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### OUR BEATIFUL TOWN GOING, GOING....... THIS IS THE WORST ISLIP TOWN BOARD EVER SEEN!



### Ron Meyers. Wiscon. Fired from his last job as planning commissioner, barred from that town, bribery &

harassment in late April 2000, when the United States and Cuba were at odds over whether a Cuban child, Elian Gonzalez, should be returned to his father in Cuba, Singh overheard a conversation between Meyer and Edmands that made her uncomfortable. Singh entered Meyer's office while he and Edmands were discussing the event and she overheard him say "they should all be sent back." Singh notes that Meyer and Edmands appeared embarrassed when they realized she had heard this remark.

According to board members, the memo stated: "Please note that (Director of Planning and Development) Ron Meyer has been placed on administrative leave. Furthermore, he is no longer allowed in any non-public areas within the village hall without permission of Chief (of Police) Tim Zarzecki or the village administrator until further notice. We have collected his keys and his card access has been deactivated."

## NOW APPOINTED BY ISLIP TOWN BOARD AS PLANNING COMMISIONER

## Trustees Expected to Oust Planning Director Wednesday

Planning Director Ron Meyer will be the subject of a special closed session board meeting Wednesday.

By Heather Asiyanbi, Patch Staff | Aug 13, 2013 10:44 am ET



Mount Pleasant trustees will meet in closed session Wednesday for a special board meeting; presumably to terminate Planning Director Ron Meyer.

On the agenda sent to media Tuesday, the statute cited lists the reason for the closed session as the "dismissal, demotion, licensing or discipline of any public employee or person licensed by a board ... Director of Planning and Development."

Trustee Sonny Havn, a member of the Personnel Committee, wouldn't respond to Patch's question of why Meyer might be fired.

"I have no comment," he said. "But things will come out Wednesday after the board meeting."

Trustee Don Schulz is also a member of the village Personnel Committee, but he would not comment when Patch reached him by phone.

"Our attorney advised this is a personnel issue and that we are not to speak to the media," he said.

Meyer was placed on administrative leave last week and relieved of his keys to Village Hall and his access card. During the regular board meeting Monday, trustees went into closed session to discuss "pending harassment claims," but did not address the situation with Meyer once they reconvened into open session. Meyer was not available for comment Tuesday.

The board did approve proposed changes to the personnel manual as suggested by Attorney Lori Lubinsky, who was asked to review personnel policies by the village's insurance company.



# Mount Pleasant planning director resigns

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Mount Pleasant planning director resigns

ALISON BAUTER alison.bauter@journaltimes.com Aug 14, 2013 Ron Meyer, Director of Planning & Development and Interim Village Administrator - Village of Mount Pleasant. Tuesday March 27, 2012

MOUNT PLEASANT — Village Director of Planning and Development Ron Meyer voluntarily resigned Wednesday, opting to leave his long-time position with the village after being placed on administrative leave last week. Village Board members briefly met in closed session Wednesday afternoon before returning to approve Meyer's voluntary separation. The terms of his departure will be decided through an amicable agreement between the village and

Meyer's attorney, Village President Mark Gleason said before the vote.

Meyer and his attorney, Victor Platinga of Rose and Dejon, declined to comment further after the 4-3 vote.

The decision came after Village Administrator Kurt Wahlen informed trustees in a memo last week that Meyer had been put on administrative leave.

According to board members, the memo stated:

"Please note that (Director of Planning and Development) Ron Meyer has been placed on administrative leave. Furthermore, he is no longer allowed in any non-public areas within the village hall without permission of Chief (of Police) Tim Zarzecki or the village administrator until further notice. We have collected his keys and his card access has been deactivated."

The memo reportedly noted that the matter should not be discussed with the media, stating "this is a personnel matter," according to board members who shared the memo's contents but asked not to be identified.

Most trustees declined to comment after the meeting, deferring instead to Wahlen, who said little other than that Meyer and his attorney wished "to put the matter in the past." The final vote was Trustees Schulz, Jerry Garski and Gary

Feest in opposition; Trustees Dave DeGroot, John Hewitt, Sonny Havn, and Village President Gleason voting to approve Meyer's resignation. The board did not appoint someone to fill the director of planning and development position.

### No. 97-1110 STATE OF WISCONSIN IN COURT OF APPEALS

DISTRICT II DAVID R. BARNES

PLAINTIFF-APPELLANT,

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THE TOWN OF MT. PLEASANT, RON MEYER, DON HALLOWELL AND KOREGIS GROUP,

**DEFENDANTS** 

RESPONDENTS APPEAL from a judgment of the circuit court for Racine County: STEPHEN A. SIMANEK, Judge The letters suggested that Town employees, Hallowell and Ron Meyer, Development Coordinator, were "blackmailing" Barnes by refusing to authorize paving in the subdivision until Barnes made a written waiver of his claim for reimbursement for extra storm sewer cost. Barnes received a letter from the Town chairman indicating that paving had not been done in the subdivision because the Town was behind on paving

funds.

### Mount Pleasant planning director resigns | Local News | journaltimes ...

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Meyer voluntarily resigned Wednesday, opting to leave his long-time position with the village after ...

### Board Meeting regarding Ron Meyer | Mount Pleasant, WI Patch

https://patch.com/wisconsin/mountpleasant/board-meeting-regarding-ron-meyer ▼
Aug 14, 2013 - Listen to the open session portions of Mt. Pleasant Village Board of Trustees meeting regarding Ron Meyer. Here is the link. Just click on it to hear it. http:// vimeo.com/72380539. To see the Agenda for this meeting click on the following link:

### Taking the helm in planning

Story By: **RICK CHALIFOUX** 3/17/2016

**ISLIP TOWN**—Last week, the Islip Town Board unanimously approved the appointment of **Ronald R. Meyer as its new commissioner of planning and development.** 

Meyer served as deputy commissioner from June 2015 through December, when he assumed the role of acting commissioner after former Commissioner of Planning Rich Zapolski left the town. Meyer's current responsibilities include overseeing the five divisions of Planning, Building, Engineering, Economic Development and Zoning Board of Appeals, and a staff of 76 employees. Other duties consist of managing, organizing, and facilitating the general operation of the department, such as capital improvement plans and the environmental impact review.

Meyer earned a Bachelor of Science in resource management from the Syracuse University College of Environmental Science and Forestry. He also received an associate in mathematics and science from Columbia Greene Community College.

His past work experience before Islip includes serving as planner for the Town of East Hampton (1986-1988), planning manager/project director at the New York City Department of Planning ('88-'92), director of planning and development/assistant village administrator for the Village of Mount Pleasant, Wisconsin ('92-'13), and senior housing development consultant in Colorado, Florida and North Carolina ('13-'15).

Meyer noted that he's thrilled with his new position and would strive to maintain a balance between focusing on increasing the town's tax base and doing what is right for Islip.

One of the biggest challenges Meyer views on the horizon is the proposed Heartland Town Square Project in Brentwood. The \$4 billion plan seeks to transform Brentwood's former Pilgrim State Hospital into 9,000-plus apartments, 1 million square feet of retail space, and 3 million square feet of offices – amounting to the construction of 15.5 million square feet of development over the next three decades.

"[The scale of the project] is not something Long Island is acquainted with," said Meyer. "But it's exciting. I'm excited about it."

Supervisor Angie Carpenter remarked on Meyer's reputation and his ability to lead the department and assist the town moving forward.

"I'm absolutely thrilled," said Carpenter. "He's an experienced planner with incredible work ethic. He's a delight to work with and we're very fortunate to have him."

## Islip names Ronald R. Meyer Jr. town's commissioner of planning and development

sophia.chang@newsday.com Updated March 14, 2016 5:35 AM

# The Islip Town Board has unanimously approved the appointment of Ronald R. Meyer Jr. as the town's commissioner of planning and development.

Meyer, who was appointed at last week's board meeting, has served as the acting commissioner since former Commissioner Richard Zapolski left the position in December.

He has been with the town since June 2015, after working as a housing development consultant in Colorado, Florida and North Carolina. He also spent 11 years working as the director of planning and development and assistant village administrator in Mount Pleasant, Wisconsin.

The post pays an annual \$101,000 salary.

Planning Board- you Ms Carpenter appointed Tim Mattimore-former lawyer he was accused of stealing 2 million dollars from a client, he was hired by Suffolk Water Authority and was fired for working as a lawyer while working for the water Authority

# John Carney. Islip Town deputy supervisor resigns, keeps job as public safety commissioner July 8, 2015

picked by Supervisor Angie Carpenter three weeks after her swearing-in on March 1 -- has resigned, Carpenter confirmed Wednesday. Both Supervisor Carpenter and the entire Town Board knew Mr. Carney was not a resident to become Deputy Supervisor, it was bought out and Mr Carney had to resign, but Town Board refused to fire him.

Carney, who was paid \$101,717 in 2013 as the town's public safety commissioner, will remain in that post, Carpenter said.

Indicted for threatening residents looking for jobs in Islip public safety

# Islip Public Safety head John Carney convicted of coercion

April 26, 2017

THOMAS OWENS

Carney abused in his position of head of Islip Town's public safety department.

felony bribe-receiving charges, misdemeanor charges, misconduct, and five other coercion counts.

Job applicants "were coerced" into declining the jobs "by threats related to code violations," at their homes or homes of their parents

Mr. Carney was also Supervisor Carpenters private driver, when let go Commissioner of DPW Tom Owens became the driver.

TWN COMM PUB WKS/PKS, REC& C.A. UNCL DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, 2012-01-05 169,499.72 1



Ambulances charging--- Town Board broke the law on charging selective residents for ambulance service. Our own Senators Boyle and Weik voted to change that law Bill to charge residents for ambulance service, it has NOT passed as of now.

# Islip eyes busting the tax cap in proposed 2017 town budget

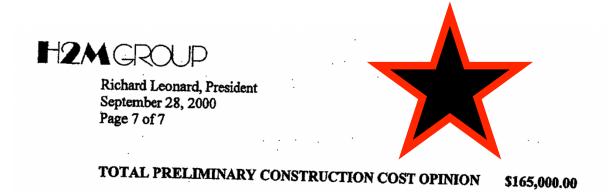
The budget also includes capital improvements to the Brentwood and Islip ambulance service providers to update facilities and infrastructure.

**December 11, 2016** 

At the public hearing on the capital budget, Flotteron said the capital budget helps the Exchange Ambulance of the Islips, whose aging building on Carleton Avenue needs extensive repairs.

"The building is not up to New York State building code," he said. "It's an unsafe building."

2000 to present East Islip Ambulance Exchange building left to rot, was refused structure updates



Yet their lease from Town of Islip for that building has been renewed yearly since!

### May 30, 2017

The population

grew and people using the ambulances more than doubled. This protects lives."

Town Supervisor Angie Carpenter said in a statement that the town has an obligation to keep the ambulance company's facilities updated.

"New York State law requires that lifesaving medications be stored in a secure, temperature-controlled environment. This new facility, which meets New York State guidelines, will include more bays where emergency response vehicles, fully equipped with lifesaving medications, will be ready for dispatch in a moment's notice, thereby increasing critical response time," she said.

Senate is trying to supersede a bill (law) that PROHIBITS EMS charging fees for their service

Municipal Law: Sec. 209-B

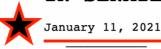
### STATE OF NEW YORK

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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

Not passed as of 7.1.21



CURRENT LAW: Fees and charges prohibited

New York General Municipal Law

Sec. 209-B

Section 184 Fire protection districts Town (TWN)

2011-2012: \$4856 2013-2014: \$3262 2015-2016: \$1914 2017-2018: \$363 2019-2020: \$1940, \$3685

### NY Senate tried six times to change the ambulance law and failed

Please see attached response to your FOIL Request.

Robert Stadelman, Vice-President Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips 190 Carleton Ave / PO BOX 1 East Islip, NY 11730

Office: 631-581-3151 EXT 108

Fax: 631-859-3614

Email: Robert.Stadelman@ExchangeAmbulance.org

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www.exchangeambulance.com

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Re: FOIL Request 6/17/2021

Date: 6/19/2021

In response to your FOIL Request dated 6/17/2021, please see below:

#### Meeting Held With Supervisor Carpenter:

A meeting was held with Town of Islip Supervisor Carpenter and Comptroller Ludwig in approximately February of 2019. The meeting indicated that the increase in costs of providing Emergency Medical Service (EMS) by the five EMS agencies in the town of Islip was exceeding the rate that the town could continue to increase funding. The five EMS agencies were directed to investigate billing insurance to cover some of these costs.

#### Start of Billing:

Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips commenced insurance billing in April 2020.

#### Use of Funds:

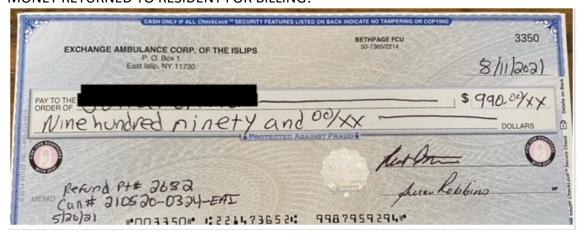
The funds that Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips collects from insurance billing are used exclusively to improve the operations and level of care provided by Exchange Ambulance to the community. Costs such as medical supplies, medical equipment, vehicles, and payroll of the paid staff that supplements our volunteers are partially funded through the funds received from billing.

#### Collections:

It should be noted that while Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips is billing health insurance providers for the treatment and transportation provided, we will **NEVER** send anyone to collections for inability to pay. The same level of care and transportation is provided to EVERY patient regardless of their ability to pay.

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### MONEY RETURNED TO RESIDENT FOR BILLING!

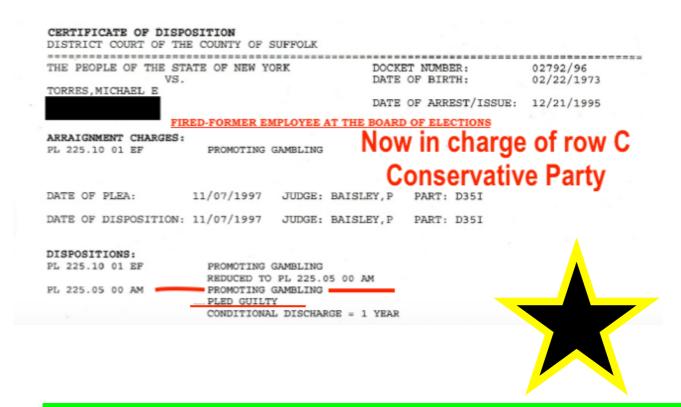


**Michael Torres** arrested for promoting gambling, plead guilty- failed to disclose it when hired for Islip Town, he was fired from the board of elections, now head of conservative party

Torres, the county Conservatives' first Hispanic chairman, worked previously for the county Board of Elections in a patronage job controlled by Republicans.

Torres was fired in 2015, but in a subsequent federal lawsuit he asserted he was dismissed because he refused to endorse a particular GOP judicial candidate. The case was dismissed in March, records show.

In 2017, Torres pleaded guilty to a noncriminal violation of disorderly conduct for failing to disclose on a 2013 Islip Town Board of Reassessment Review application that he had a prior misdemeanor conviction for promoting gambling.



WHEN CANDIDATES ARE CROSS ENDORSED THERE ALWAYS IS ARE DEAL/REASON IN THE WORKS, WHY IS IT CANDIDATES DO NOT AND SHOULD RUN ON THEIR OWN MERIT

**Recyclables**. Sidote. Felon, arrested for recycling scam, Carpenter had a secret contract with him, thousands missing, several law suits on Mr. Sidote

### August 25, 2009 Just type in this name and see for your self.

"Multiply millions of bottles and cans by 7 cents and it is plain to see beverage companies are paying millions of dollars more than they should in deposit fees," Spota said.

Both Luzzi, 60, of Bayside, and Grady, 44, of East Stroudsberg, Penn., were charged with second degree larceny, along with Peter Sidote, 53, of Dix Hills, owner of Party Time Beverage in Brentwood.

Party Time was the central Long Island broker in the scheme. Sidote would receive the already redeemed cans and bottles from BORO and then distribute them to other complicit dealers as a way to avoid detection from law enforcement.

Peter Sidote, 53, of Dix Hills, the owner and operator of Party Time Beverage in Brentwood, is suspected of being the central Long Island broker for the operation.

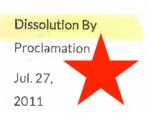
investigators recovered more than \$1 million in cash at the homes Sidote recruited other beverage distributors to deliver already redeemed bottles and cans to wholesalers for a cut of the profit.

### Supervisor Carpenter had a secret contract with this felon

Christopher Cacoperdo, a nonunion employee, has worked for the town since 2003 and was most recently a recycling collection unit manager with the Islip Resource Recovery

He would deliver the recyclables to Sidote, he was fired when this came out in which ALL TOWN BOARD WAS WELL AWARE OF, COUNCILMAN O'CONNOR ACTUALLY BOUGHT OUT PROOF OF MR. SIDOTES GUILT and now MR. CACCPERDO'S wife has been hired AT THE TOWN w/ benefits





The company was dissolved but was still using it for years.

Clemente Park. Now legislator Flotteron. Was right their when dirt was being dropped at Clemente Park (Newsday picture) DID NOTHING photo taken on August 27, 2013.



FORMER ISLIP COUNCILMAN FLOTTERON ALSO KNOWS ALL ABOUT THE FRAUD GOING ON AT 350 HIGBIE LANE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND TURNED HIS BACK TO THE TAX PAYERS!

Town Board- all do not work here, only on paper and show for town board meetings to say yes and be seen

Trish Bergin- Now real-estate agent (sells mostly for Greenview Properties as the owner Larry Gargano is now her boyfriend) local donor and developer

Kate Mullen- works full time in a Smithtown law firm

Jim O'Connor- owns his law firm and works full time as lawyer in Manhattan

John Cochrane- owns several businesses using his position to profit

OVER \$500,000 IN SALARY AND BENEFITS GONE IN 60 SECONDS YOUR MONEY!

**Islip Beach.** Was given to the town to be ONLY a family Beach NOW
Used hurricane Sandy funds illegal to build, selling so called alcohol, no license making people think they are getting it but they are not its flavored

Do you really know what you're drinking? Wine-based cocktails

USED BY ESTABLISHMENTS WITH ONLY A WINE LICENSE

CONSUMERS 'MISLED' BY WINE-BASED DRINKS

Bars, restaurants, hotels and coffee shops sell more drinks and improve

their profits by offering cocktail mixes and flavorings

Restaurants that purchase these products have free reign

to pass off wine-based liquor for consumer favorites with little-to-no disclosure requirements.

alcohol has content of 35 to 55 percent, the agave wine has a 17 percent alcohol content

On the other hand, it is only a matter of time before consumers realize the substantial differences between distilled and wine-based liquors. First, wine-based alternatives can hold between 18-38% less alcohol content than their traditional counterparts.

**No Bartender Needed.** Making a wine-based cocktail is easy and inexpensive to do. There is no special or expensive equipment to buy or complicated employee training required. Most wine-based products have cocktail recipes printed on the label. Recipe books available for most popular cocktails. In addition, recipes and even videos that show how easy it is to make a wine-base cocktail.

YOU STILL MUST BE 21 AND OLDER TO SERVE OR SELL



#### DIVISION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL

Andrew M. Cuomo, Governor Vincent G. Bradley, Chairman Greeley T. Ford, Commissioner

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### SERVING ALCOHOL WITH "NO LICENSE"



### Islip receives nearly \$1M in state grants for new animal shelter

By Valerie Baumanvalerie.bauman@newsday.com @valeriereports Updated March 23, 2018 2:04 PM

The Town of Islip received nearly \$1 million in state grants to help build a new animal shelter, lawmakers announced Friday.

