

Board of County Commissioners

Agenda Request

Date of Meeting: January 13, 2009

Date Submitted: December 22, 2008

To: Honorable Chairman and Members of the Board

From: Bud Parmer, Interim County Manager
Brian Beasley EMS Director

Subject: Approval for Ambulance Remount

Statement of Issue:

This agenda item seeks Board approval to declare EMS unit number 9 as surplus and to trade the chassis in on the new unit.

Background:

The Gadsden Board of County Commissioners approved to remount one Ambulance with the approval of the current budget. In order to completely refurbish the unit staff needs to trade the old 2002 F-350 chassis VIN# 1FDWF36F02EB37236 in to reduce the price. This unit has in excess of 300,000 miles on it.

Analysis:

The ability to trade this chassis in will help to defray the increased cost for repairs to the Modular. The Modular needs a new generator and also a new composite floor, along with other upgrades.

Fiscal Impact:

The new budget has placed a total of \$65,000 to remount and refurbish this Ambulance. This amount has been approved by the Board of County Commissioners.

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Recommendation:

Option 1