire district providing emergency medical services to establish reasonable charges for these services to reimburse the district for its cost of providing emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, in order to meet increased costs of providing emergency medical services to keep current with the prevailing rate for these services; and


WHEREAS, the District is implementing new emergency medical technologies and programs for transport services in the best interests of the citizens, residents and visitors within the District; and

WHEREAS, the District has determined that increasing the transport fee rates would help compensate for the cost to implement new technologies and programs;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, BY THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF PIERCE COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT NO. 18 AS FOLLOWS:

- (a) For advanced life support services-1, An increase to the rate per patient call is hereby approved from \$1,460.00 to \$1,518.00, plus mileage.
- (b) For advanced life support services-2, an increase to the rate per patient call is hereby approved from \$1,210.00 to \$1,258.00, plus mileage.
- (c) For basic life support services, an increase to the rate per patient call is hereby approved from \$900.00 to \$936.00, plus mileage.
- (d) For mileage for all transports, an increase to the rate per patient call is hereby approved from \$24.00 to \$25.00 per mile.

Adopted this 24th day of January 2023.



Jason Bellerive-Commission Chair



Arlene Dannat-Commissioner



Margaret O'Harra Buttz-Commissioner



Joe Palombi-Commission Vice Chair



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