The new 19,000-square-foot shelter will replace the town's existing 54-year-old facility in Bay Shore. Town officials said they expect to break ground on the effort this spring at a site adjacent to the town's Department of Public Works facility in Central Islip.

The project is projected to be complete by the end of 2019.

"We've worked diligently for this funding opportunity which will allow for the better care of companion shelter animals," Sen. Phil Boyle (R-Bay Shore) said in a statement. "After working with the Town of Islip for so many years on animal rights and safety and seeing their current facility in need of major improvements, it is gratifying to see these funds make their way to support the Town's efforts."

Boyle's office secured the first grant for \$500,000 through the New York State and Municipal Facilities Program Capital Funding.

A second grant for \$498,200 came from a newly created Companion Animal Capital Fund, part of a larger, \$5 million effort Gov. Andrew M. Cuomo announced last October to help animal shelters across the state upgrade their facilities and provide better care to animals.

The fund provides competitive matching grants to offset the costs of capital projects, and the money can be used to construct, renovate or acquire buildings where shelter animals are housed and cared for.

The total cost of the animal shelter will be \$5.5 million. The town board approved a \$4.6 million bond for the project in late 2017.

"It is very reassuring that the animals will receive quality care in a nurturing, state-of-theart environment, until they find their forever home," Town Supervisor Angie Carpenter said in a statement

### Construction of Islip's new \$9.1M animal shelter underway

By Carl MacGowancarl.macgowan@newsday.com @CarlMacGowan Updated July 22, 2020 9:00 PM

Islip Town's dogs and cats are getting a new home to help them find new homes.

The town is building a new \$9.1 million animal shelter in Central Islip to replace the current facility in Bay Shore that officials and residents have said is antiquated, with insufficient space for canines, kitties and humans.

Slated for completion next year, the new 14,500-square-foot shelter near Carleton Avenue will be about 32% larger than the Bay Shore shelter and feature more kennels for animals and new viewing areas for visitors.

The new shelter also will be accessible to disabled visitors, which the current one isn't. Construction of the new facility is partly financed by almost \$1 million in state grants, Carpenter said. The state funding includes \$500,000 in municipal facilities construction aid and \$498,000 from a state Department of Agriculture and Markets program to encourage animal shelter improvements.

Town resident cars towed- over 50 missing \$ unaccounted for @ 100 Carlton Ave, East Islip



Freedom of information request stated these cars did not exist. Could one be yours?

Central Islip Grant. 10 million grant is it dwindling, told the news you only got. 9.7 so 300,000 is missing

August 1st, 2019 – Governor Andrew M. Cuomo today announced seven transformational projects for Central Islip as part of the \$10 million Downtown Revitalization Initiative award.

### January 17, 2021 carl.macgowan@newsday.com

Two years ago, state officials awarded \$9.7 million for a variety of Central Islip projects, including sewers, street upgrades

\$300,000 missing!

IT WAS 10 MILLION,
ENTIRE REPORT WHEN GIVEN
IN NEWSDAY

Airport parking. Unaccounted \$\$ for over 5 years

Freedom of information request stated did not exist.

Former Islip Town Attorney Cicale. Arrested and fired breaking into homes stealing woman's underwear

A third sitting judge, Robert Cicale, wasn't scheduled to run this year for re-election because his term wasn't ending. But on April 1, Cicale resigned after being convicted on burglary charges. In his last election, Cicale was cross endorsed by the Republican, Conservative and Independence parties.



Planning Board Meeting October 13th, 2021

# Squeezed out: How high rents are driving away LI's millennials

"We are facing a major challenge to our economic health and competitiveness for the next bunch of years," said county Comptroller Jack Schnirman. "There is a risk that if we only get older and lose these young people, it will cause the tax base to decline. And everyone will lose in that scenario."

The problem is Island wide.

**Jackie Campbell**, who has operated a gift shop on Main Street for 10 years, said she does not know why people would want to live in a downtown that is filled mainly with restaurants and doctors or lawyers offices.

"Bay Shore is having more and more stores close, and I don't see anything to make more people come," Campbell, 74, said. "More stores would help."

**Juan Enriquez**, 38, said the new apartments will bring "chaos," including more traffic and crowding to area schools. Enriquez, of New York City, works in Bay Shore a few times a month for his job in real estate.

"I just don't see the benefit of it," Enriquez said.

# Locals celebrate opening of LGBT senior housing in Bay Shore

The complex has **75 apartments**, mostly one-bedroom units, that were filled on a lottery basis.



### TARGET TO LOOK LIKE?

# Luxury apartments poised to take over Touro College campus

According to the application, the proposed TRITEC building will have 5,000 square feet of commercial space and house 465 apartments, which will be a mix of sizes from studios to two-bedroom units and aims to attract a well-heeled population through luxury offerings and amenities. The proximity to the train station is also touted as a prime feature.

# Bay Shore set to transform with hundreds of rental apartments planned

**Developers envision construction of almost 600 rental apartments** — nearly double the existing amount — in the 0.3-square-mile area, which is now marked by vacant lots and abandoned buildings. In the past six years, builders have planned 17 downtown apartment projects in Bay Shore, a waterfront hamlet of about 26,300 residents along the Great South Bay in Islip Town.

## A rendering of Maple Avenue Lofts, a 90-unit apartment building planned for 11 Maple Ave. in Bay Shore. Credit: Greenview Properties

A local developer has started construction on two new apartment complexes in Bay Shore, one they are calling Eleven Maple at 11 Maple Avenue and another called North District Lofts at 57 Park Avenue.

Bay Shore-based Greenview Properties is developing both projects and will manage the buildings after they're completed.

According to company president Larry Gargano, who provided GreaterBayShore with details about the projects, the two buildings will add a total of 180 units to the downtown area.

Work at Eleven Maple has just started. The project is located on a 1.7-acre site and the four-story building will have 90 units with 18 studios, 45 one-bedrooms, and 27 two bedrooms.

### Gargano is dating at this time Councilwoman Bergin



### Questionable hires----cover ups?



### John Carneys fake girlfriend



Brett Robinson Official linked to 2014 Roberto
Clemente Park dumping scandal - The town fired
Robinson shortly after the investigation launched,
and he pleaded guilty,

-- He began working a roughly \$150,000-per-year job, as assistant deputy county executive, for Suffolk County Executive Edward P. Romaine last year, now lands seat on Islip planning board

## DID CONSERVATIVE BACKING ON THE BALLOT

### **BRING HIM BACK?**

PLANNING COMMISSIONERS — MEYERS -CRIMINAL HEIL---- questionable RECYCABLES VENDOR— PETE SIDOTE- CRIMINAL + many more, why

ISLIP IS A WONDERFUL TOWN, BUT SINCE 2015 WE'VE BEEN BULLIED, BUT BULLIED NO MORE!

### dates signed are pathetic for a contract for Jan-Dec

### **COMMUNITY AMBULANCE**

| COMMUNITY AMBULANCE<br>CO., INC<br>PO BOX 271<br>SAYVILLE, NY 11782        | 400.00 | 10-MAR-<br>16 | FRIENDS OF ANGIE<br>CARPENTER |
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| COMMUNITY AMUBULANCE<br>COMPANY<br>146 RAILROAD AVE.<br>SAYVILLE, NY 11782 | 600.00 | 17-SEP-<br>15 | FRIENDS OF ANGIE<br>CARPENTER |

### ILLEGAL

| COMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY<br>INC<br>146 RAILROAD AVE<br>SAYVILLE, NY 11782 | 450.00 | 06-OCT-<br>16 | FRIENDS OF TOM CROCI |
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### The Restriction of Political Campaign Intervention by Section 501(c)(3) Tax-Exempt Organizations

Under the Internal Revenue Code, all section 501(c)(3) organizations are absolutely prohibited from directly or indirectly participating in, or intervening in, any political campaign on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for elective public office. Contributions to political campaign funds or public statements of position (verbal or written) made on behalf of the organization in favor of or in opposition to any candidate for public office clearly violate the prohibition against political campaign activity. Violating this prohibition may result in denial or revocation of tax-exempt status and the imposition of certain excise taxes

# Sayville's Community Ambulance Company opens at \$7.3M site



People gather for the grand opening of Community Ambulance Company in Sayville on Oct. 26, 2014. Credit: James Carbone

By SARAH ARMAGHANsarah.armaghan@newsday.com @ArmaghanS Updated October 26, 2014 7:42 PM

The Community Ambulance Company in Sayville opened its doors Sunday morning as a crowd watched seven emergency vehicles glide down Lakeland Avenue and into their parking bays at the **new \$7.3 million site.** 

For the past six decades, the ambulance company operated out of a 3,800-square-foot building on Swayze Street that only had two ambulance bays, forcing officials to park some vehicles at Long Island MacArthur Airport and the Bohemia Fire Department. Now, the 22,000-square-foot facility easily fits each truck on the ground floor of the two-story building.

The Community Ambulance Company purchased the land for about \$300,000 from the Town of Islip in 2012, (CROCI FIRST YEAR IN OFFICE) according to MacDonnell. The town was forced to raise taxes that year in the Sayville Ambulance District in order to fund the project, making yearly tax payments increase to about \$110 from \$73 per average household, a nearly 50 percent jump, he said.

ISLIP COUNCILMAN COCHRANCE VOTED YES, CONFLICT OF INTEREST, HE HAS A BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP!





Town of Islip ambulances were instructed by Islip Supervisor and Islip Town Comptroller to start charging Residents!

Islip Supervisor states she can no longer afford to supply EMS with their proper needs to save lives!

Please see attached response to your FOIL Request.

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## EXCHANGE AMBULANCE CORPORATION OF THE ISLIPS

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS** 

VOLUNTEERS SINCE 1951
PO BOX 1, EAST ISLIP, NEW YORK 11730
www.exchangeambulance.com

Re: FOIL Request 6/17/2021

Date: 6/19/2021

In response to your FOIL Request dated 6/17/2021, please see below:

#### Meeting Held With Supervisor Carpenter:

A meeting was held with Town of Islip Supervisor Carpenter and Comptroller Ludwig in approximately February of 2019. The meeting indicated that the increase in costs of providing Emergency Medical Service (EMS) by the five EMS agencies in the town of Islip was exceeding the rate that the town could continue to increase funding. The five EMS agencies were directed to investigate billing insurance to cover some of these costs.

#### Start of Billing:

Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips commenced insurance billing in April 2020.

#### Use of Funds:

The funds that Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips collects from insurance billing are used exclusively to improve the operations and level of care provided by Exchange Ambulance to the community. Costs such as medical supplies, medical equipment, vehicles, and payroll of the paid staff that supplements our volunteers are partially funded through the funds received from billing.

#### Collections:

It should be noted that while Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips is billing health insurance providers for the treatment and transportation provided, we will <u>NEVER</u> send anyone to collections for inability to pay. The same level of care and transportation is provided to EVERY patient regardless of their ability to pay.

### WE PAY TAXES FOR THIS SERVICE!!!

| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS                                   | 1.3<br>5.4<br>0.4<br>0.6        | 2007   | 34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600           | 0.2680<br>1.1130<br>0.0870<br>0.1300           | 63.4%<br>2.0%<br>7.4%<br>6.5%            | 92.73<br>385.10<br>30.10<br>44.98           |
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| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS                                   | 1.9<br>5.1<br>0.4<br>0.7        | 2009   | 34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600           | 0.4300<br>1.1530<br>0.0950<br>0.1470           | 13.7%<br>0.0%<br>5.5%<br>8.0%            | 148.78<br>398.94<br>32.87<br>50.86          |
|   |                                 |        |  |  |  | <mark>50.86</mark>                          |
| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW OUT OF COUNTY TUITION EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS             | 3.4<br>0.2<br>4.6<br>0.3<br>0.7 | 2015   | 34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600 | 0.9070<br>0.0600<br>1.2460<br>0.0780<br>0.1810 | 41.4%<br>-1.6%<br>0.7%<br>-4.8%<br>5.8%  | 313.82<br>20.76<br>431.12<br>26.99<br>62.63 |
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| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW OUT OF COUNTY TUITION EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS             | 2.6<br>0.2<br>4.8<br>0.3<br>0.7 | 2016   | 34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600 | 0.6840<br>0.0610<br>1.2580<br>0.0710<br>0.1860 | -24.5%<br>1.6%<br>0.9%<br>-8.9%<br>2.7%  | 236.66<br>21.11<br>435.27<br>24.57<br>64.36 |
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| SA41 SA04 EXC. AMB. OF  | F THE I                         | SLIPS  | +26.34   | 34600  | .2350                                    | 81.31                                       |
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| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW<br>OUT OF COUNTY TUITION<br>EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT<br>STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT<br>EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS | 1.0<br>0.4<br>7.8<br>0.4<br>1.8 | 2019   | 27,680<br>27,680<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600 | 0.2080<br>0.0740<br>1.3230<br>0.0730<br>0.3110 | 1.9%<br>-1.3%<br>2.2%<br>0.0%            | 57.57<br>20.48<br>457.76<br>25.26<br>107.61 |
|   |                                 |        |  |  |  | <mark>107.61</mark>                         |
| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW<br>OUT OF COUNTY TUITION<br>EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT<br>STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT<br>EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS | 1.5<br>0.3<br>7.7<br>0.4<br>1.8 | 2020   | 27,680<br>27,680<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600 | 0.3280<br>0.0670<br>1.3300<br>0.0690<br>0.3090 | 57.6%<br>-9.4%<br>0.5%<br>-5.4%<br>-0.6% | 90.79<br>18.55<br>460.18<br>23.87<br>106.91 |
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### CURRENT LAW: Fees and charges prohibited

### New York General Municipal Law Sec. 209-B Emergency Rescue and First Aid Squads

**1.** Emergencies.

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The authorities having control of fire departments and fire companies may organize within such departments or companies emergency rescue and first aid squads composed of firemen who are members of such departments or companies. Such squads, so organized, may render services in case of accidents, calamities or other emergencies in connection with which their services may be required, as well as in case of alarms of fire. Whether or not such squads have been organized, any fireman may render service in case of accidents, calamities or other emergencies in connection with which the services of firemen may be required, as well as in case of alarms of fire, unless he shall have been duly ordered not to render such service by the authorities having control of the fire department or company of which he is a member. If a request for emergency service is made by, or originates from a doctor or peace officer, acting pursuant to his special duties, or police officer, and there is any doubt as to whether an emergency exists, the judgment of the doctor or officer that there is, in fact, an emergency may be accepted as conclusive by such squad, or the fireman responding, or who has responded to such call. The person designated to receive calls for such emergency services, for the purpose of dispatching such squads or firemen, shall determine in the first instance from the information furnished to him whether an emergency exists and his decision, if in good faith, as to whether or not there is an emergency shall be final in relation to dispatching such squads or firemen. Any such preliminary determination shall not be deemed to authorize the rendition of services if, upon arriving at the place to which dispatched, it is found that there is no emergency.

The governing board of any city, town, village or fire district which has a fire department but which has not authorized such fire department to render emergency ambulance service, may contract for the furnishing to it of emergency ambulance service with another city, town, village or fire district which has in its fire department an emergency rescue and first aid squad duly authorized to render emergency ambulance service. Before any contract to furnish emergency ambulance service is entered into, the consents of the fire department, the fire company and the emergency rescue and first aid squad to furnish such emergency ambulance service shall be obtained. Each consent shall be evidenced by a copy of a resolution certified respectively by the secretary of the fire department and fire company and by the officer then in command of the emergency rescue and first aid squad.

General ambulance service.

The governing board of any city, town which has a fire department, village or fire district which has in its fire department an emergency rescue and first aid squad composed mainly of volunteer firefighters, by resolution, may authorize any such squad to furnish general ambulance service for the purpose of (1) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident or person found within the city, town, village or fire district to a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place for treatment and care and returning any such person therefrom if still sick, injured or disabled and (2) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident of the city, town, village or fire district from a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or

other place where such person has received treatment and care to any other place for treatment and care or to such person's home whether such hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care is within or without the city, town, village or fire district or the territory listed on the ambulance service certificate or certificate of registration as the usual territory within which the ambulance service operates.

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The town board of a town which does not have a fire department but in which there is a fire corporation located outside any village, fire district, fire alarm district or fire protection district, by resolution, may authorize the emergency rescue and first aid squad of such fire corporation to furnish general ambulance service for the purpose of (1) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident or person found within the area described in the certificate of incorporation of the fire corporation to a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place for treatment and care and returning any such person therefrom if still sick, injured or disabled and (2) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident of such described area from a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care to any other place for treatment and care or to such person's home whether such hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care is within or without the area described in the certificate of incorporation of such fire corporation or the territory listed on the ambulance service certificate or certificate of registration as the usual territory within which the ambulance service operates.

The governing board of a city, village or fire district which by law is authorized to contract to have fire protection furnished for any district or area thereof by the fire department or fire company of another city, town, village or fire district, or a town board on behalf of a fire protection district or fire alarm district, may include in any fire protection contract a provision for the furnishing of general ambulance service by the emergency rescue and first aid squad of the fire department or fire company which furnishes such fire protection. Such general ambulance service shall be for the purpose of (1) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident or person found within the contract district or area to a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place for treatment and care and returning any such person therefrom if still sick, injured or disabled and (2) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident of such contract district or area from a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care to any other place for treatment and care or to such person's home whether such hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care is within or without the contract district or area or the territory listed on the ambulance service certificate or certificate of registration as the usual territory within which the ambulance service operates. The city, town, village, fire district or the fire department or fire company thereof which is authorized to furnish such fire protection pursuant to contract shall have power to contract to furnish such general ambulance service.

Before any authorization is granted under paragraphs a and b of this subdivision, or before any contract to furnish general ambulance service is entered into pursuant to paragraph c of this subdivision, and before any public hearing is conducted as herein provided, the consents of the fire department, the fire company and the emergency rescue and first aid squad to furnish the general ambulance service shall be obtained. <u>Each consent shall be evidenced by a copy of a resolution certified, respectively, by the secretary of the fire department and fire company and by the officer then in command of the emergency rescue and first aid squad.</u>

Before authorizing general ambulance service under paragraphs a and b of this subdivision the governing board of a city, town, village or fire district shall conduct a public hearing. Before the governing board of a city, town, village or fire district enters into a contract for fire protection which contract, for the first time for a specific district or area, provides for the furnishing of general ambulance service pursuant to paragraph c of this subdivision, it shall conduct a public hearing in the manner required by law, if any, for the entering into of a fire protection contract therefor, but if a public

hearing is not required in any such case, then the public hearing shall be held as herein provided and the procedure for publishing notice under this paragraph shall be applicable. Notice of such hearing shall be published at least once in a newspaper or newspapers having general circulation in the city, town, village or fire district, or, in the case of contracts, in the fire alarm district, fire protection district, or other contract area. In all cases the notice of hearing shall, in general terms, (1) describe the general ambulance service which is proposed to be furnished.

