

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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May 12, 2017

Mr. Tom Lynch, EMS Administrator
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Dear Mr. Lynch:

This letter is in response to Inland Counties EMS Agency's 2013 EMS Plan Update submission to the EMS Authority on April 15, 2015.

I. Introduction and Summary:

The EMS Authority has concluded its review of Inland Counties EMS Agency's 2013 EMS Plan Update and is approving the plan as submitted.

II. History and Background:

Inland Counties EMS Agency received its last full plan approval for its 1999 plan submission, and its last annual plan update for its 2010 plan submission.

Historically, we have received EMS Plan submissions from Inland Counties EMS Agency for the following years:

- 1999
- 2006
- 2007
- 2009
- 2010

Health and Safety Code (HSC) § 1797.254 states:

*"Local EMS agencies shall **annually** (emphasis added) submit an emergency medical services plan for the EMS area to the authority, according to EMS Systems, Standards, and Guidelines established by the authority".*

The EMS Authority is responsible for the review of EMS Plans and for making a determination on the approval or disapproval of the plan, based on compliance with

statute and the standards and guidelines established by the EMS Authority consistent with HSC § 1797.105(b).

III. Analysis of EMS System Components:

Following are comments related to Inland Counties EMS Agency's 2013 EMS Plan Update. Areas that indicate the plan submitted is concordant and consistent with applicable guidelines or regulations, HSC § 1797.254, and the EMS system components identified in HSC § 1797.103, are indicated below:

- | | Approved | Not Approved | |
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| A. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <u>System Organization and Management</u> |
| B. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <u>Staffing/Training</u> |
| C. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <u>Communications</u> |
| D. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <u>Response/Transportation</u> |

1. Ambulance Zones

- Based on the documentation provided by Inland Counties EMS Agency, please find enclosed the EMS Authority's determination of the exclusivity of Inland Counties EMS Agency's ambulance zones.

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| E. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <u>Facilities/Critical Care</u> |
| F. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <u>Data Collection/System Evaluation</u> |
| G. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <u>Public Information and Education</u> |
| H. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <u>Disaster Medical Response</u> |

IV. Conclusion:

Based on the information identified, Inland Counties EMS Agency's 2013 EMS Plan Update is approved.

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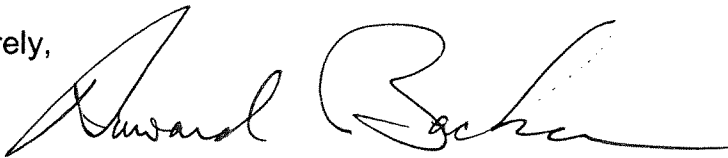
Pursuant to HSC § 1797.105(b):

“After the applicable guidelines or regulations are established by the Authority, a local EMS agency may implement a local plan...unless the Authority determines that the plan does not effectively meet the needs of the persons served and is not consistent with the coordinating activities in the geographical area served, or that the plan is not concordant and consistent with applicable guidelines or regulations, or both the guidelines and regulations established by the Authority.”

V. Next Steps:

Inland Counties EMS Agency’s 2017 EMS Plan Update will be due on or before May 31, 2018. If you have any questions regarding the plan review, please contact Ms. Lisa Galindo, EMS Plans Coordinator, at (916) 431-3688.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Howard Backer". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

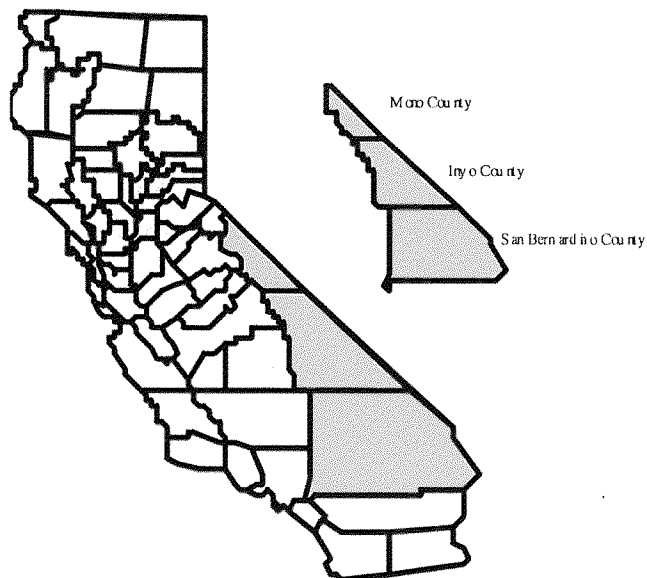
Howard Backer, MD, MPH, FACEP
Director

Enclosure

ZONE	EXCLUSIVITY			TYPE			LEVEL									
	Non-Exclusive	Exclusive	Method to Achieve Exclusivity	Emergency Ambulance	ALS	LALS	All Emergency Ambulance Services	9-1-1 Emergency Response	7-digit Emergency Response	ALS Ambulance	All CCT Ambulance Services	BLS Non-Emergency and IFT	Standby Service with Transport Authorization	All Air Ambulance	Emergency Air Ambulance	
Inyo County																
EOA #1		X	Competitive	X				X				X	X			
EOA #2		X	Non-Competitive	X				X								
EOA #3		X	Non-Competitive	X				X								
OA #4	X															
OA #5	X															
OA #6	X															
OA #7	X															
OA #8			Exempt													
EOA #9		X	Non-Competitive	X				X								
Mono County																
EOA #1		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #2		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #3		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #4		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
San Bernardino County																
EOA #1		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #2		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #3		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #4		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #5		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #6		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #7		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #8		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				
EOA #9		X	Non-Competitive	X				X		X		X				

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EMS PLAN UPDATE 2013-2014



Prepared for:
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