

IN THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE STATE OF OREGON

FOR THE COUNTY OF YAMHILL

SITTING FOR THE TRANSACTION OF COUNTY BUSINESS

In the Matter of an Ordinance Amending)
 Ordinance 736, an Amendment to Ordinance)
 723, the Yamhill County Ambulance Service) ORDINANCE 742
 Ordinance, to Adjust Deadlines for Certain)
 Activities Required by the Ordinance;)
 Declaring an Emergency; Effective Immediately.)

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF YAMHILL COUNTY, OREGON ("the Board") sat for the transaction of county business in formal session on July 22, 2004, commissioners Kathy George, Mary P. Stern and Leslie Lewis being present.

THE BOARD MAKES THE FOLLOWING FINDINGS:

- A. On March 6, 2003 the Board adopted Ordinance 723, the Yamhill County Ambulance Service Ordinance ("ASO"). The ASO became effective October 1, 2003. Among other things, the ASO required the establishment of an Ambulance Service Area Advisory Committee ("the Committee") to develop an Ambulance Service Area Plan ("ASA Plan"). It also required applications for franchises to be submitted by March 31, 2004 and franchises to be awarded by September 30, 2004.
 - B. On February 25, 2004, the Ambulance Service Area Advisory Committee held its organizational meeting to elect a chair and conduct deliberations on a ASA Plan developed by staff. The Committee elected a chair, then voted unanimously to approve a motion requesting the Board to extend deadlines in the ASO for three months to allow the Committee to complete work on the plan for recommendation to the Board. Thereafter, the Board adopted Ordinance 736 to extend the deadlines.
 - C. As of the date of this ordinance, the ASA Plan has been through multiple drafts but has not been approved in final form by the Committee. Therefore, it is appropriate to extend the deadlines established by Ordinance 736 to allow the Committee to develop a plan most beneficial to the public.
- NOW, THEREFORE:

THE YAMHILL COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1 Modifications to deadlines established by Ordinance 736. Ordinance 736, adopted February 25, 2004 to amend Ordinance 723, the Yamhill County Ambulance Service Ordinance, is hereby amended to reflect the following changes to Ordinance 723:

A. Section 8(1) of Ordinance 723, as amended by Ordinance 736, is deleted and replaced by the following language:

1. Beginning July 1, 2005, no person or provider shall provide emergency ambulance services in Yamhill County, Oregon, unless such person or provider has been assigned an ambulance service area in accordance with the applicable provisions of this Ordinance and the Ambulance Service Area Plan.

B. Section 9(1) of Ordinance 723, as amended by Ordinance 736, is deleted and replaced by the following language:

1. Any person or provider desiring to provide ambulance service within Yamhill County shall submit an application to be assigned an ambulance service area by December 31, 2004. The application shall be submitted to the Board of Commissioners.

Section 2 **Remainder of Ordinance 723 unaffected.** Except as provided in Section 1, all other terms and conditions in Ordinance 723 shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3 **Effective date; emergency clause.** The first and second readings of this ordinance were made July 22, 2004. To carry out the intent of this ordinance an emergency is hereby declared to exist. In accordance with ORS 203.045(4) this ordinance shall take immediately.

Ayes: Commissioners George, Stern and Lewis.

Nays: None.

DONE at McMinnville, Oregon on July 22, 2004.

ATTEST

YAMHILL COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

JAN COLEMAN
County Clerk



Kathy George
Chair KATHY GEORGE

By *Anne Britt*
Deputy ANNE BRITT

Mary P. Stern
Commissioner MARY P. STERN

FORM APPROVED BY:

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