(2) describe the area to be served,

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- (3) state the names of the fire department, fire companies and emergency rescue and first aid squad affected,
- (4) state the time and place within the city, town, village or fire district, or, in the case of contracts, the fire alarm district, fire protection district, or other contract area, where such hearing will be held and
- (5) state that all persons residing within the area to be served, all persons, firms and corporations owning real property within the area to be served, and all persons, firms and corporations whose business interests or employment would either be benefited or adversely affected, whether or not a resident or owner of real property within the area to be served, shall have the right to be heard in person or by representative at the public hearing. Such notice shall be published at least ten days prior to the date fixed for the hearing.
- After the hearing and after considering the statements made at the hearing the governing board shall determine whether authorizing the furnishing of general ambulance service, or the entering into of a contract for general ambulance service, is in the public interest. If the governing board determines that it is in the public interest to authorize the furnishing of general ambulance service, or to enter into a contract for general ambulance service, it shall adopt the resolution authorizing the same and within ten days thereafter cause a certified copy of the resolution and the determination on which it is based to be filed in the office of the clerk of the county or counties in which the city, town, village or fire district is located. The consents required by paragraph d of this subdivision shall be filed with such resolution and determination.
- The determination of the governing board in relation to the furnishing of general ambulance service shall be subject to review in the manner provided in article seventy-eight of the civil practice law and rules provided that application has been made therefor within thirty days from the date of the filing thereof. Such determination shall become final and conclusive and the resolution shall become effective at the expiration of such thirty days or, if application for review be made, upon the final determination thereof.
- When general ambulance service is authorized pursuant to this subdivision, the emergency rescue and first aid squad shall answer all calls and demands for such service to be furnished to sick, injured or disabled persons entitled thereto, subject to such rules and regulations as shall be prescribed by authorities having control of such squad, and subject at all times to the emergency needs of the fire department and any limitations upon such service specified in a fire protection contract. Such rules and regulations may establish limitations on the distances which may be traveled outside the area to be served in order to reach hospitals, clinics, sanatoriums or other places where care and treatment is to be or has been furnished.
- Any action taken pursuant to this subdivision may be rescinded by resolution of the governing board which has taken such action. The term "resolution", as used in this subdivision two, means resolution, ordinance, act or local law.

- j. The provisions of this subdivision two shall apply to all cities, towns, villages and fire districts, except where the provisions of a general or special law expressly prohibit the rendition of general ambulance service by an emergency rescue and first aid squad of the fire department thereof.
  - Transportation of persons. Squads and persons authorized to render service pursuant to this section shall transport sick, injured or disabled persons only in vehicles owned by or under the control of a city, town, village, fire district, a fire department or a fire company unless ordered or permitted to transport such persons in other vehicles by the authorities having control of the fire department or fire company of which he is a member. 3-a. Mutual aid.
  - The governing board of any city, town which has a fire department, village or fire district which has in its fire department an emergency rescue and first aid squad composed mainly of volunteer firefighters, may, by resolution authorize any such squad to enter into one or more mutual aid agreements as defined in subdivision twenty of section three thousand one of the public health law, and/or to contract with ambulance services as defined in subdivisions two and three of section three thousand one of the public health law to provide services when the emergency rescue and first aid squad is unavailable.
  - The town board of a town which does not have a fire department but in which there is a fire corporation located outside any village, fire district, fire alarm district or fire protection district may, by resolution, authorize the emergency rescue and first aid squad of such fire corporation to enter into one or more mutual aid agreements as defined in subdivision twenty of section three thousand one of the public health law, and/or to contract with ambulance services as defined in subdivisions two and three of section three thousand one of the public health law to provide services when the emergency rescue and first aid squad is unavailable.
    - Fees and charges prohibited. Emergency and general ambulance service authorized pursuant to this section shall be <u>furnished without cost to the person served</u>. The acceptance by any fireman of any personal remuneration or gratuity, directly or indirectly, from a person served shall be a ground for his expulsion or suspension as a member of the fire department or fire company.
  - The term "emergency", as used in this chapter, or in any other law of general application, in relation to the operations of fire departments, includes, unless a contrary intent is clearly expressed or indicated, the search for persons and the search for, and attempts to recover or the recovery of, bodies of persons even though it is possible or is known that all hope of life is gone.

### **CURRENT TOWN LAW:**

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- 1. Whenever the town board shall have established or extended a fire protection district pursuant to the provisions of this article, the town board shall provide for the furnishing of fire protection within the district and for that purpose may
- (a) contract with any city, village, fire district or incorporated fire company maintaining adequate and suitable apparatus and appliances for the furnishing of fire protection in such district or
- (b) may acquire by gift or purchase such apparatus and appliances for use in such district and may contract with any city, village, fire district or incorporated fire company for operation, maintenance, and repair of the same and for the furnishing of fire protection in such district, or both. The contract may also provide for the furnishing of
- (1) emergency service in case of accidents, calamities or other emergencies in connection with which the services of firefighters would be required and
- (2) general ambulance service subject, however, to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general municipal law. In the event that the fire department or fire company furnishing fire protection within the district pursuant to contract does not maintain and operate an ambulance then a separate contract may be made for the furnishing within the district of emergency ambulance service or general ambulance service, or both, with any city, village or fire district the fire department of which, or with an incorporated fire company having its headquarters outside the district which, maintains and operates an ambulance subject, however, in the case of general ambulance service, to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general municipal law, or with an ambulance service, certified or registered pursuant to article thirty of the public health law, which is not organized under the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general municipal law. Any such contract with any such ambulance service permitted herein shall be subject to the provisions of this section.
- 1-a. (a) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this subdivision, prior to commencing the negotiation process for such contract with an incorporated fire company, the incorporated fire company shall file with the town board a statement itemizing the estimated costs of the incorporated fire company attributable to the provision of services under the prospective contract. The estimated costs attributable to the provision of services under the prospective contract itemized in the statement shall include, at a minimum, those, if any, for: supplies; materials; operation, maintenance and repair of equipment and

apparatus; insurance; training; protective clothing, gear and other personnel costs; building rental, maintenance and operation; and a specified proportionate share of capital costs. If the fire company is required to prepare any of the following documents, copies shall be included with the statement:

- (1) the fire company's most recent annual report of directors pursuant to section five hundred nineteen of the not-for-profit corporation law;
- (2) the fire company's most recent verified certificate pursuant to subdivision (f) of section fourteen hundred two of the not-for-profit corporation law;
  - (3) the fire company's most recent internal revenue service form 990; and
- (4) the fire company's most recent annual report pursuant to section thirty-a of the general municipal law.
- (b) The provisions of paragraph (a) of this subdivision shall not apply to the renewal of a contract when the contract is deemed renewed in accordance with subdivision four of this section. Upon good cause shown, the town board may, by resolution, waive in whole or in part the requirement that the fire company file the statement, and copies of documents, required by paragraph (a) of this subdivision.
- 2. The contract shall not be entered into until a public hearing has been held by the town board. Notice of the hearing shall be published at least once in at least one newspaper having general circulation in the district. The notice shall specify the time when and place where the hearing will be held, and describe in general terms the proposed contract. The first publication shall be at least ten days prior to the day specified for the hearing. Before any contract to furnish general ambulance service by an ambulance service is entered into pursuant to this section, and before any public hearing is conducted as herein provided, the consent of such ambulance service to furnish general ambulance sevice shall be obtained. Such consent shall be evidenced by a copy of a resolution certified by the secretary of a voluntary ambulance service or the chief executive officer of a professional ambulance service.
  - 3. Except as provided in subdivision four of this section, the term of the

contract shall be for a definite period of time, but in no event shall the term exceed five years. The contract year or years in all such contracts entered into after the year nineteen hundred sixty shall terminate on December thirty-first.

- 4. Instead of being for a definite term as provided in subdivision three, the contract may be for an original term of one calendar year or less and provide that it shall be deemed renewed on the same basis each year thereafter for a further term of one full calendar year without any further public hearing unless one of the contracting parties shall notify the other in writing on or before the twentieth day of August that it elects to terminate the contract on December thirty-first in that year. The term of any such contract, including renewals, shall not exceed five years, but the contract may provide that there shall be less than four such renewals. If the city, village or fire district, fire department or fire company which is to furnish the service under such a contract is not a fully paid department or company, the city, village or fire district governing board, upon the request of the department or company, shall terminate the contract as provided in this subdivision. Any such contract may provide that in the month of July of each year in which such a renewal could occur the town clerk of the town in which the fire protection district or the major portion thereof is located shall notify the secretary of the fire department, fire company or ambulance service which is to furnish the service under the contract that the contract shall be deemed renewed on the same basis for a further full term of one calendar year unless one of the contracting parties shall notify the other in writing on or before the twentieth day of August that it elects to terminate the contract on December thirty-first in such year.
- 5. The contract shall specify a definite sum to be paid each year for all of the services to be rendered thereunder.
- 6. The amount which is to be paid each year pursuant to any contract entered into pursuant to the provisions of this section, together with all other expenses necessarily incurred or occasioned by reason of the establishment or extension of the fire protection district, shall be assessed and levied upon the taxable property in the district and collected in the same manner, at the same time and by the same officers as town taxes are assessed, levied and collected and, when collected, the amount thereof shall be paid to the supervisor of the town. The supervisor shall pay to the city, village, fire

district, incorporated fire company or *ambulance service furnishing such* service the amount to be paid each year for the service in one sum or in installments as the contract may provide.

- 7. If a fire protection district shall be situated partly in each of two or more towns any action which would be taken by the town board in the case of a district situated in only one town shall be taken by the town boards of the several towns acting jointly by a majority vote of the members of each of such town boards, and the notice of public hearing required by this section shall be given by the town clerks of the several towns acting jointly.
- 8. By mutual consent of the contracting parties, and after a public hearing held pursuant to notice in the manner aforesaid, any such contract heretofore or hereafter executed may be
- (1) amended,
- (2) terminated, or
- (3) terminated and a new contract may be entered into in lieu thereof, if the town board, after such hearing, shall determine, by resolution, that it is in the public interest so to do. Such notice shall state in general terms the reason why any existing contract is to be amended or terminated, and if a new contract is to be entered into the notice shall also describe the new contract in general terms.
- 9. The term "fire protection," as used in this section, includes inspections of buildings and properties in the fire protection district for the purposes specified in and as authorized by sections eight hundred seven-a and eight hundred seven-b of the education law, subdivision four of section three hundred three of the multiple residence law, and section one hundred eightynine of the town law.
- 10. The provisions of this section shall not be deemed to have amended subdivision two of section two hundred nine-b or section two hundred nine-d of the general municipal law, or any other general, special or local law requiring the consent of a fire department, fire company or an emergency rescue and first aid squad to the entering into of a contract for services to be performed by such department, company or squad.

## NY Senate trying to amend these laws now with:

authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services

## See Below it has been tried many times and FAILED STATE OF NEW YORK 1914

2015-2016 Regular Sessions IN SENATE January 15, 2015

Introduced by Sens. LITTLE, CARLUCCI, VALESKY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Local Government

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law and the town law, in relation

to authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services

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#### IN SENATE

#### January 4, 2017

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AN ACT to amend the general municipal law and the town law, in relation to authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services; and to amend the insurance law, in relation to payments to prehospital emergency medical services providers 7AYE ONAY

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referred to the Committee on Local Governments -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee -- recommitted to the Committee on Local Governments in accordance with Assembly Rule 3, sec. 2 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law and the town law, in relation to authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services; and to amend the insurance law, in relation to payments to prehospital emergency medical services

providers **NO VOTES** 

#### STATE OF NEW YORK

1940 2019-2020 Regular Sessions

#### IN SENATE

January 17, 2019

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#### STATE OF NEW YORK

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2019-2020 Regular Sessions

#### IN SENATE

#### February 12, 2019

Introduced by Sens. BROOKS, LITTLE, FUNKE, GALLIVAN, HARCKHAM, THOMAS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Local Government -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said commit- tee -- reported favorably from said committee, ordered to first and second report, ordered to a third reading, amended and ordered reprinted, retaining its place in the order of third reading

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law and the town law, in relation

#### STATE OF NEW YORK

1286 2021-2022 Regular Sessions

#### IN SENATE

January 11, 2021

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KAPLAN, THOMAS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be

committed to the Committee on Local Government

AN ACT to amend the general municipal law and the town law, in relation to authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services

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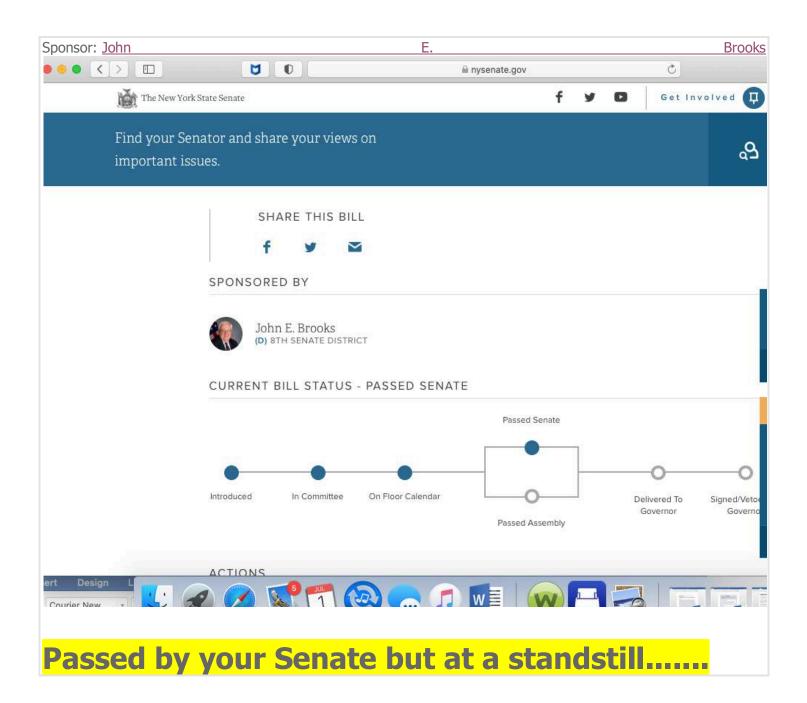
<u>Provides that authorities having control of a fire department or fire company which</u> <u>provides emergency medical services may establish fees and charges for services</u>

March 16, 2021 | Passed Senate

AND YES OUR OWN SENATORS PHIL BOYLE AND ALEXIS WIEK

VOTED FOR THIS, IT HAS NOT YET PASSED

AS OF AUGUST 15,2021



## **Versions** Introduced in Other Legislative Sessions: not passed

2011-2012: <u>\$4856</u> 2013-2014: <u>\$3262</u> 2015-2016: <u>\$1914</u>

2017-2018: <u>S363</u>

2019-2020: <u>\$1940</u>, <u>\$3685</u>

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AN ACT to amend the general municipal law and the town law, in relation to authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Subdivision 4 of section 209-b of the general municipal 2 law, as amended by chapter 476 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read 3 as follows:

- 4. Fees and charges [prohibited] authorized. (a) Emergency and general ambulance service, including emergency medical service as defined in section three thousand one of the public health law, authorized pursuant
- 7 to this section [shall] may be furnished without cost to the person 8 served; provided, however, that the authorities having control of a fire
- 9 <u>department or fire company that have authorized such fire department or</u>
  10 <u>fire company to provide such service or services may fix a schedule of</u>
- 11 fees or charges to be paid by persons requesting such service or
- 12 services. The authorities having control of a fire department or fire
- 13 company may provide for the collection of fees and charges or may formu-
- 14 late rules and regulations for the collection thereof by the fire
- 15 department or fire company. When fees and charges are authorized pursu-
- 16 ant to this subdivision, the fees and charges collected shall be
- 17 disbursed in accordance with a written contract entered into between the
- 18 authority having control of a fire department of fire company and the
- 19 fire department or fire company itself. The acceptance by any fire-
- 20 fighter of any personal remuneration or gratuity, directly or indirect-
- 21 ly, from a person served shall be a ground for his or her expulsion or
- 22 suspension as a member of the fire department or fire company.
- 23 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (a) of this subdivi-
- 24 sion, a basic life support service which establishes a schedule of fees

EXPLANATION--Matter in <u>italics</u> (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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for service shall enter into a contract with a provider or providers of advanced life support services to provide such advanced life support services. Such contract shall at a minimum establish the fees for advanced life support services and the means by which said provider will be reimbursed when the ambulance service bills for emergency medical service.

- (c) An emergency and general ambulance service, including emergency medical service as defined by this section which does not establish a schedule of fees for service, requesting an Advanced Life Support (ALS) intercept from another furnishing service in an area that is designated as a rural area by any law or regulation of the state or that is located in a rural census tract of a metropolitan statistical area (as determined under the most recent Goldsmith Modification) shall be subject to payment of an ALS Rural Intercept Fee to such furnishing service at rates negotiated between the providers of such services. In the absence of any agreed upon rates, the service receiving such intercept shall pay for such services at the usual and customary rate, which shall not be excessive or unreasonable. Nothing in this section shall restrict any ambulance providers from establishing mutually agreeable alternate fees for services provided to and/or for each respective ambulance service.
- § 2. Paragraph (e) of subdivision 1 of section 122-b of the general municipal law, as amended by chapter 303 of the laws of 1980, is amended to read as follows:
- (e) [No] A contract [shall] may be entered into pursuant to the provisions of this section for the services of an emergency rescue and first aid squad of a fire department or fire company which is subject to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of [the general municipal law] this chapter;
- § 3. Subdivision 1 of section 184 of the town law, as amended by chapter 599 of the laws of 1994, is amended to read as follows:
- 31 1. Whenever the town board shall have established or extended a fire 32 protection district pursuant to the provisions of this article, the town 33 board shall provide for the furnishing of fire protection within the district and for that purpose may (a) contract with any city, village, 34 fire district or incorporated fire company maintaining adequate and 35 suitable apparatus and appliances for the furnishing of fire protection 36 37 in such district or (b) may acquire by gift or purchase such apparatus 38 and appliances for use in such district and may contract with any city, village, fire district or incorporated fire company for operation, main-39 tenance, and repair of the same and for the furnishing of fire 40 41 protection in such district, or both. The contract may also provide for the furnishing of (1) emergency service in case of accidents, calamities 42 or other emergencies in connection with which the services of firefight-43 44 ers would be required and (2) general ambulance service subject, howev-45 er, to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general 46 municipal law. In the event that the fire department or fire company 47 furnishing fire protection within the district pursuant to contract does 48 not maintain and operate an ambulance then a separate contract may be 49 made for the furnishing within the district of emergency ambulance service or general ambulance service, or both, with any city, village or 50 fire district the fire department of which, or with an incorporated fire 51 52 company having its headquarters outside the district which, maintains 53 and operates an ambulance subject, however, in the case of general ambu-54 lance service, to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general municipal law, or with an ambulance service, certified or regis-55 tered pursuant to article thirty of the public health law[ - which is not

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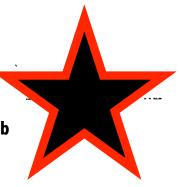
- 2 **general municipal law**]. Any such contract with any such ambulance
- 3 service permitted herein shall be subject to the provisions of this
- 4 section.
- 5 § 4. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall 6 have become a law.

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S1286 (ACTIVE) - SUMMARY

Provides that authorities having control of a fire department or fire company which provides emergency medical services may establish fees and charges for services.

**ALL FAILED, SIMILAR BILLS** 

S1286 (ACTIVE) - SPONSOR MEMO

BILL NUMBER: \$1286

SPONSOR: BROOKS

TITLE OF BILL:

An act to amend the general municipal law and the town law, in relation to authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services

PURPOSE:

The purpose to allow fire departments the option to recover costs when providing emergency medical services.

SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS:

Section 1. this bill amends subdivision 4 of section 209-b of the General Municipal Law to remove the prohibition on a fire department's ability to recover costs for emergency medical services. Further, this section provides language to ensure that advanced life support services are compensated for services rendered.

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S1286 (ACTIVE) - DETAILS

Law Section:

**General Municipal Law** 

Laws Affected:

Amd §§209-b & 122-b, Gen Muni L; amd §184, Town L

#### S01286 Summary:

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#### TOWN CLERK

PUBLIC HEARING 655 Main Street Islip, NY 11751

February 9, 2021 2:00pm

- To consider amending the Town of Islip Uniform Traffic Code as follows: Schedule G Stop and Yield Schedule L Town Parking Lots Schedule J Parking, Stopping and Standing
- 2. To consider a new contract with the Bay Shore Fire District for the year 2021 to provide fire protection for the Bay Shore Fire Protection District.
- 3. To enter into an agreement with Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service, Inc. to provide ambulance services to the Brentwood Legion Ambulance District.
- 4. To consider entering into a contract with Community Ambulance Company to provide ambulance services for the Sayville Ambulance District.
- 5. To enter into an agreement with Exchange Ambulance Corporation of the Islips to provide ambulance services to the Exchange Corporation Ambulance District.
- 6. To consider entering into an agreement with the Bay Shore/ Brightwaters Ambulance Company to provide ambulance services to the Bay Shore Brightwaters District.
- 7. To enter into a contract with the Central Islip-Hauppauge Ambulance District for the year 2021 to provide emergency ambulance services within the District.

