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LOCAL LAW 13 - 2009

A LOCAL LAW AMENDING THE ONONDAGA COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE CODE IN
RELATION TO THE DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

BE IT ENACTED BY THE ONONDAGA COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF THE COUNTY OF
ONONDAGA, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Onondaga County Administrative Code, being Local Law No. 1 of 1975, as amended, is further amended to strike sections 16.13 and 16.14 in their entirety.

Section 2. The Administrative Code is further amended to insert the new sections 30.05 and 30.06 into Article XXX, the Department of Emergency Management, as follows.

**Section 30.05 DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES; DIRECTOR OF
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES; POWERS AND DUTIES.**

There shall be within the Department of Emergency Management a Division of Emergency Medical Services under the direction of the Director of Emergency Medical Services who shall be appointed by the County Executive. The Director of Emergency Medical Services shall be directly responsible to and serve at the pleasure of the County Executive. The powers and duties of the Director of Emergency Medical Services shall be to:

- (a) report and be directly responsible to the Commissioner of Emergency Management;
- (b) administer emergency medical services pursuant to the Onondaga County Ambulance Code;
- (c) coordinate cooperative and other emergency medical services throughout the County;
- (d) coordinate emergency medical training programs;
- (e) coordinate responsibility for quality control over all phases of emergency medical services throughout the County;
- (f) facilitate the development of programs for the training of new emergency medical techniques with Director of Emergency Management (Fire) and other agencies to assist in the coordination of emergency medical services communications throughout the County;
- (g) perform such other duties and responsibilities as the Commissioner may assign from time to time.

**Section 30.06 EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE ADVISORY BOARD;
MEMBERSHIP APPOINTMENT; TERM; VACANCIES; APPOINTMENT; TERM;
VACANCIES.**

There shall be within the Department of Emergency Management an Emergency Medical Service Advisory Board to consist of eighteen members to be appointed by the County

Executive. Members shall serve at the pleasure of the County Executive for term not to exceed three years.

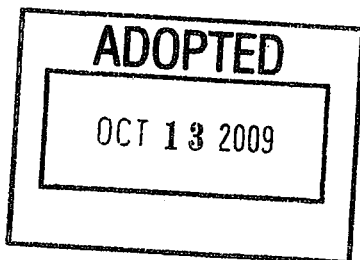
The Board shall be comprised of representatives of the major components and the many interests within the emergency medical services system and shall act as an advisory board to the emergency medical services system and shall act as an advisory board to the County Legislature, County Executive, and the Commissioner of Emergency Management. The Board shall select annually its own Chairperson and otherwise organize and reorganize in such manner as it may deem appropriate or as may be provided by law. It shall meet regularly at the call of the County Executive, the Commissioner of Emergency Management, or its Chairperson. Vacancies in membership occurring other than by expiration of terms shall be filled for the respective unexpired terms by appointment of the County Executive in the manner provided by law.

Section 3. The Administrative Code is further amended to insert the words "and the Director of Emergency Medical Services" at the end of section 30.01(b).

Section 4. Local Law No. 1 of 1975, as previously amended, shall remain in force to the extent that it is consistent with this local law. All other local laws inconsistent with this local law are repealed to the extent that they are not consistent with this local law.

Section 5. This local law will take effect January 1, 2010, and shall be filed pursuant to the provisions of Municipal Home Rule Law.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF LEGISLATION DULY ADOPTED BY THE COUNTY LEGISLATURE OF ONONDAGA COUNTY ON THE

13th DAY OF October, 2009.

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CLERK, COUNTY LEGISLATURE
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