

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING APPENDIX (B), OF CHAPTER 34, SECTION 34-25 SUBSECTIONS 7 AND 8, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK, PROVIDING NEW FEES FOR EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK:

I.

Appendix (B), Chapter 34, Section 34-25 Subsections 7 and 8, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Deer Park, is hereby amended so that it shall hereinafter read as follows:

Cost records; rates and fees

Appendix(B), SECTION 34-25, SUBSECTIONS 7 AND 8

The fire chief or his delegated representative shall provide for the orderly maintenance of records and information relative to the costs to the city of the operation of such city emergency ambulance service. Rates and fees to be charged for each call for emergency ambulance service shall be as follows:

7 Fees for Supplies and Services:

ALS Disposables/Supplies	\$375.00
BLS Disposables/Supplies	\$225.00
Oxygen Administration	\$125.00

8 Fees for Medications

Adenosine 6 mg	\$150.00
Adenosine 12mg	\$195.00
Albuterol 2.5mg	\$25.00
Amiodarone	\$165.00
Atropine Sulphate	\$25.00
Benadryl 50mg/1ml	\$25.00
Dextrose 50%	\$25.00
Dextrose 25%	\$25.00
Dopamine	\$30.00
Epinephrine 1:1,000	\$35.00
Epinephrine 1:10,000	\$35.00

Etomidate	\$65.00
Glucagon	\$230.00
Ipratropium/Atrovent	\$15.00
Lidocaine 100mg	\$25.00
Lidocaine IV Drip	\$60.00
Midazolam	\$25.00
Magnesium Sulphate	\$30.00
Morphine Sulphate	\$30.00
Naloxone HCL	\$90.00
Promethazine	\$25.00
Sodium Bicarbonate	\$25.00
Sodium Nitrate	\$45.00
Sodium Thiosulphate	\$55.00
Solu-Medrol 125mg	\$80.00
Solu-Medrol 1g	\$125.00
Thiamine	\$35.00
Valium	\$30.00
Vasopressin	\$25.00
Vecuronium	\$25.00
Other medications not listed	Cost plus 50%

II.

The above rates shall be effective on October 1, 2016.

III.

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was adopted was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551 of the Government Code of the State of Texas.

IV.

The City Council finds that this Ordinance relates to the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare in that it is necessary to amend the provisions of the Code of Ordinances regulating ambulance fees since the increased revenue can be made available immediately in order to continue to provide emergency ambulance service for the protection of the public, thereby creating an emergency, for which, the Charter requirement providing for the reading of Ordinances on three (3) several

days should be dispensed with, and this Ordinance be passed finally on its introduction; and, accordingly, such requirement is dispensed with, and this Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

In accordance with Article VIII, Section 1 of the City Charter, this Ordinance was introduced before the City Council of the City of Deer Park, Texas, **passed, approved and adopted** on this the ____ day of _____, 2016 **by a vote of** _____ **“Ayes” and** _____ **“Noes”.**

MAYOR, City of Deer Park, Texas

ATTEST:

City Secretary

APPROVED:

City Attorney