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# TOWN OF ISLIP STATE OF NEW YORK TOWN BOARD REGULAR MEETING

#### DISCUSSION AGENDA AND PUBLIC HEARINGS

February 9, 2021 – 2:00 p.m. 655 Main Street Islip, New York (Held via Zoom Webinar)

#### APPEARANCES:

SUPERVISOR ANGIE M. CARPENTER

COUNCILMAN JOHN C. COCHRANE, JR.

COUNCILWOMAN TRISH BERGIN

COUNCILWOMAN MARY KATE MULLEN

COUNCILMAN JAMES P. O'CONNOR

TOWN CLERK OLGA H. MURRAY

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ASSISTANT TOWN ATTORNEY TARYN JEWELL

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TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Hearing number 2 is TO CONSIDER A NEW CONTRACT WITH THE BAY SHORE FIRE DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR 2021 TO PROVIDE FIRE PROTECTION FOR THE BAY SHORE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Are there any questions on this? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

**COUNCILWOMAN MULLEN:** I make a motion to close the Public Hearing and adopt the contract.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Motion by Councilwoman Mullen. Do we have a second?

COUNCILWOMAN BERGIN: Second.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Second by Councilwoman Bergin. All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Opposed?

**Cochran insures them** 

COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.: Recused.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: We have four in favor, one recusal. The motion is approved.

TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Item number 3 is TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BRENTWOOD LEGION AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC., TO PROVIDE AMBULANCE SERVICES TO THE BRENTWOOD LEGION AMBULANCE DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Are there any questions on this hearing? (There was no response.) I will make that motion. Do we have a second?

COUNCILMAN O'CONNOR: Second.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Second by Councilman O'Connor. All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Opposed?

COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.: Recused.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: We have four in favor, one recusal. The motion is adopted.

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TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Item number 4 is TO CONSIDER ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT WITH COMMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY TO PROVIDE AMBULANCE SERVICES FOR THE SAYVILLE AMBULANCE DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Are there any question on this hearing? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

**COUNCILWOMAN BERGIN**: I make the motion to adopt the resolution and close the Public Hearing.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Motion by Councilwoman Bergin. Do we have a second?

COUNCILWOMAN MULLEN: Second.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Second by Councilwoman Mullen. All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Opposed?

COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.: Recused.



**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** We have four in favor, one recusal. It is approved.

**Cochran insures them** 

TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Item number 5 is TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH EXCHANGE AMBULANCE CORPORATION OF THE ISLIPS TO PROVIDE AMBULANCE SERVICES TO THE EXCHANGE CORPORATION AMBULANCE DISTRICT.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Are there any questions? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.: Motion to close the hearing and approve the resolution.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Motion by Councilman Cochrane. Do we have a second? -

COUNCILMAN O'CONNOR: Second.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Second by Councilman O'Connor. All those in favor?

> **Cochran insures them, guess** there are so many he forgets, right!

ALL: Aye.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Opposed?

(There was no response.) It is approved.

TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Number 6 is TO CONSIDER ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BAY SHORE/BRIGHTWATERS AMBULANCE AMBULANCE \_ SERVICES TO THE BAY PROVIDE COMPANY TO SHORE/BRIGHTWATERS DISTRICT.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Are there any questions? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

**COUNCILWOMAN BERGIN:** I will make a motion to close the Public Hearing and adopt the resolution.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Motion by Councilwoman Bergin. Do we have a second?

COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.: Second.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Second by Councilman Cochrane.

All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Opposed? (There was no response.) It is approved.

TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Item number 7 is TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE CENTRAL ISLIP-HAUPPAUGE AMBULANCE DISTRICT FOR 2021 TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICES WITHIN THE DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Any questions? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

**COUNCILWOMAN MULLEN**: I make a motion to close the Public Hearing and enter into a contract.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Motion by Councilwoman Mullen. Do we have a second?

COUNCILMAN O'CONNOR: I will second it.

Cochran insures them forgot another one!

## **SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Second by Councilman O'Connor. All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Opposed? (There was no response.) It is approved. That takes care of the Public Hearings.

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#### **TOWN CLERK**

PUBLIC HEARING 655 Main Street Islip, NY 11751

June 15, 2021 2:00pm

1. To consider amending the Town of Islip Traffic Code as follows:

Schedule G Stop and Yield Intersections

Broadway Avenue at Leona Street (HBK)

Schedule J Parking, Stopping and Standing Regulations

Esther Avenue/ East Sunrise Highway/ Mildred (BSR)

Esther Avenue/ West Mildred Place to Sunrise Highway North

Schedule J Parking, Stopping and Standing Regulations

Browns River Road/ North to Foster Avenue (SVL)

Browns River Road / North from River Road (SVL)

Schedule J Parking, Stopping and Standing Regulations Delete

Browns River Road / North from River Road to Foster Avenue (SVL)

Browns River Road/ South from Foster Avenue (SVL)

2. The Proposed Use and Occupancy Agreement with Civil Air Patrol at the Long Island MacArthur Airport.

3. To consider amending the 2021 contract with Bay Shore/ Brightwaters Ambulance Service Inc. for emergency ambulance services for the residents in the district

WHEREAS, the Bay Shore-Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance Inc. has been providing emergency ambulance services to the residents and persons in the Bay Shore Ambulance District pursuant to a contract which expired on December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip, on behalf of the Bay Shore Ambulance District, held a public hearing on February 9, 2021 to consider entering into a new contract to provide similar services for the year 2021, at which time the Town Board gave its approval to authorize the Supervisor to enter into a new 2021 contract at a cost of \$1,826,773.00; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip has held a public hearing on , 2021 to consider amending said contract for the year 2021 by including an additional sum in the amount of \$2,750,000.00, making the total compensation \$4,576,773.00 ("Contract Fee"), of which \$1,826,773.00, will be collected and paid from taxes and the additional \$2,750,000.00 shall be paid from billing revenue only; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined to be in the public interest to enter into such amended contract retroactive to January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Councilperson
Councilperson , be it

, seconded by

RESOLVED, that the Supervisor is authorized to enter into an amended contract on behalf of the Bay Shore Ambulance District for the year 2021 retroactive to January 1st, 2021 with the Bay Shore-Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance Inc. whereby the said Ambulance Service will provide emergency ambulance services for the residents and persons within the Bay Shore Ambulance District for the year 2021 at a cost of \$4,576,773.00 ("Contract Fee"), of which \$1,826,773.00 shall be raised from taxes and \$2,750,000.00 shall be paid from billing revenue only.

Upon a vote being taken, the result was:

## **AMENDING**

April 20,2021 Public Hearing #2

WHEREAS, the Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service Inc. has been providing emergency ambulance services to the residents and persons in the Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service Inc. District pursuant to a contract which expired on December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip, on behalf of the Brentwood Ambulance District, held a public hearing on February 9, 2021 to consider entering into a new contract to provide similar services for the year 2021, at which time the Town Board gave its approval to authorize the Supervisor to enter into a new 2021 contract at a cost of \$3,058,500.00; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip has held a public hearing on , 2021 to consider amending said contract for the year 2021 by including an additional sum in the amount of \$5,000,000.00, making the total compensation \$8,058,500.00 ("Contract Fee"), of which \$3,058,500.00, will be collected and paid from taxes and the additional \$5,000,000.00 shall be paid from billing revenue only; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined to be in the public interest to enter into such amended contract retroactive to January 1st, 2021;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Councilperson James P. O'Connor, seconded by Councilperson Trish Bergin, be it,

RESOLVED, that the Supervisor is authorized to enter into an amended contract on behalf of the Brentwood Legion Ambulance District for the year 2021 retroactive to January 1st, 2021 with the Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service Inc. whereby the said Ambulance Service will provide emergency ambulance services for the residents and persons within the Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service District for the year 2021 at a cost of \$8,058,500.00 ("Contract Fee"), of which \$3,058,500.00 shall be raised from taxes and \$5,000,000.00 shall be paid from billing revenue only.

Upon a vote being taken, the result was: 4-0-1 with Councilman John C. Cochrane, Jr. recuses.

AMBULANCE EXCHANGE & CENTRAL ISLIP-HAUPPAUGE AMBULANCE ALREADY TOLD
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Insurance: MEDICARE DOWNSTATE



Patient Number: 2408

Call Number: 2021-000935 Date Of Call: 04/13/2021 Call Time: 06:36 PM

Caller: \*Police/Fire/911

From Location:

To Location: SOUTHSIDE HOSPITAL

Reason(s) R42 R11.2 Transport R10.9

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| A0425 | 2.3      | 30.00      | 69.00  |

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Amount

Patient Number: 2408

Current Date: 05/06/2021

Enclosed \$

We have received payment from your insurance. However, there is a remaining balance due on your account. Please forward the remaining balance as soon as possible. Thank you.

Exchange Ambulance 8610 MAIN ST WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221-7455

#### 2ND BILL

# **Exchange Ambulance**

8610 MAIN ST WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221 (888)897-4893

Patient Name:

Insurance: MEDICARE DOWNSTATE

Patient Number: 2408

Call Number: 2021-000935 Date Of Call: 04/13/2021 Call Time: 06:38 PM

Celler: "Police/Fire/911

From Location:

To Location: SOUTHSIDE HOSPITAL

Reason(s) R42 For R112 Transport R10.9

DESCRIPTION OF CHARGES

Basic Life Support

Mileage

**HCPO** QUANTITY A0429 1.0 A0425 2.3

UNIT PRICE 900.00 30.00

AMOUNT: 900.00 69.00

**Total Charges** 

969.00

DESCRIPTION OF PAYMENT Medicare Assignment Adjustment Medicare Assignment Adjustment Medicare Part B Payment Medicare Part B Payment

RECEIPT PAYMENT DATE **AMOUNT** 05/06/2021 51.45 05/06/2021 461.44 9992348855 05/06/2021 14.04 9992348855 05/06/2021 350.85

**Total Credits** 

PLEASE PAY THIS AMOUNT =>

877.78 \$81.22

Pay your bill and update your insurance online at www.4pab.com \*DETACH ALONG ABOVE LINE AND RETURN STUB WITH YOUR PAYMENT\*

Patient Name:

Amount Due: \$91,22

Amount

Patient Number: 2408

Call Number: 2021-000935

Current Date: 06/08/2021 Enclosed \$\_

This is the second letter informing you that we have received payment from your insurance. However, there is a remaining balance due on your account. Please forward the remaining balance as soon as possible. Thank you.

Exchange Ambulance 8610 MAIN ST WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221-7455

# Your Claims for Part B (Medical Insurance)

Part B Medical Insurance helps pay for doctors' services, diagnostic tests, ambulance services, and other health care services.

# **Definitions of Columns**

Service Approved?: This column tells you if Medicare covered the service

the Medicare-approved amount.

Medicare paid your provider. This is usually 80% of

Amount Medicare Paid: This is the amount

pays 80% of the Medicare-approved amount.

Your provider has agreed to accept this amount as full payment for covered services. Medicare usually

Maximum You May Be Billed: This is the total amount the provider is allowed to bill you and can

covered the service.

Amount Provider Charged: This is your provider's fee for this service.

less than the actual amount the provider charged. provider can be paid for a Medicare service. It may be Medicare-Approved Amount: This is the amount a MEDICARE HAS STATED THEY ARE NOT AWARE WE PAY TAXES FOR THIS may pay all or part of this amount not covered. If you have Medicare Supplement Insurance (Medigap policy) or other insurance, it include a deductible, coinsurance, and other charges

# How to Handle Denied Claims or File an Appeal

#### **Get More Details**

If a claim was denied, call or write the provider and ask for an itemized statement for any claim. Make sure they sent in the right information. If they didn't, ask the provider to contact our claims office to correct the error. You can ask the provider for an itemized statement for any service or claim.

Call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227) for more information about a coverage or payment decision on this notice, including laws or policies used to make the decision.

#### if You Disagree with a Coverage Decision, Payment Decision, or Payment Amount on this Notice, You Can Appeal

Appeals must be filed in writing. Use the form to the right. Our claims office must receive your appeal within 120 days from the date you get this notice.

We must receive your appeal by:

September 29, 2021

#### If You Need Help Filing Your Appeal

Contact us: Call 1-800-MEDICARE or your State Health Insurance Program (see page 2) for help before you file your written appeal, including helpappointing a representative.

Call your provider: Ask your provider for any information that may help you.

Ask a friend to help: You can appoint someone, such as a family member or friend, to be your representative in the appeals process.

#### Find Out More About Appeals

For more information about appeals, read your "Medicare & You" handbook or visit us online at www.medicare.gov/appeals.

| File an Appeal in Writing  | <u>*</u> |
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| Follow these steps:  | , Ý      |
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# Exchange Ambulance

8610 MAIN ST WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221 (888)897-4893

Potent Name MCMAHON, PETER

Insurance: MEDICARE DOWNSTATE United Healthcare Empire I

SLIP NY 11751

Call Time: 03:05 AM

Patient Number: 2082 Call Number: 210520-0324-EAI Oate Of Call: 05/20/2021

Cater.
Cater.
From Location:
To Location:
SOUTHSIDE HOSPITAL

Reason(s) M54.5 R53.1 Transport R11.10

DESCRIPTION OF CHARGES

QUANTITY HICEC 1.0 A0429 3.0 A0425

UNIT PRICE 900.00 30.00 AMOUNT 900.00 90.00

Basic Life Support Mileago

DESCRIPTION OF PAYMENT Private Payment / Check Medicare Part B Payment

Total Charges

PAYMENT DATE 07/20/2021 06/02/2021

AMOUNT 990.00 0.00

990.00

**Total Credits** 

990.00

PLEASE PAY THIS AMOUNT =>

\$0.00

Pay your bill and update your insurance online at www.4pab.com

\*DETACH ALONG ABOVE LINE AND RETURN STUB WITH YOUR PAYMENTA

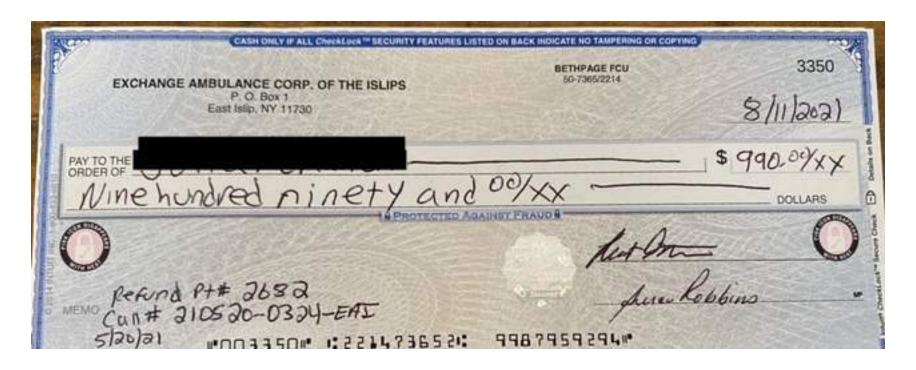
Patient Name Patient Number: 2662

Call Number: 210520-0324-EAI Current Date: 07/30/2021

RECEIPT

Amount Due: \$0.00

Amount Enclosed \$



I had this money returned to this family, it was done so fast, it had illegal written all over it!

# **MAJOR ALERT**

**TOWNSHIP OF ISLIP** 

### AMBULANCE SCAM

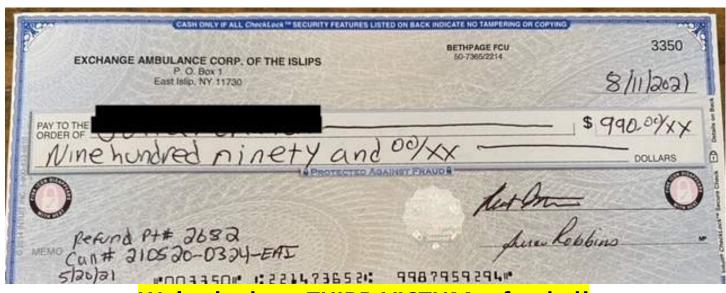
WERE SENT A BILL TO PAY FOR AMBULANCE SERVICE.

#### THIS IS A "CRIME" CONSTRUDED BY OUR OWN TOWN BOARD

THEY HAVE DEMANDED OUR LOCAL AMBULANCE SEVICE SEND US BILLS TO PAY/ WE PAY TAXES FOR THIS SERVICE

thetrucker123@yahoo.com pmontanino1@optimum.net

WHAT YOU WILL NEED- COPY OF THE BILL AND OR CHECK IF PAID FOR A REFUND



We've had our THIRD VICTUM refunded!

## Sayville Community Ambulance totally different wording on contract

THIS AGREEMENT, made on the day of

20 21, by and between the

SAYVILLE COMMUNITY AMBULANCE DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the "District") and the COMMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY, INC. (hereinafter referred to as the "Ambulance Company").

WHEREAS, the District is a Special Improvement District organized under the Town Law of the State of New York to provide emergency and related ambulance services to the residents residing within its borders; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip, pursuant to the New York State Town Law, is the governing body for the District; and

WHEREAS, the Ambulance Company is a domestic Not-For-Profit Corporation providing volunteer staffed emergency and related ambulance services within the Town of Islip;

IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BY AND BETWEEN THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

#### 1. EMERGENCY AND RELATED AMBULANCE SERVICES

The Ambulance Company will provide emergency medical and related ambulance services to all residents located within the boundaries of the District. Said services shall be provided in a good, sound and professional manner.

#### 2. TERM OF THE AGREEMENT

This agreement shall become effective retroactive to *January 1*, 2021, and shall terminate on *December 31*, 2021 unless otherwise terminated as provided herein.

#### 3. COMPENSATION

The District shall pay to the Ambulance Company an annual figure of \$2,074,884.00, payable quarterly on January 15th, April 15th, July 15th and October 15th. In the event that this agreement is

terminated as provided herein, then payment shall be computed on a pro rata daily basis up to and including the date of termination. No payment shall occur after termination.

The Town reserves the right to withhold any funds for budgetary items that have not been substantiated to the Town's satisfaction.

#### 4. OTHER PROVISIONS

The terms and provisions of the contract between these parties dated January, 1987 are hereby made part of this Agreement and binding upon the parties as if set forth herein at length for the term of this Agreement.

- 6. The ambulance company will comply with all contractual reporting requirements as mandated by the Town of Islip Uniform Accounting and Reporting System for Ambulance Taxing Districts. The ambulance company will submit all required information to the Town Comptroller's Office on or before September 15 for the next budgetary year.
- 7. The Town reserves the right to retain a certified public accounting firm to conduct an audit on the books and records or elements of the financial statements, internal control policies, procedures and business operations of the ambulance company.
- 8. Noncompliance in completing records in accordance with the Uniform Charter of Accounts, as well as submitting this information by September 15, 2021, will constitute a violation of the contract.
- 9. The Town reserves the right to reduce the contract of the company by any unfavorable variances between the corps' fund raising revenues and respective expenditures. Any favorable variance between fund raising revenue and respective expenditure will remain with the corps and have no effect on future contract value.

10. The Ambulance Company shall provide the Town with proof of all required insurances naming the Town of Islip as an additional insured, including, but not limited to, commercial general liability, automobile, umbrella liability, professional health care liability for all members and workers compensation, subject to the approval of the Town of Islip's Insurance Risk Manager.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the day and year first above written.

COMMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY, INC.

SAYVILLE COMMUNITY AMBULANCE

DISTRICT

President

TOWN OF ISLI

| null and void, corporate acknowledgment  |  |  |
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| STATE OF NEW YORK )  |  |  |
| COUNTY OF SUFFOLK )  |  |  |
| On the 12 day of Mary 202, before me personally came and appeared  |  |  |
| personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individuals, acted, executed the instrument.  JOANN TOYE  Notary Public, State of New York No. 01T08088913  Qualified in Suffolk County Commission Expires March 17, 20 23 |  |  |
| STATE OF NEW YORK  : ss:  COUNTY OF SUFFOLK  On the 2 day of 202, before me personally came and appeared  ANGIE M. CARPENTER   |  |  |
| to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that she resides at Islip, New York; personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the individual or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.  NOTARY PUBLIC  |  |  |
| MARIA SIOUTOPOULOS NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York No. 01SI6182185 Qualified in Suffolk County Commission Expires February 19, 20   |  |  |

THIS AGREEMENT, made on the day of 2020, by and between the SAYVILLE COMMUNITY AMBULANCE DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the "District") and the COMMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY, INC. (hereinafter referred to as the "Ambulance Company").

WHEREAS, the District is a Special Improvement District organized under the Town Law of the State of New York to provide emergency and related ambulance services to the residents residing within its borders; and

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WHEREAS, the Ambulance Company is a domestic Not-For-Profit Corporation providing volunteer staffed emergency and related ambulance services within the Town of Islip;

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This agreement shall become effective retroactive to *January 1*, 2020, and shall terminate on *December 31*, 2020 unless otherwise terminated as provided herein.

#### 3. <u>COMPENSATION</u>

The District shall pay to the Ambulance Company an annual figure of \$2,214,050, payable quarterly on January 15th, April 15th, July 15th and October 15th. In the event that this agreement is terminated as provided herein, then payment shall be computed on a pro rata daily basis up to and including the date of termination. No payment shall occur after termination.

The Town reserves the right to withhold any funds for budgetary items that have not been substantiated to the Town's satisfaction.

#### 4. OTHER PROVISIONS

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- Noncompliance in completing records in accordance with the Uniform Charter of Accounts, as
  well as submitting this information by September 15, 2020, will constitute a violation of the contract.
- 9. The Town reserves the right to reduce the contract of the company by any unfavorable variances between the corps' fund raising revenues and respective expenditures. Any favorable variance between fund raising revenue and respective expenditure will remain with the corps and have no effect on future contract value.

The Ambulance Company shall provide the Town with proof of all required insurances naming 10. the Town of Islip as an additional insured, including, but not limited to, commercial general liability, automobile, umbrella liability, professional health care liability for all members and workers compensation, subject to the approval of the Town of Islip's Insurance Risk Manager.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the day and year first above written.

COMMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY, INC.

SAYVILLE COMMUNITY AMBULANCE

DISTRICT

TOWN OF ISLIP

#### CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

| COUNTY OF SUFFOLK   | )<br>: ss:<br>)       |   |
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| personally known to me or proname(s) is (are) subscribed to same in his/her/their capacity( | ies) and that he big/ | sis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument. |
| *   |                       | NOTARY PUBLIC   |
| STATE OF NEW YORK  COUNTY OF SUFFOLK  On the  | ) : ss: ) day of June | JOANNE POLACSEK Notary Public, State of New York Reg. No. 01PO6274891 Qualified in Suffolk County Commission Expires 02/11/2021   |
|   | ANGIE M.              | CARPENTER   |

to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that she resides at Islip, New York; personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the individual or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

NØTARY PUBLIC

LORI J. HAHN
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 4950496
Qualified in Suffolk County
Commission Expires May 1, 20



# TOTALLY DIFFERENT CONTRACT

THIS AGREEMENT, made on the 10 day of 10 lq., by and between the SAYVILLE COMMUNITY AMBULANCE DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the "District") and the COMMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY, INC. (hereinafter referred to as the "Ambulance Company").

WHEREAS, the District is a Special Improvement District organized under the Town Law of the State of New York to provide emergency and related ambulance services to the residents residing within its borders; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip, pursuant to the New York State Town Law, is the governing body for the District; and

WHEREAS, the Ambulance Company is a domestic Not-For-Profit Corporation providing volunteer staffed emergency and related ambulance services within the Town of Islip;

IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BY AND BETWEEN THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

#### 1. EMERGENCY AND RELATED AMBULANCE SERVICES

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#### 2. TERM OF THE AGREEMENT

This agreement shall become effective retroactive to *January 1*, 2019, and shall terminate on *December 31*, 2019 unless otherwise terminated as provided herein.

#### 3. COMPENSATION

The District shall pay to the Ambulance Company an annual figure of \$2,037,200.00, payable quarterly on January 15th, April 15th, July 15th and October 15th. In the event that this agreement is terminated as provided herein, then payment shall be computed on a pro rata daily basis up to and including the date of termination. No payment shall occur after termination.

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The terms and provisions of the contract between these parties dated January, 1987 are hereby made part of this Agreement and binding upon the parties as if set forth herein at length for the term of this Agreement.

- 6. The ambulance company will comply with all contractual reporting requirements as mandated by the Town of Islip Uniform Accounting and Reporting System for Ambulance Taxing Districts. The ambulance company will submit all required information to the Town Comptroller's Office on or before September 15 for the next budgetary year.
- 7. The Town reserves the right to retain a certified public accounting firm to conduct an audit on the books and records or elements of the financial statements, internal control policies, procedures and business operations of the ambulance company.
- Noncompliance in completing records in accordance with the Uniform Charter of Accounts, as well as submitting this information by September 15, 2019, will constitute a violation of the contract.
- 9. The Town reserves the right to reduce the contract of the company by any unfavorable variances between the corps' fund raising revenues and respective expenditures. Any favorable variance between fund raising revenue and respective expenditure will remain with the corps and have no effect on future contract value.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the day and year first above written.

COMMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY, INC.

SAYVILLE COMMUNITY AMBULANCE DISTRICT

President

TOWN OF ISLI

#### CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

| STATE OF NEW YORK )  |
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| COUNTY OF SUFFOLK ) ss:056566051   |
| On the 11 day of January, 2019, before me personally came and appeared   |
| residing at  |
| personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individuals, acted, executed the instrument.   |
| DEBORAH FELBER Notary Public, State of New York No. 01FE6168148 Qualified in Suffolk County Commission Expires June 11, 20 9   |
| STATE OF NEW YORK )  |
| : ss:<br>COUNTY OF SUFFOLK )   |
| On the 18th day of January 2019, before the personally came and appeared ANGIE M. CARPENTER  |
| to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that she resides at Islip, New York; personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the individual or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument. |

MARIA SIOUTOPOULOS
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York
No. 01SI6182185
Qualified in Suffolk County
Commission Expires February 19, 20 20

NOTARY PUBLIC

#### **CENTRAL ISLIP-HAUPPAUGE AMBULANCE**

#### AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made the day of , 2021, by and between the Town of Islip, a municipal corporation with its principal place of business at 655 Main Street, Islip, New York, on behalf of the Central Islip-Hauppauge Volunteer Ambulance District, New York, a special improvement district located in the town of Central Islip (Hereinafter "Town"), and the Central Islip-Hauppauge Volunteer Ambulance Corps., a not for profit corporation with its principal place of business in Central Islip, New York in the County of Suffolk, existing under the laws of the State of New York, New York (hereinafter "Ambulance").

#### WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the Town has previously approved the formation of the Central Islip-Hauppauge Volunteer Ambulance District (or as it may otherwise be named).

WHEREAS, Town desires to arrange for ambulance services for persons situated within a portion of the Town of Islip, being the Central-Islip-Hauppauge Ambulance District (hereinafter "Ambulance District");

WHEREAS, Ambulance desires to provide ambulance services to its residents and persons situated within the Ambulance District;

WHEREAS, in order to defray the cost of ambulance service and in order to provide the residents in such Ambulance District with the services it desires, it is necessary for Town to impose a tax for ambulance services, which may be offset by user fees billed to patients; and

WHEREAS, such emergency services are vital and necessary to the health and welfare of the inhabitants of the Ambulance District; and

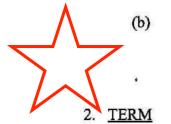
WHEREAS this Agreement is intended to modify and supersede the previously executed Agreement;

WHEREAS, the parties agree that the prior 2020 Agreement did not provide funding sufficient for all of the reasonable costs of the Ambulance and that additional funds are reasonable and necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and conditions herein contained, the parties hereto mutually agree as follows:

#### 1. PROVISION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

(a) Ambulance will provide the Town's Central Islip-Hauppauge Volunteer Ambulance District with basic and advanced life support emergency medical ambulance services for those persons in the Central-Islip-Hauppauge Ambulance District (or as otherwise known), which complies with the regulations of the New York State Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services to serve the emergency medical needs of those persons within the boundaries of the Ambulance District. Services to be provided include Basic Life Support transport and treatment and arranging for or providing Advanced Life Support Treatment.



Coverage shall be provided on a seven day per week, twenty-four hour basis. The provision of equipment, services and transportation are limited to the extent reasonable and possible based upon Ambulance's available resources and personnel.

The term of this Agreement shall be for a period of one year, commencing retroactively on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 2021 and shall continue through the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December of such year, unless sooner terminated as herein provided.

#### 3. COMPENSATION AND REPORTING

- A. Town agrees to pay Ambulance the amount of four million six hundred twenty two thousand dollars (\$4,622,000.00) for the provision of ambulance services (hereinafter "Contract Fee"). However, the total fee need not be collected from taxes. The town shall raise one million three hundred sixty-two thousand dollars (\$1,362,000.00) from taxes, payable in four equal payments to be made quarterly beginning on January 15th of the contract calendar year and continuing on April 15th, July 15th, and October 15th (or within ten days of the execution of this Agreement if later). The sum of three million two hundred sixty thousand dollars (\$3,260,000.00) shall be paid from billing revenue only. Should the amount of billing revenue collected during the contract year exceed \$3,260,000.00, the excess billing revenue shall be remitted to the Town and shall be held for the benefit of the persons situated in the Ambulance District. Town is hereby relieved from the obligation to pay more than the amount of \$1,362,000.00, raised from the tax role and is relieved from any shortfall from billing revenue.
- B. Town has established a schedule of user fees to be imposed upon persons served by the Ambulance. Ambulance shall collect the funds. Ambulance shall provide an accounting of the funds received from persons served in the boundaries of the contracted area approximately each month.
- C. Any funds collected in the next contract year shall be applied to that year's contract funds. Should the parties terminate the Agreement, any billing revenues generated by Ambulance in the period preceding termination shall be paid to the Ambulance.

- - D. If initialed by the Town signatory, and at its option, the Town hereby assumes the obligation of Ambulance's patients who are residents of the town to pay a co-payment (but not the deductible). All other patients shall pay the copayment. The copayment amount is deemed to be five (5%) percent of the amount of the tax payments raised above. The Town hereby assumes the copayment obligations of the residents up to this amount. The Town and Ambulance have made reasonable attempts to calculate the potential copayments and have arrived at this figure as reasonable.
  - E. Ambulance shall contract with a billing service on a flat fee, per PCR charge, and not on a percentage basis. Ambulance may choose its own billing service. Ambulance shall arrange for the Town to receive monthly reports of the billing income received, including but not limited to: amount billed, amount received, amount outstanding, and the town in which the patient was received.
  - F. Ambulance shall ensure that a separate bank account is maintained for the sole purpose of receiving billing funds. All billing funds shall be deposited into such account, including insurance payments, copayments and deductible amounts. No other funds shall be deposited into such account. Ambulance may transfer such funds, unless the Town provides written notice that Ambulance is in breach of a material and substantial provision of this Agreement. In such case, Town may temporarily prohibit the transfer of up to fifty percent (50%) of that month's billing revenue to Ambulance. The only valid reasons for holding up the transfer shall be that Ambulance has failed to comply with a material and substantial provision of this agreement. Such written notice must provide a detailed description of such breach, identify the contract provision in question, and the conditions upon which such release will be authorized. No later than forty-eight (48) hours after Ambulance has cured the breach of such material and substantial provision of the Agreement, Town shall authorize the transfer of such remaining funds to Ambulance and Ambulance may then transfer such funds. Town shall be liable to Ambulance for any unreasonable delay in authorizing such transfer of funds in the amount of interest charged on such amount to be transferred at the rate of 4.5% per annum.
  - G. Ambulance shall not pay expenses directly from this account, in order to make the accounting of funds easier. Ambulance shall withdraw only those funds from the account for which it is entitled. Any amounts over the contract billing funds amount stated above shall be distributed to the Town by year-end. Ambulance agrees that any amounts above the FDIC limit will be secured with third-party collateral in accordance with New York State General Municipal Law §10.

- H. Ambulance shall maintain a Charitable Care Policy and shall make determinations of payment obligations consistent with such policy.
- I. Ambulance shall maintain separate accounts of town monies and the Town may audit such accounts annually. Upon request, Ambulance will provide the Comptroller of the Town with a summary of receipts and disbursements. Ambulance also agrees to provide Town with audited or reviewed financial statements upon reasonable request. Financial statements and budget backup will be provided to the Town no later than August 1<sup>st</sup> of the preceding renewal date.

#### 4. AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE

Town recognizes that in some or all cases, only basic life support may be available or apparently necessary based upon the information available. Town also recognizes that on some occasions no ambulance may be available due to Ambulance's lack of vehicles and/or personnel to respond to all emergencies for which it contracts to provide services, both within and without the Town's boundaries. Town holds Ambulance harmless for Ambulance's failure to provide services on occasions when such resources are temporarily unavailable.

#### 5. INSURANCE

Ambulance agrees to maintain liability insurance sufficient to insure itself against claims for unintentional torts resulting in personal injuries in the amount of Three Million Dollars (\$3,000,000.00). Ambulance agrees to maintain automobile insurance for injuries arising out of the operation of emergency vehicles for at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) with Three Million (\$3,000,000.00) dollars in the aggregate, and property damage of no less than One Million (\$1,000,000) Dollars. Ambulance shall have the Town named as an additional insured in the insurance policy and present the Town with a certificate of insurance and make arrangements for automatic notification of the Town in the case the insurance policy lapses or is cancelled, with no less than thirty days' notice.

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TOWN OF ISLIP

AMBULANCE CORPS.

CENTRAL ISLIP-HAUPPAUGE

. President

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This Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective heirs, executor, administrators, successors and assigns.

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This Agreement may be executed in counterparts and each such counterpart, when taken together, shall constitute a single and binding Agreement.

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This Agreement shall not be assigned by any party without the prior written consent of the other

party.

#### 20. GENDER NEUTRAL

Wherever used herein and required by the context, the singular number shall include the plural, the plural shall include the singular number, and the use of either gender shall include both genders and the words "hereof" and "herein" and "hereafter" shall refer to the entire Agreement and not to any provision or section.

# 21. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This Agreement is the entire agreement among the parties and shall not be changed, except by a writing signed by the party to be charged. Further, this Agreement shall supersede all prior agreements between the parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have set their respective hands and seals as of the day and year first above written.

TOWN OF

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CENTRAL ISLIP HAUPPAUGE VOLUNTEER

AMBULANCE CORPS

President

# SCHEDULE A SCHEDULE OF FEES

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Included in such approved fees are the amounts established by government programs including but not limited to Medicare and Medicaid.

# **NEVER NOTORIZED**

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WHEREAS, the District is a Special Improvement District organized under the Town Law of the State of New York to provide emergency and related ambulance services to the residents residing within its borders; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip, pursuant to the New York State Town Law, is the governing body for the District; and

WHEREAS, the Ambulance Company is a volunteer organization providing emergency and related ambulance services within the Town of Islip;

IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BY AND BETWEEN THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

# 1. EMERGENCY AND RELATED AMBULANCE SERVICES

The Ambulance Company will provide emergency medical and related ambulance services to all residents located within the boundaries of the District. Said services shall be provided in a good, sound and professional manner.

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This agreement shall become effective retroactive to *January 1*, 2019, and shall terminate on *December 31*, 2019 unless otherwise terminated as provided herein.

#### 3. <u>COMPENSATION</u>

The District shall pay to the Ambulance Company an annual figure of \$1,362,000.00, payable quarterly on January 15th, April 15th, July 15th and October 15th. In the event that this agreement is terminated as provided herein, then payment shall be computed on a pro rata daily basis up to and including the date of termination. No payment shall occur after termination.

The Town reserves the right to withhold any funds for budgetary items that have not been substantiated to the Town's satisfaction.

#### 4. OTHER PROVISIONS

The terms and provisions of the contract between these parties dated January 9, 1987 are hereby made part of this Agreement and binding upon the parties as if set forth herein at length for the term of this Agreement.

The ambulance company will comply with all contractual reporting requirements as mandated by the Town of Islip Uniform Accounting and Reporting System for Ambulance Taxing Districts. The ambulance company will submit all required information to the Town Comptroller's Office on or before September 15 for the next budgetary year.

The Town reserves the right to retain a certified public accounting firm to conduct an audit on the books and records or elements of the financial statements, internal control policies, procedures and business operations of the ambulance company.

Noncompliance in completing records in accordance with the Uniform Charter of Accounts, as well as submitting this information by September 15, 2019, will constitute a violation of the contract.

The Town reserves the right to reduce the contract of the company by any unfavorable variances between the corps' fund raising revenues and respective expenditures. Any favorable variance between fund raising revenue and respective expenditure will remain with the corps and have no effect on future contract value.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the day and year first above written.

CENTRAL ISLIP-HAUPPAUGE VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE CORPS, INC.

CENTRAL ISLIP-HAUPPAUGE VOLUNTEER

AMBULANCE DISTRICT

President

TOWN OF ISLIP

Supervisor

# CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

| STATE OF NEW YORK )   |
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| COUNTY OF SUFFOLK ) ss:   |
| On the 26 day of Horch 2019, before me personally came and appeared   |
| residing at   |
| personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s) or the person upon behalf of which the individuals, acted, executed the instrument. |
| BOZENA SARDELIC NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF NEW YORK NO. 01SA6100622 QUALIFIED IN NASSAU COUNTY COMMISSION EXPIRES OCTOBER 20, 2015  |
| STATE OF NEW YORK ) : ss:   |
| COUNTY OF SUFFOLK )   |
| On the 9th day of April 2019, before me personally came and appeared  |
| ANGIE M. CARPENTER  |

to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that she resides at Islip, New York; personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the individual or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

NOTARY PUBLIC

MAR:A SIOUTOPOULOS
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York
No. 01SI6182185
Qualified in Suffolk County
Commission Expires February 19, 20 20

# **BAY SHORE BRIGHTWATERS**

AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made the day of CTobel . 2021, by and between the Town of Islip, a municipal corporation with its principal place of business at 655 Main Street, Islip, New York, on behalf of the Hamlet of Bay Shore in the Bay Shore Ambulance District, New York (Hereinafter "Town"), and the Bay Shore-Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance, Inc., a not for profit corporation with its principal place of business in Islip, New York in the County of Suffolk, existing under the laws of the State of New York, New York (hereinafter "Ambulance").

#### WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the Town has previously approved the formation of the Bay Shore Ambulance District, covering the Hamlet of Bay Shore (or as it may otherwise be named).

WHEREAS, Town desires to arrange for ambulance services for persons situated within a portion of the Town of Islip, being the Bay Shore Ambulance District (hereinafter "Ambulance District");

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WHEREAS, in order to defray the cost of ambulance service and in order to provide the residents in such Ambulance District with the services it desires, it is necessary for Town to impose a tax for ambulance services, which may be offset by user fees billed to patients; and

WHEREAS, such emergency services are vital and necessary to the health and welfare of the inhabitants of the Ambulance District; and

WHEREAS this Agreement is intended to modify and supersede the previously executed Agreement;

WHEREAS, the parties agree that the prior 2020 Agreement did not provide funding sufficient for all of the reasonable costs of the Ambulance and that additional funds are reasonable and necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and conditions herein contained, the parties hereto mutually agree as follows:

#### 1. PROVISION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

(a) Ambulance will provide the Town's Bay Shore Ambulance District with basic and advanced life support emergency medical ambulance services for those persons in the Bay Shore Ambulance District (or as otherwise known), which complies with the regulations of the New York State Department of Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services to serve the emergency medical needs of those persons within the boundaries of the Ambulance District. Services to be provided include Basic Life Support transport and treatment and arranging for or providing Advanced Life Support Treatment.

(b)

Coverage shall be provided on a seven day per week, twenty-four hour basis. The provision of equipment, services and transportation are limited to the extent reasonable and possible based upon Ambulance's available resources and personnel.

The term of this Agreement shall be for a period of one year, commencing retroactively on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 2021 and shall continue through the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December of such year, unless sooner terminated as herein provided.

## 3. COMPENSATION AND REPORTING

A. Town agrees to pay Ambulance the amount of four million, five hundred seventy six thousand, seven hundred seventy-three (\$4,576,773.00) dollars for the provision of ambulance services (hereinafter "Contract Fee"). However, the total fee need not be collected from taxes. The town shall raise one million, eight hundred twenty six thousand and seven-hundred seventy three dollars (\$1,826,773.00) from taxes, payable in four equal payments to be made quarterly beginning on January 15th of the contract calendar year and continuing on April 15th, July 15th, and October 15th (or within ten days of the execution of this Agreement if later). The sum of two million, seven hundred fifty thousand dollars

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If initialed by the Town signatory, and at its option, the Town hereby assumes the obligation of Ambulance's patients who are residents of the town to pay a co-payment (but

not the deductible). All other patients shall pay the copayment. The copayment amount is deemed to be five (5%) percent of the amount of the tax payments raised above. The Town hereby assumes the copayment obligations of the residents up to this amount. The Town and Ambulance have made reasonable attempts to calculate the potential copayments and have arrived at this figure as reasonable.

- E. Ambulance shall contract with a billing service on a flat fee, per PCR charge, and not on a percentage basis. Ambulance may choose its own billing service. Ambulance shall arrange for the Town to receive monthly reports of the billing income received, including but not limited to: amount billed, amount received, amount outstanding, and the town in which the patient was received.
- F. Ambulance shall ensure that a separate bank account is maintained for the sole purpose of receiving billing funds. All billing funds shall be deposited into such account, including insurance payments, copayments and deductible amounts. No other funds shall be deposited into such account. Ambulance may transfer such funds, unless the Town provides written notice that Ambulance is in breach of a material and substantial provision of this Agreement. In such case, Town may temporarily prohibit the transfer of up to fifty percent (50%) of that month's billing revenue to Ambulance. The only valid reasons for holding up the transfer shall be that Ambulance has failed to comply with a material and substantial provision of this agreement. Such written notice must provide a detailed description of such breach, identify the contract provision in question, and the conditions upon which such release will be authorized. No later than forty-eight (48) hours after Ambulance has cured the breach of such material and substantial provision of the Agreement, Town shall authorize the transfer of such remaining funds to Ambulance and Ambulance may then transfer such funds. Town shall be liable to Ambulance for any unreasonable delay in authorizing such transfer of funds in the amount of interest charged on such amount to be transferred at the rate of 4.5% per annum.
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- H. Ambulance shall maintain a Charitable Care Policy and shall make determinations of payment obligations consistent with such policy.

I. Ambulance shall maintain separate accounts of town monies and the Town may audit such accounts annually. Upon request, Ambulance will provide the Comptroller of the Town with a summary of receipts and disbursements. Ambulance also agrees to provide Town with audited or reviewed financial statements upon reasonable request. Financial statements and budget backup will be provided to the Town no later than August 1st of the preceding renewal date.

#### 4. AVAILABILITY OF SERVICE

Town recognizes that in some or all cases, only basic life support may be available or apparently necessary based upon the information available. Town also recognizes that on some occasions no ambulance may be available due to Ambulance's lack of vehicles and/or personnel to respond to all emergencies for which it contracts to provide services, both within and without the Town's boundaries. Town holds Ambulance harmless for Ambulance's failure to provide services on occasions when such resources are temporarily unavailable.

#### 5. INSURANCE

Ambulance agrees to maintain liability insurance sufficient to insure itself against claims for unintentional torts resulting in personal injuries in the amount of Three Million Dollars (\$3,000,000.00). Ambulance agrees to maintain automobile insurance for injuries arising out of the operation of emergency vehicles for at least One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) with Three Million (\$3,000,000.00) dollars in the aggregate, and property damage of no less than One Million (\$1,000,000) Dollars. Ambulance shall have the Town named as an additional insured in the insurance policy and present the Town with a certificate of insurance and make arrangements for automatic notification of the Town in the case the insurance policy lapses or is cancelled, with no less than thirty days' notice.

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Ambulance's employees shall not be deemed employees of the Town. Nothing herein creates an employment relationship which subjects the Ambulance or its employees/volunteers to the supervision and control of the Town or is intended to create any municipal liability for such supervision on behalf of the Town.

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Nothing herein shall entitle the Town to the name, address or social security number of any patient served. Town will not require Ambulance to release any patient's medical information.

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If Ambulance's services continue to be provided by the request of the Town beyond the expiration of the term hereof, the terms of this Agreement shall continue on a monthly basis unless and until the parties enter into a subsequent written agreement.

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Upon expiration or termination of the Agreement as provided hereunder, Ambulance shall have no liability or responsibility for providing services under this Agreement to any person within the Town's boundaries. In the event either party desires to cancel this Agreement or cease providing or receiving ambulance services, the terminating party must provide written notice thereof to the other party at least ninety (90) days prior to the expiration of any term of the Agreement.

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This Agreement shall terminate prior to the expiration of the term hereof upon the happening of any of the following events:

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If any provision of this Agreement is determined to be legally invalid, inoperative or unenforceable, only that particular provision shall be affected, such determination shall have no effect whatsoever on any other provision of this Agreement, and all other provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

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TOWN OF ISLIP

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Bay Shore Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance, Inc.

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President

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# **DIFFERENT CONTRACT**

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the day and year first above written.

BAY SHORE-BRIGHTWATERS RESCUE AMBULANCE, INC.

BAY SHORE AMBUILANCE DISTRICT

President

TOWN OF ISLIP

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# 2. TERM

The term of this Agreement shall be for a period of one year, commencing on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 2020 and shall continue through the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December of such year, unless sooner terminated as herein provided.

# 3. COMPENSATION AND REPORTING

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have set their respective hands and seals as of the day and year first above written.

TOWN OF ISLIP

Araie M. Carpenter

. Supervisor

Bay Shore Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance, Inc

BY:

, President

# SCHEDULE A SCHEDULE OF FEES

ALS 2 \$1400.00 ALS 1 \$1200.00 BLS \$900.00 T/R \$400.00 MILEAGE \$30.00

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BAY SHORE AMBULANCE DISTRICT

TOWN OF ISLIP

Supervisor

Supervisor Angle M. Carpe

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#### CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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NOTARY PUBLIC

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#### WITNESSETH

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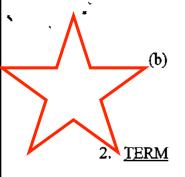
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TOWN OF ISLIP

Haje H. Carpenter, Supervisor

BRENTWOOD

SERVICE, INC.

LEGION

**AMBULANCE** 

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Francisco Hartinez

President

## **NOT NOTORIZED**

## **DOES NOT HAVE TO PAY CO-PAY**

## SCHEDULE A SCHEDULE OF FEES

| ALS 2   | \$1400.00 |
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| ALS 1   | \$1200.00 |
| BLS     | \$900.00  |
| T/R     | \$400.00  |
| MILEAGE | \$30.00   |

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WHEREAS, Ambulance desires to provide ambulance services to its residents and persons situated within the Ambulance District;

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BY: Ausar Bouse, President

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Superviser

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#### CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

| STATE OF NEW YORK ) : ss: COUNTY OF SUFFOLK )  |
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| On the 12th day of January 2020, before me personally came and residing at   |
| personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individuals, acted, executed the instrument.  **PI ADDRESS TO STATE OF THE VOICE STA |
| STATE OF NEW YORK )  SS:  COUNTY OF SUFFOLK )  On the 12 <sup>th</sup> day of February 2020, before me personally  |
| came and appeared  |
| ANGIE M. CARPENTER   |

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MARIA SIOUTOPOULOS
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York
No. 015/6162185
Qualified in Suffolk County
Commission Expires February 19, 20 24

## DIFFERENT WORDING

WHEREAS, the District is a Special Improvement District organized under the Town Law of the State of New York to provide emergency and related ambulance services to the residents residing within its borders; and

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IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BY AND BETWEEN THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

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This agreement shall become effective retroactive to *January 1*, 2019, and shall terminate on *December 31*, 2019 unless otherwise terminated as provided herein.

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#### 4. OTHER PROVISIONS

The terms and provisions of the contract between these parties dated January 9, 1987 are hereby made part of this Agreement and binding upon the parties as if set forth herein at length for the term of this Agreement.

The ambulance company will comply with all contractual reporting requirements as mandated by the Town of Islip Uniform Accounting and Reporting System for Ambulance Taxing Districts. The ambulance company will submit all required information to the Town Comptroller's Office on or before September 15 for the next budgetary year.

The Town reserves the right to retain a certified public accounting firm to conduct an audit on the books and records or elements of the financial statements, internal control policies, procedures and business operations of the ambulance company.

Noncompliance in completing records in accordance with the Uniform Charter of Accounts, as well as submitting this information by September 15, 2019, will constitute a violation of the contract.

The Town reserves the right to reduce the contract of the company by any unfavorable variances between the corps' fund raising revenues and respective expenditures. Any favorable variance between fund raising revenue and respective expenditure will remain with the corps and have no effect on future contract value.

The Ambulance Company shall provide the Town with proof of all required insurances naming the Town of Islip as an additional insured, including, but not limited to, commercial general liability, automobile, umbrella liability, professional health care liability for all members and workers compensation, subject to the approval of the Town of Islip's Insurance Risk Manager.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the day and year first above written.

EXCHANGE AMBULANCE CORPORATION OF THE ISLIPS

EXCHANGE AMBULANCE OF THE ISLIPS

AMBULANCE DISTRICT

BY:

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President

TOWN OF ISLIP

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#### CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

| STATE OF NEW YORK ) : ss:   |
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| COUNTY OF SUFFOLK )   |
| On the 7th day of January 2019, before me personally came and appeared  |
| personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individuals, acted, executed the instrument.  |
| SUSAN J. BOUSE Notary Public, State of New York No. 01806235864 Qualified in Suffolk County Term Expires February 14, 2019 NOTARY PUBLIC  |
| STATE OF NEW YORK  : ss:  COUNTY OF SUFFOLK  On the  On the  ANGIE M. CARPENTER   |
| to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that she resides at Islip, New York; personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the individual or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.  NOTARY PUBLIC |
| MARIA SIOUTOPOULCS NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York No. 01Sl6182185 Qualified in Suffolk County Commission Expires February 19, 20  |

Town Clerk

Date Stamp Here



## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION LAW (F.O.I.L.) APPLICATION FOR ACCESS TO PUBLIC RECORDS

Instructions: Complete Section 1 and submit to Office of Town Clerk, 655 Main Street, Islip, NY 11751 (f) 631-224-5574
PRINT TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

#### SECTION 1 - TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT

|   | OPIED THE RECORD(S) DESCRIBED BELOW:  |
|---|---|
| Name of Applicant:  | Mailing Address of Applicant (include suite if applicable):   |
| Name of Business or Firm:   | City: State: Zip Code:  |
| Signature of Applicant:   | Date of Application:  |
| Telephone Number:   | Department if known:  |
| DESCRIPTION OF RECORD SOUGHT TO INSPECT AND record(s) sought in as specific detail as possible, with address, day what record(s) you seek, your application will be denied. Under the supply DOCUMENTS THAT ALREADY EXIST (NYS POL.   | te or time frame, if applicable. If we cannot determine the NYS FOIL Law, the Town of Islip is only required to   |
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| SECTION 2 – TO BE COMPLETED BY AGENCE Receipt of this request is hereby acknowledged. Please allow Two this office. A copy of this form is being mailed to you indicating the part of the | enty (20) business days for processing before contacting  |
| Office of the Town Attorney, 655 Main Street, Islip, NY 11751  Please note: The Public Officer's Law requires a municipality to acknowledge re  |   |

| Ap   | pplication Number: M822102   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | For questions, please call (631) 224-5550. If we do not receive your deposit within thirty (30) days of this response, your FOIL will be deemed closed.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Senior Assistant Town Attorney, Islip Town Hall, 655 Main Street, Islip, New York 11751. You are entitled to an    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| explanation of the reason for such denial in writing within ten (10) business days of the appeal.                  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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# ALL AMBULANCE DEPARTMENTS "MUST" REPORT THEIR INCOME TO THE TOWN EACH YEAR!

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| COMMUNITY AMBULANCE<br>CO., INC<br>PO BOX 271<br>SAYVILLE, NY 11782        | 400.00 | 10-MAR-<br>16 | FRIENDS OF ANGIE CARPENTER |
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| COMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY<br>INC<br>146 RAILROAD AVE<br>SAYVILLE, NY 11782 | 450.00 | 06-OCT-<br>16 | FRIENDS OF TOM CROCI |
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# The Restriction of Political Campaign Intervention by Section 501(c)(3) Tax-Exempt Organizations

Under the Internal Revenue Code, all section 501(c)(3) organizations are absolutely prohibited from directly or indirectly participating in, or intervening in, any political campaign on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for elective public office. Contributions to political campaign funds or public statements of position (verbal or written) made on behalf of the organization in favor of or in opposition to any candidate for public office clearly violate the prohibition against political campaign activity. Violating this prohibition may result in denial or revocation of tax-exempt status and the imposition of certain excise taxes

# Sayville's Community Ambulance Company opens at \$7.3M site



People gather for the grand opening of Community Ambulance Company in Sayville on Oct. 26, 2014. Credit: James Carbone

By SARAH ARMAGHANsarah.armaghan@newsday.com @ArmaghanS Updated October 26, 2014 7:42 PM

The Community Ambulance Company in Sayville opened its doors Sunday morning as a crowd watched seven emergency vehicles glide down Lakeland Avenue and into their parking bays at the **new \$7.3 million site.** 

For the past six decades, the ambulance company operated out of a 3,800-square-foot building on Swayze Street that only had two ambulance bays, forcing officials to park some vehicles at Long Island MacArthur Airport and the Bohemia Fire Department. Now, the 22,000-square-foot facility easily fits each truck on the ground floor of the two-story building.

The Community Ambulance Company purchased the land for about \$300,000 from the Town of Islip in 2012, (CROCI FIRST YEAR IN OFFICE) according to MacDonnell. The town was forced to raise taxes that year in the Sayville Ambulance District in order to fund the project, making yearly tax payments increase to about \$110 from \$73 per average household, a nearly 50 percent jump, he said.

ISLIP COUNCILMAN COCHRANCE VOTED YES, CONFLICT OF INTEREST, HE HAS A BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP!





Town of Islip ambulances were instructed by Islip Supervisor and Islip Town Comptroller to start charging Residents!

Islip Supervisor states she can no longer afford to supply EMS with their proper needs to save lives!

Please see attached response to your FOIL Request.

Robert Stadelman, Vice-President Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips 190 Carleton Ave / PO BOX 1 East Islip, NY 11730

Office: 631-581-3151 EXT 108

Fax: 631-859-3614

Email: Robert.Stadelman@ExchangeAmbulance.org

# We pay taxes for this service!



## EXCHANGE AMBULANCE CORPORATION OF THE ISLIPS

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS** 

VOLUNTEERS SINCE 1951
PO BOX 1, EAST ISLIP, NEW YORK 11730
www.exchangeambulance.com

To: Re: FOIL Request 6/17/2021

Date: 6/19/2021

In response to your FOIL Request dated 6/17/2021, please see below:

### Meeting Held With Supervisor Carpenter:

A meeting was held with Town of Islip Supervisor Carpenter and Comptroller Ludwig in approximately February of 2019. The meeting indicated that the increase in costs of providing Emergency Medical Service (EMS) by the five EMS agencies in the town of Islip was exceeding the rate that the town could continue to increase funding. The five EMS agencies were directed to investigate billing insurance to cover some of these costs.

#### Start of Billing:

Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips commenced insurance billing in April 2020.

#### Use of Funds:

The funds that Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips collects from insurance billing are used exclusively to improve the operations and level of care provided by Exchange Ambulance to the community. Costs such as medical supplies, medical equipment, vehicles, and payroll of the paid staff that supplements our volunteers are partially funded through the funds received from billing.

### Collections:

It should be noted that while Exchange Ambulance Corp. of the Islips is billing health insurance providers for the treatment and transportation provided, we will **NEVER** send anyone to collections for inability to pay. The same level of care and transportation is provided to EVERY patient regardless of their ability to pay.

## WE PAY TAXES FOR THIS SERVICE!!!

| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS                                   | 1.3<br>5.4<br>0.4<br>0.6        | 2007   | 34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600           | 0.2680<br>1.1130<br>0.0870<br>0.1300           | 63.4%<br>2.0%<br>7.4%<br>6.5%            | 92.73<br>385.10<br>30.10<br>44.98           |
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| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS                                   | 1.9<br>5.1<br>0.4<br>0.7        | 2009   | 34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600           | 0.4300<br>1.1530<br>0.0950<br>0.1470           | 13.7%<br>0.0%<br>5.5%<br>8.0%            | 148.78<br>398.94<br>32.87<br>50.86          |
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| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW OUT OF COUNTY TUITION EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS             | 3.4<br>0.2<br>4.6<br>0.3<br>0.7 | 2015   | 34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600 | 0.9070<br>0.0600<br>1.2460<br>0.0780<br>0.1810 | 41.4%<br>-1.6%<br>0.7%<br>-4.8%<br>5.8%  | 313.82<br>20.76<br>431.12<br>26.99<br>62.63 |
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| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW OUT OF COUNTY TUITION EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS             | 2.6<br>0.2<br>4.8<br>0.3<br>0.7 | 2016   | 34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600 | 0.6840<br>0.0610<br>1.2580<br>0.0710<br>0.1860 | -24.5%<br>1.6%<br>0.9%<br>-8.9%<br>2.7%  | 236.66<br>21.11<br>435.27<br>24.57<br>64.36 |
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| NYS REAL PROP TAX LAW<br>OUT OF COUNTY TUITION<br>EAST ISLIP FIRE DISTRICT<br>STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT<br>EXC. AMB. OF THE ISLIPS | 1.5<br>0.3<br>7.7<br>0.4<br>1.8 | 2020   | 27,680<br>27,680<br>34,600<br>34,600<br>34,600 | 0.3280<br>0.0670<br>1.3300<br>0.0690<br>0.3090 | 57.6%<br>-9.4%<br>0.5%<br>-5.4%<br>-0.6% | 90.79<br>18.55<br>460.18<br>23.87<br>106.91 |
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## CURRENT LAW: Fees and charges prohibited

## New York General Municipal Law Sec. 209-B Emergency Rescue and First Aid Squads

**1.** Emergencies.

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The authorities having control of fire departments and fire companies may organize within such departments or companies emergency rescue and first aid squads composed of firemen who are members of such departments or companies. Such squads, so organized, may render services in case of accidents, calamities or other emergencies in connection with which their services may be required, as well as in case of alarms of fire. Whether or not such squads have been organized, any fireman may render service in case of accidents, calamities or other emergencies in connection with which the services of firemen may be required, as well as in case of alarms of fire, unless he shall have been duly ordered not to render such service by the authorities having control of the fire department or company of which he is a member. If a request for emergency service is made by, or originates from a doctor or peace officer, acting pursuant to his special duties, or police officer, and there is any doubt as to whether an emergency exists, the judgment of the doctor or officer that there is, in fact, an emergency may be accepted as conclusive by such squad, or the fireman responding, or who has responded to such call. The person designated to receive calls for such emergency services, for the purpose of dispatching such squads or firemen, shall determine in the first instance from the information furnished to him whether an emergency exists and his decision, if in good faith, as to whether or not there is an emergency shall be final in relation to dispatching such squads or firemen. Any such preliminary determination shall not be deemed to authorize the rendition of services if, upon arriving at the place to which dispatched, it is found that there is no emergency.

The governing board of any city, town, village or fire district which has a fire department but which has not authorized such fire department to render emergency ambulance service, may contract for the furnishing to it of emergency ambulance service with another city, town, village or fire district which has in its fire department an emergency rescue and first aid squad duly authorized to render emergency ambulance service. Before any contract to furnish emergency ambulance service is entered into, the consents of the fire department, the fire company and the emergency rescue and first aid squad to furnish such emergency ambulance service shall be obtained. Each consent shall be evidenced by a copy of a resolution certified respectively by the secretary of the fire department and fire company and by the officer then in command of the emergency rescue and first aid squad.

General ambulance service.

The governing board of any city, town which has a fire department, village or fire district which has in its fire department an emergency rescue and first aid squad composed mainly of volunteer firefighters, by resolution, may authorize any such squad to furnish general ambulance service for the purpose of (1) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident or person found within the city, town, village or fire district to a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place for treatment and care and returning any such person therefrom if still sick, injured or disabled and (2) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident of the city, town, village or fire district from a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or

other place where such person has received treatment and care to any other place for treatment and care or to such person's home whether such hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care is within or without the city, town, village or fire district or the territory listed on the ambulance service certificate or certificate of registration as the usual territory within which the ambulance service operates.

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The town board of a town which does not have a fire department but in which there is a fire corporation located outside any village, fire district, fire alarm district or fire protection district, by resolution, may authorize the emergency rescue and first aid squad of such fire corporation to furnish general ambulance service for the purpose of (1) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident or person found within the area described in the certificate of incorporation of the fire corporation to a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place for treatment and care and returning any such person therefrom if still sick, injured or disabled and (2) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident of such described area from a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care to any other place for treatment and care or to such person's home whether such hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care is within or without the area described in the certificate of incorporation of such fire corporation or the territory listed on the ambulance service certificate or certificate of registration as the usual territory within which the ambulance service operates.

The governing board of a city, village or fire district which by law is authorized to contract to have fire protection furnished for any district or area thereof by the fire department or fire company of another city, town, village or fire district, or a town board on behalf of a fire protection district or fire alarm district, may include in any fire protection contract a provision for the furnishing of general ambulance service by the emergency rescue and first aid squad of the fire department or fire company which furnishes such fire protection. Such general ambulance service shall be for the purpose of (1) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident or person found within the contract district or area to a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place for treatment and care and returning any such person therefrom if still sick, injured or disabled and (2) transporting any sick, injured or disabled resident of such contract district or area from a hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care to any other place for treatment and care or to such person's home whether such hospital, clinic, sanatorium or other place where such person has received treatment and care is within or without the contract district or area or the territory listed on the ambulance service certificate or certificate of registration as the usual territory within which the ambulance service operates. The city, town, village, fire district or the fire department or fire company thereof which is authorized to furnish such fire protection pursuant to contract shall have power to contract to furnish such general ambulance service.

Before any authorization is granted under paragraphs a and b of this subdivision, or before any contract to furnish general ambulance service is entered into pursuant to paragraph c of this subdivision, and before any public hearing is conducted as herein provided, the consents of the fire department, the fire company and the emergency rescue and first aid squad to furnish the general ambulance service shall be obtained. <u>Each consent shall be evidenced by a copy of a resolution certified, respectively, by the secretary of the fire department and fire company and by the officer then in command of the emergency rescue and first aid squad.</u>

Before authorizing general ambulance service under paragraphs a and b of this subdivision the governing board of a city, town, village or fire district shall conduct a public hearing. Before the governing board of a city, town, village or fire district enters into a contract for fire protection which contract, for the first time for a specific district or area, provides for the furnishing of general ambulance service pursuant to paragraph c of this subdivision, it shall conduct a public hearing in the manner required by law, if any, for the entering into of a fire protection contract therefor, but if a public

hearing is not required in any such case, then the public hearing shall be held as herein provided and the procedure for publishing notice under this paragraph shall be applicable. Notice of such hearing shall be published at least once in a newspaper or newspapers having general circulation in the city, town, village or fire district, or, in the case of contracts, in the fire alarm district, fire protection district, or other contract area. In all cases the notice of hearing shall, in general terms, (1) describe the general ambulance service which is proposed to be furnished.

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- (3) state the names of the fire department, fire companies and emergency rescue and first aid squad affected,
- (4) state the time and place within the city, town, village or fire district, or, in the case of contracts, the fire alarm district, fire protection district, or other contract area, where such hearing will be held and
- (5) state that all persons residing within the area to be served, all persons, firms and corporations owning real property within the area to be served, and all persons, firms and corporations whose business interests or employment would either be benefited or adversely affected, whether or not a resident or owner of real property within the area to be served, shall have the right to be heard in person or by representative at the public hearing. Such notice shall be published at least ten days prior to the date fixed for the hearing.
- After the hearing and after considering the statements made at the hearing the governing board shall determine whether authorizing the furnishing of general ambulance service, or the entering into of a contract for general ambulance service, is in the public interest. If the governing board determines that it is in the public interest to authorize the furnishing of general ambulance service, or to enter into a contract for general ambulance service, it shall adopt the resolution authorizing the same and within ten days thereafter cause a certified copy of the resolution and the determination on which it is based to be filed in the office of the clerk of the county or counties in which the city, town, village or fire district is located. The consents required by paragraph d of this subdivision shall be filed with such resolution and determination.
- The determination of the governing board in relation to the furnishing of general ambulance service shall be subject to review in the manner provided in article seventy-eight of the civil practice law and rules provided that application has been made therefor within thirty days from the date of the filing thereof. Such determination shall become final and conclusive and the resolution shall become effective at the expiration of such thirty days or, if application for review be made, upon the final determination thereof.
- When general ambulance service is authorized pursuant to this subdivision, the emergency rescue and first aid squad shall answer all calls and demands for such service to be furnished to sick, injured or disabled persons entitled thereto, subject to such rules and regulations as shall be prescribed by authorities having control of such squad, and subject at all times to the emergency needs of the fire department and any limitations upon such service specified in a fire protection contract. Such rules and regulations may establish limitations on the distances which may be traveled outside the area to be served in order to reach hospitals, clinics, sanatoriums or other places where care and treatment is to be or has been furnished.
- Any action taken pursuant to this subdivision may be rescinded by resolution of the governing board which has taken such action. The term "resolution", as used in this subdivision two, means resolution, ordinance, act or local law.

- j. The provisions of this subdivision two shall apply to all cities, towns, villages and fire districts, except where the provisions of a general or special law expressly prohibit the rendition of general ambulance service by an emergency rescue and first aid squad of the fire department thereof.
  - Transportation of persons. Squads and persons authorized to render service pursuant to this section shall transport sick, injured or disabled persons only in vehicles owned by or under the control of a city, town, village, fire district, a fire department or a fire company unless ordered or permitted to transport such persons in other vehicles by the authorities having control of the fire department or fire company of which he is a member. 3-a. Mutual aid.
  - The governing board of any city, town which has a fire department, village or fire district which has in its fire department an emergency rescue and first aid squad composed mainly of volunteer firefighters, may, by resolution authorize any such squad to enter into one or more mutual aid agreements as defined in subdivision twenty of section three thousand one of the public health law, and/or to contract with ambulance services as defined in subdivisions two and three of section three thousand one of the public health law to provide services when the emergency rescue and first aid squad is unavailable.
  - The town board of a town which does not have a fire department but in which there is a fire corporation located outside any village, fire district, fire alarm district or fire protection district may, by resolution, authorize the emergency rescue and first aid squad of such fire corporation to enter into one or more mutual aid agreements as defined in subdivision twenty of section three thousand one of the public health law, and/or to contract with ambulance services as defined in subdivisions two and three of section three thousand one of the public health law to provide services when the emergency rescue and first aid squad is unavailable.
    - Fees and charges prohibited. Emergency and general ambulance service authorized pursuant to this section shall be <u>furnished without cost to the person served</u>. The acceptance by any fireman of any personal remuneration or gratuity, directly or indirectly, from a person served shall be a ground for his expulsion or suspension as a member of the fire department or fire company.
  - The term "emergency", as used in this chapter, or in any other law of general application, in relation to the operations of fire departments, includes, unless a contrary intent is clearly expressed or indicated, the search for persons and the search for, and attempts to recover or the recovery of, bodies of persons even though it is possible or is known that all hope of life is gone.

### **CURRENT TOWN LAW:**

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- 1. Whenever the town board shall have established or extended a fire protection district pursuant to the provisions of this article, the town board shall provide for the furnishing of fire protection within the district and for that purpose may
- (a) contract with any city, village, fire district or incorporated fire company maintaining adequate and suitable apparatus and appliances for the furnishing of fire protection in such district or
- (b) may acquire by gift or purchase such apparatus and appliances for use in such district and may contract with any city, village, fire district or incorporated fire company for operation, maintenance, and repair of the same and for the furnishing of fire protection in such district, or both. The contract may also provide for the furnishing of
- (1) emergency service in case of accidents, calamities or other emergencies in connection with which the services of firefighters would be required and
- (2) general ambulance service subject, however, to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general municipal law. In the event that the fire department or fire company furnishing fire protection within the district pursuant to contract does not maintain and operate an ambulance then a separate contract may be made for the furnishing within the district of emergency ambulance service or general ambulance service, or both, with any city, village or fire district the fire department of which, or with an incorporated fire company having its headquarters outside the district which, maintains and operates an ambulance subject, however, in the case of general ambulance service, to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general municipal law, or with an ambulance service, certified or registered pursuant to article thirty of the public health law, which is not organized under the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general municipal law. Any such contract with any such ambulance service permitted herein shall be subject to the provisions of this section.
- 1-a. (a) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this subdivision, prior to commencing the negotiation process for such contract with an incorporated fire company, the incorporated fire company shall file with the town board a statement itemizing the estimated costs of the incorporated fire company attributable to the provision of services under the prospective contract. The estimated costs attributable to the provision of services under the prospective contract itemized in the statement shall include, at a minimum, those, if any, for: supplies; materials; operation, maintenance and repair of equipment and

apparatus; insurance; training; protective clothing, gear and other personnel costs; building rental, maintenance and operation; and a specified proportionate share of capital costs. If the fire company is required to prepare any of the following documents, copies shall be included with the statement:

- (1) the fire company's most recent annual report of directors pursuant to section five hundred nineteen of the not-for-profit corporation law;
- (2) the fire company's most recent verified certificate pursuant to subdivision (f) of section fourteen hundred two of the not-for-profit corporation law;
  - (3) the fire company's most recent internal revenue service form 990; and
- (4) the fire company's most recent annual report pursuant to section thirty-a of the general municipal law.
- (b) The provisions of paragraph (a) of this subdivision shall not apply to the renewal of a contract when the contract is deemed renewed in accordance with subdivision four of this section. Upon good cause shown, the town board may, by resolution, waive in whole or in part the requirement that the fire company file the statement, and copies of documents, required by paragraph (a) of this subdivision.
- 2. The contract shall not be entered into until a public hearing has been held by the town board. Notice of the hearing shall be published at least once in at least one newspaper having general circulation in the district. The notice shall specify the time when and place where the hearing will be held, and describe in general terms the proposed contract. The first publication shall be at least ten days prior to the day specified for the hearing. Before any contract to furnish general ambulance service by an ambulance service is entered into pursuant to this section, and before any public hearing is conducted as herein provided, the consent of such ambulance service to furnish general ambulance sevice shall be obtained. Such consent shall be evidenced by a copy of a resolution certified by the secretary of a voluntary ambulance service or the chief executive officer of a professional ambulance service.
  - 3. Except as provided in subdivision four of this section, the term of the

contract shall be for a definite period of time, but in no event shall the term exceed five years. The contract year or years in all such contracts entered into after the year nineteen hundred sixty shall terminate on December thirty-first.

- 4. Instead of being for a definite term as provided in subdivision three, the contract may be for an original term of one calendar year or less and provide that it shall be deemed renewed on the same basis each year thereafter for a further term of one full calendar year without any further public hearing unless one of the contracting parties shall notify the other in writing on or before the twentieth day of August that it elects to terminate the contract on December thirty-first in that year. The term of any such contract, including renewals, shall not exceed five years, but the contract may provide that there shall be less than four such renewals. If the city, village or fire district, fire department or fire company which is to furnish the service under such a contract is not a fully paid department or company, the city, village or fire district governing board, upon the request of the department or company, shall terminate the contract as provided in this subdivision. Any such contract may provide that in the month of July of each year in which such a renewal could occur the town clerk of the town in which the fire protection district or the major portion thereof is located shall notify the secretary of the fire department, fire company or ambulance service which is to furnish the service under the contract that the contract shall be deemed renewed on the same basis for a further full term of one calendar year unless one of the contracting parties shall notify the other in writing on or before the twentieth day of August that it elects to terminate the contract on December thirty-first in such year.
- 5. The contract shall specify a definite sum to be paid each year for all of the services to be rendered thereunder.
- 6. The amount which is to be paid each year pursuant to any contract entered into pursuant to the provisions of this section, together with all other expenses necessarily incurred or occasioned by reason of the establishment or extension of the fire protection district, shall be assessed and levied upon the taxable property in the district and collected in the same manner, at the same time and by the same officers as town taxes are assessed, levied and collected and, when collected, the amount thereof shall be paid to the supervisor of the town. The supervisor shall pay to the city, village, fire

district, incorporated fire company or *ambulance service furnishing such* service the amount to be paid each year for the service in one sum or in installments as the contract may provide.

- 7. If a fire protection district shall be situated partly in each of two or more towns any action which would be taken by the town board in the case of a district situated in only one town shall be taken by the town boards of the several towns acting jointly by a majority vote of the members of each of such town boards, and the notice of public hearing required by this section shall be given by the town clerks of the several towns acting jointly.
- 8. By mutual consent of the contracting parties, and after a public hearing held pursuant to notice in the manner aforesaid, any such contract heretofore or hereafter executed may be
- (1) amended,
- (2) terminated, or
- (3) terminated and a new contract may be entered into in lieu thereof, if the town board, after such hearing, shall determine, by resolution, that it is in the public interest so to do. Such notice shall state in general terms the reason why any existing contract is to be amended or terminated, and if a new contract is to be entered into the notice shall also describe the new contract in general terms.
- 9. The term "fire protection," as used in this section, includes inspections of buildings and properties in the fire protection district for the purposes specified in and as authorized by sections eight hundred seven-a and eight hundred seven-b of the education law, subdivision four of section three hundred three of the multiple residence law, and section one hundred eightynine of the town law.
- 10. The provisions of this section shall not be deemed to have amended subdivision two of section two hundred nine-b or section two hundred nine-d of the general municipal law, or any other general, special or local law requiring the consent of a fire department, fire company or an emergency rescue and first aid squad to the entering into of a contract for services to be performed by such department, company or squad.

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authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services

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January 17, 2019

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1286 2021-2022 Regular Sessions

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January 11, 2021

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KAPLAN, THOMAS -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be

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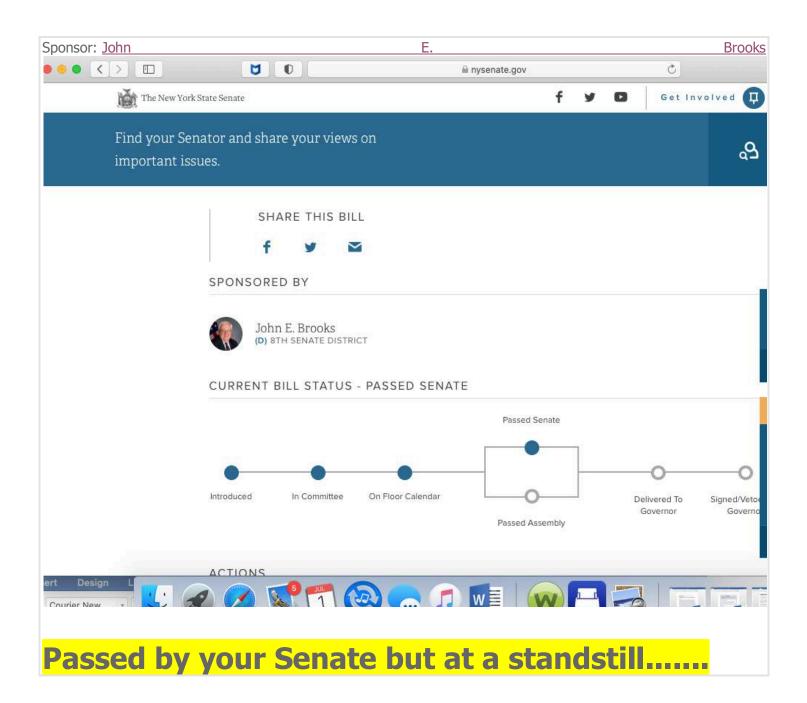
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March 16, 2021 | Passed Senate

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AS OF AUGUST 15,2021







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2021-2022 Regular Sessions

### IN SENATE

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January 11, 2021

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AN ACT to amend the general municipal law and the town law, in relation to authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Subdivision 4 of section 209-b of the general municipal 2 law, as amended by chapter 476 of the laws of 2018, is amended to read 3 as follows:

- 4. Fees and charges [prohibited] authorized. (a) Emergency and general ambulance service, including emergency medical service as defined in section three thousand one of the public health law, authorized pursuant
- 7 to this section [shall] may be furnished without cost to the person 8 served; provided, however, that the authorities having control of a fire
- 9 <u>department or fire company that have authorized such fire department or</u>
  10 <u>fire company to provide such service or services may fix a schedule of</u>
- 11 fees or charges to be paid by persons requesting such service or
- 12 services. The authorities having control of a fire department or fire
- 13 company may provide for the collection of fees and charges or may formu-
- 14 late rules and regulations for the collection thereof by the fire
- 15 department or fire company. When fees and charges are authorized pursu-
- 16 ant to this subdivision, the fees and charges collected shall be
- 17 disbursed in accordance with a written contract entered into between the
- 18 authority having control of a fire department of fire company and the
- 19 fire department or fire company itself. The acceptance by any fire-
- 20 fighter of any personal remuneration or gratuity, directly or indirect-
- 21 ly, from a person served shall be a ground for his or her expulsion or
- 22 suspension as a member of the fire department or fire company.
- 23 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (a) of this subdivi-
- 24 sion, a basic life support service which establishes a schedule of fees

EXPLANATION--Matter in <u>italics</u> (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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for service shall enter into a contract with a provider or providers of advanced life support services to provide such advanced life support services. Such contract shall at a minimum establish the fees for advanced life support services and the means by which said provider will be reimbursed when the ambulance service bills for emergency medical service.

- (c) An emergency and general ambulance service, including emergency medical service as defined by this section which does not establish a schedule of fees for service, requesting an Advanced Life Support (ALS) intercept from another furnishing service in an area that is designated as a rural area by any law or regulation of the state or that is located in a rural census tract of a metropolitan statistical area (as determined under the most recent Goldsmith Modification) shall be subject to payment of an ALS Rural Intercept Fee to such furnishing service at rates negotiated between the providers of such services. In the absence of any agreed upon rates, the service receiving such intercept shall pay for such services at the usual and customary rate, which shall not be excessive or unreasonable. Nothing in this section shall restrict any ambulance providers from establishing mutually agreeable alternate fees for services provided to and/or for each respective ambulance service.
- § 2. Paragraph (e) of subdivision 1 of section 122-b of the general municipal law, as amended by chapter 303 of the laws of 1980, is amended to read as follows:
- (e) [No] A contract [shall] may be entered into pursuant to the provisions of this section for the services of an emergency rescue and first aid squad of a fire department or fire company which is subject to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of [the general municipal law] this chapter;
- § 3. Subdivision 1 of section 184 of the town law, as amended by chapter 599 of the laws of 1994, is amended to read as follows:
- 31 1. Whenever the town board shall have established or extended a fire 32 protection district pursuant to the provisions of this article, the town 33 board shall provide for the furnishing of fire protection within the district and for that purpose may (a) contract with any city, village, 34 fire district or incorporated fire company maintaining adequate and 35 suitable apparatus and appliances for the furnishing of fire protection 36 37 in such district or (b) may acquire by gift or purchase such apparatus 38 and appliances for use in such district and may contract with any city, village, fire district or incorporated fire company for operation, main-39 tenance, and repair of the same and for the furnishing of fire 40 41 protection in such district, or both. The contract may also provide for the furnishing of (1) emergency service in case of accidents, calamities 42 or other emergencies in connection with which the services of firefight-43 44 ers would be required and (2) general ambulance service subject, howev-45 er, to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general 46 municipal law. In the event that the fire department or fire company 47 furnishing fire protection within the district pursuant to contract does 48 not maintain and operate an ambulance then a separate contract may be 49 made for the furnishing within the district of emergency ambulance service or general ambulance service, or both, with any city, village or 50 fire district the fire department of which, or with an incorporated fire 51 52 company having its headquarters outside the district which, maintains 53 and operates an ambulance subject, however, in the case of general ambu-54 lance service, to the provisions of section two hundred nine-b of the general municipal law, or with an ambulance service, certified or regis-55 tered pursuant to article thirty of the public health law[ - which is not

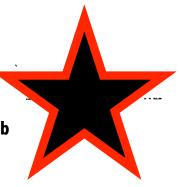


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S1286 (ACTIVE) - SUMMARY

Provides that authorities having control of a fire department or fire company which provides emergency medical services may establish fees and charges for services.

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S1286 (ACTIVE) - SPONSOR MEMO

BILL NUMBER: \$1286

SPONSOR: BROOKS

TITLE OF BILL:

An act to amend the general municipal law and the town law, in relation to authorizing fees and charges for emergency medical services

PURPOSE:

The purpose to allow fire departments the option to recover costs when providing emergency medical services.

SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS:

Section 1. this bill amends subdivision 4 of section 209-b of the General Municipal Law to remove the prohibition on a fire department's ability to recover costs for emergency medical services. Further, this section provides language to ensure that advanced life support services are compensated for services rendered.

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Amd §§209-b & 122-b, Gen Muni L; amd §184, Town L

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Provides that authorities having control of a fire department or fire company which provides emergency medical services may establish fees and charges for services.

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### TOWN CLERK

PUBLIC HEARING 655 Main Street Islip, NY 11751

February 9, 2021 2:00pm

- To consider amending the Town of Islip Uniform Traffic Code as follows: Schedule G Stop and Yield Schedule L Town Parking Lots Schedule J Parking, Stopping and Standing
- 2. To consider a new contract with the Bay Shore Fire District for the year 2021 to provide fire protection for the Bay Shore Fire Protection District.
- 3. To enter into an agreement with Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service, Inc. to provide ambulance services to the Brentwood Legion Ambulance District.
- 4. To consider entering into a contract with Community Ambulance Company to provide ambulance services for the Sayville Ambulance District.
- 5. To enter into an agreement with Exchange Ambulance Corporation of the Islips to provide ambulance services to the Exchange Corporation Ambulance District.
- 6. To consider entering into an agreement with the Bay Shore/ Brightwaters Ambulance Company to provide ambulance services to the Bay Shore Brightwaters District.
- 7. To enter into a contract with the Central Islip-Hauppauge Ambulance District for the year 2021 to provide emergency ambulance services within the District.

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Dated at Islip, NY
TOWN BOARD,

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TOWN CLERK

# THE TOWN BOARD "NEVER" LET ANY RESIDENT KNOW WHAT THEY PLANNED

# TOWN OF ISLIP STATE OF NEW YORK TOWN BOARD REGULAR MEETING

### DISCUSSION AGENDA AND PUBLIC HEARINGS

February 9, 2021 – 2:00 p.m. 655 Main Street Islip, New York (Held via Zoom Webinar)

### APPEARANCES:

SUPERVISOR ANGIE M. CARPENTER

COUNCILMAN JOHN C. COCHRANE, JR.

COUNCILWOMAN TRISH BERGIN

COUNCILWOMAN MARY KATE MULLEN

COUNCILMAN JAMES P. O'CONNOR

TOWN CLERK OLGA H. MURRAY

TOWN ATTORNEY JOHN DICIOCCIO

ASSISTANT TOWN ATTORNEY TARYN JEWELL

IDA, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR JOHN WALSER

FTZ AUTHORITY, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR BRAD HEMINWAY



TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Hearing number 2 is TO CONSIDER A NEW CONTRACT WITH THE BAY SHORE FIRE DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR 2021 TO PROVIDE FIRE PROTECTION FOR THE BAY SHORE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Are there any questions on this? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

**COUNCILWOMAN MULLEN**: I make a motion to close the Public Hearing and adopt the contract.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Motion by Councilwoman Mullen. Do we have a second?

COUNCILWOMAN BERGIN: Second.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Second by Councilwoman Bergin. All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Opposed?

COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.: Recused.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: We have four in favor, one recusal. The motion is approved.

TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Item number 3 is TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BRENTWOOD LEGION AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC., TO PROVIDE AMBULANCE SERVICES TO THE BRENTWOOD LEGION AMBULANCE DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Are there any questions on this hearing? (There was no response.) I will make that motion. Do we have a second?

COUNCILMAN O'CONNOR: Second.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Second by Councilman O'Connor. All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Opposed?

COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.: Recused.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: We have four in favor, one recusal. The motion is adopted.

TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Item number 4 is TO CONSIDER ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT WITH COMMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY TO PROVIDE AMBULANCE SERVICES FOR THE SAYVILLE AMBULANCE DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Are there any question on this hearing? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

**COUNCILWOMAN BERGIN:** I make the motion to adopt the resolution and close the Public Hearing.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Motion by Councilwoman Bergin. Do we have a second?

COUNCILWOMAN MULLEN: Second.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Second by Councilwoman Mullen. All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Opposed?

COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.: Recused.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** We have four in favor, one recusal. It is approved.

TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Item number 5 is TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH EXCHANGE AMBULANCE CORPORATION OF THE ISLIPS TO PROVIDE AMBULANCE SERVICES TO THE EXCHANGE CORPORATION AMBULANCE DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Are there any questions? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

**COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.:** Motion to close the hearing and approve the resolution.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Motion by Councilman Cochrane. Do we have a second?

COUNCILMAN O'CONNOR: Second.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Second by Councilman O'Connor. All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Opposed? (There was no response.) It is approved.

TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Number 6 is TO CONSIDER ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BAY SHORE/BRIGHTWATERS AMBULANCE COMPANY TO PROVIDE AMBULANCE SERVICES TO THE BAY SHORE/BRIGHTWATERS DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Are there any questions? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

**COUNCIL WOMAN BERGIN:** I will make a motion to close the Public Hearing and adopt the resolution.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Motion by Councilwoman Bergin. Do we have a second?

COUNCILMAN COCHRANE, JR.: Second.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Second by Councilman Cochrane.

All those in favor?

ALL: Aye.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER:** Opposed? (There was no response.) It is approved.

TOWN CLERK MURRAY: Item number 7 is TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE CENTRAL ISLIP-HAUPPAUGE AMBULANCE DISTRICT FOR 2021 TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICES WITHIN THE DISTRICT.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Any questions? (There was no response.) Hearing none, I will entertain a motion.

**COUNCILWOMAN MULLEN**: I make a motion to close the Public Hearing and enter into a contract.

**SUPERVISOR CARPENTER**: Motion by Councilwoman Mullen. Do we have a second?

COUNCILMAN O'CONNOR: I will second it.

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Second by Councilman O'Connor. All those in favor?

# Councilman Cochrane should have recused, ALL: Aye. he insures them

SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Opposed? (There was no response.) It is approved. That takes care of the Public Hearings.

Town of Islip

#### **TOWN CLERK**

PUBLIC HEARING 655 Main Street Islip, NY 11751

June 15, 2021 2:00pm

1. To consider amending the Town of Islip Traffic Code as follows:

Schedule G Stop and Yield Intersections

Broadway Avenue at Leona Street (HBK)

Schedule J Parking, Stopping and Standing Regulations

Esther Avenue/ East Sunrise Highway/ Mildred (BSR)

Esther Avenue/ West Mildred Place to Sunrise Highway North

Schedule J Parking, Stopping and Standing Regulations

Browns River Road/ North to Foster Avenue (SVL)

Browns River Road / North from River Road (SVL)

Schedule J Parking, Stopping and Standing Regulations Delete

Browns River Road / North from River Road to Foster Avenue (SVL)

Browns River Road/ South from Foster Avenue (SVL)

2. The Proposed Use and Occupancy Agreement with Civil Air Patrol at the Long Island MacArthur Airport.

3. To consider amending the 2021 contract with Bay Shore/ Brightwaters Ambulance Service Inc. for emergency ambulance services for the residents in the district

WHEREAS, the Bay Shore-Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance Inc. has been providing emergency ambulance services to the residents and persons in the Bay Shore Ambulance District pursuant to a contract which expired on December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip, on behalf of the Bay Shore Ambulance District, held a public hearing on February 9, 2021 to consider entering into a new contract to provide similar services for the year 2021, at which time the Town Board gave its approval to authorize the Supervisor to enter into a new 2021 contract at a cost of \$1,826,773.00; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip has held a public hearing on , 2021 to consider amending said contract for the year 2021 by including an additional sum in the amount of \$2,750,000.00, making the total compensation \$4,576,773.00 ("Contract Fee"), of which \$1,826,773.00, will be collected and paid from taxes and the additional \$2,750,000.00 shall be paid from billing revenue only; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined to be in the public interest to enter into such amended contract retroactive to January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Councilperson Councilperson , be it

, seconded by

RESOLVED, that the Supervisor is authorized to enter into an amended contract on behalf of the Bay Shore Ambulance District for the year 2021 retroactive to January 1st, 2021 with the Bay Shore-Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance Inc. whereby the said Ambulance Service will provide emergency ambulance services for the residents and persons within the Bay Shore Ambulance District for the year 2021 at a cost of \$4,576,773.00 ("Contract Fee"), of which \$1,826,773.00 shall be raised from taxes and \$2,750,000.00 shall be paid from billing revenue only.

Upon a vote being taken, the result was:

#### **AMENDING**

April 20,2021 Public Hearing #2

WHEREAS, the Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service Inc. has been providing emergency ambulance services to the residents and persons in the Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service Inc. District pursuant to a contract which expired on December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip, on behalf of the Brentwood Ambulance District, held a public hearing on February 9, 2021 to consider entering into a new contract to provide similar services for the year 2021, at which time the Town Board gave its approval to authorize the Supervisor to enter into a new 2021 contract at a cost of \$3,058,500.00; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Islip has held a public hearing on , 2021 to consider amending said contract for the year 2021 by including an additional sum in the amount of \$5,000,000.00, making the total compensation \$8,058,500.00 ("Contract Fee"), of which \$3,058,500.00, will be collected and paid from taxes and the additional \$5,000,000.00 shall be paid from billing revenue only; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined to be in the public interest to enter into such amended contract retroactive to January 1st, 2021;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Councilperson James P. O'Connor, seconded by Councilperson Trish Bergin, be it,

RESOLVED, that the Supervisor is authorized to enter into an amended contract on behalf of the Brentwood Legion Ambulance District for the year 2021 retroactive to January 1st, 2021 with the Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service Inc. whereby the said Ambulance Service will provide emergency ambulance services for the residents and persons within the Brentwood Legion Ambulance Service District for the year 2021 at a cost of \$8,058,500.00 ("Contract Fee"), of which \$3,058,500.00 shall be raised from taxes and \$5,000,000.00 shall be paid from billing revenue only.

Upon a vote being taken, the result was: 4-0-1 with Councilman John C. Cochrane, Jr. recuses.

AMBULANCE EXCHANGE & CENTRAL ISLIP-HAUPPAUGE AMBULANCE ALREADY TOLD
THIS AT FEB 9 MEETING
SAYVILLE AMBULANCE NEVER MENTIONED!

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NY SENATE 8<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT 4236 Merrick Road Massapequa, NY 11758



#### **Senator Phil Boyle**

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DISTRICT OFFICE 94 W Main Street Suite 205(2nd Floor) Bay Shore, NY 11706



#### NY SENATE DISTRICT 3

#### **Senator Alexis Weik**

90-B West Main St., Patchogue, NY 11772 Phone: 631-360-3356



#### NY SENATE DISTRICT 2

#### Mario R. Mattera

260 Middle Country Road, Suite 102 Smithtown, NY 11787 631-361-2154



#### **Exchange Ambulance**

#### 1ST BILL

**8610 MAIN ST** WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221 (888)897-4893

Patient Name:

Insurance: MEDICARE DOWNSTATE



Patient Number: 2408

Call Number: 2021-000935 Date Of Call: 04/13/2021 Call Time: 06:36 PM

Caller: \*Police/Fire/911

From Location:

To Location: SOUTHSIDE HOSPITAL

Reason(s) R42 R11.2 Transport R10.9

| DESCRIPTION OF CHARGES |
|------------------------|
| Basic Life Support     |
| Mileage                |

| HCPC  | QUANTITY | UNIT PRICE | AMOUNT |
|-------|----------|------------|--------|
| A0429 | 1.0      | 900.00     | 900.00 |
| A0425 | 2.3      | 30.00      | 69.00  |

| DESCRIPTION OF PAYMENT         |
|--------------------------------|
| Medicare Assignment Adjustment |
| Medicare Assignment Adjustment |
| Medicare Part B Payment        |
| Medicare Part B Payment        |

| RECEIPT  | PAYMENT DATE  | AMOUNT |
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|  | 05/06/2021    | 461.44 |
| 9992348855                                     | 05/06/2021    | 14.04  |
| 9992348855                                     | 05/06/2021    | 350.85 |
|  | Total Credits | 877.78 |

**Total Charges** 

PLEASE PAY THIS AMOUNT =>

\$91.22

969.00

#### Pay your bill and update your insurance online at www.4pab.com

\*DETACH ALONG ABOVE LINE AND RETURN STUB WITH YOUR PAYMENT\*

**Amount Due: \$91.22** 

Patient Name: FER

Call Number: 2021-000935

Amount

Patient Number: 2408

Current Date: 05/06/2021

Enclosed \$

We have received payment from your insurance. However, there is a remaining balance due on your account. Please forward the remaining balance as soon as possible. Thank you.

Exchange Ambulance 8610 MAIN ST WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221-7455

#### 2ND BILL

#### **Exchange Ambulance**

8610 MAIN ST WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221 (888)897-4893

Patient Name:

Insurance: MEDICARE DOWNSTATE

Patient Number: 2408

Call Number: 2021-000935 Date Of Call: 04/13/2021 Call Time: 06:38 PM

Celler: "Police/Fire/911

From Location:

To Location: SOUTHSIDE HOSPITAL

Reason(s) R42 For R112 Transport R10.9

DESCRIPTION OF CHARGES

Basic Life Support

Mileage

**HCPO** QUANTITY A0429 1.0 A0425 2.3

UNIT PRICE 900.00 30.00

AMOUNT: 900.00 69.00

**Total Charges** 

969.00

DESCRIPTION OF PAYMENT Medicare Assignment Adjustment Medicare Assignment Adjustment Medicare Part B Payment Medicare Part B Payment

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**Total Credits** 

PLEASE PAY THIS AMOUNT =>

877.78 \$81.22

Pay your bill and update your insurance online at www.4pab.com \*DETACH ALONG ABOVE LINE AND RETURN STUB WITH YOUR PAYMENT\*

Patient Name:

Amount Due: \$91,22

Amount

Patient Number: 2408

Call Number: 2021-000935

Current Date: 06/08/2021 Enclosed \$\_

This is the second letter informing you that we have received payment from your insurance. However, there is a remaining balance due on your account. Please forward the remaining balance as soon as possible. Thank you.

Exchange Ambulance 8610 MAIN ST WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221-7455

#### Your Claims for Part B (Medical Insurance)

Part B Medical Insurance helps pay for doctors' services, diagnostic tests, ambulance services, and other health care services.

#### **Definitions of Columns**

Service Approved?: This column tells you if Medicare covered the service.

Amount Provider Charged: This is your provider's fee for this service.

Medicare-Approved Amount: This is the amount a provider can be paid for a Medicare service. It may be less than the actual amount the provider charged.

Your provider has agreed to accept this amount as full payment for covered services. Medicare usually pays 80% of the Medicare-approved amount.

Amount Medicare Paid: This is the amount Medicare paid your provider. This is usually 80% of the Medicare-approved amount.

Maximum You May Be Billed: This is the total amount the provider is allowed to bill you and can include a deductible, coinsurance, and other charges not covered. If you have Medicare Supplement Insurance (Medigap policy) or other insurance, it may pay all or part of this amount.

MEDICARE HAS STATED THEY ARE NOT AWARE WE PAY TAXES FOR THIS

### How to Handle Denied Claims or File an Appeal

#### **Get More Details**

If a claim was denied, call or write the provider and ask for an itemized statement for any claim. Make sure they sent in the right information. If they didn't, ask the provider to contact our claims office to correct the error. You can ask the provider for an itemized statement for any service or claim.

Call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227) for more information about a coverage or payment decision on this notice, including laws or policies used to make the decision.

#### If You Disagree with a Coverage Decision, Payment Decision, or Payment Amount on this Notice, You Can Appeal

Appeals must be filed in writing. Use the form to the right. Our claims office must receive your appeal within 120 days from the date you get this notice.

We must receive your appeal by:

September 29, 2021

#### If You Need Help Filing Your Appeal

Contact us: Call 1-800-MEDICARE or your State Health Insurance Program (see page 2) for help before you file your written appeal, including help appointing a representative.

Call your provider: Ask your provider for any information that may help you.

Ask a friend to help: You can appoint someone, such as a family member or friend, to be your representative in the appeals process.

#### Find Out More About Appeals

For more information about appeals, read your "Medicare & You" handbook or visit us online at www.medicare.gov/appeals.

| File an Appeal in Writing   |
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| Follow these steps:   |
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| documents for your records.   |
| 7 Mail this notice and all supporting   |
| documents to the following address:   |
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| Medicare Claims Office  |
| c/o National Government Services, Inc.,<br>P.O. Box 7111  |
| Indianapolis, Indiana 46207-7111  |
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## Exchange Ambulance

8610 MAIN ST WILLIAMSVILLE, NY 14221 (888)897-4893

Potent Name MCMAHON, PETER

Insurance: MEDICARE DOWNSTATE United Healthcare Empire I

SLIP NY 11751

Call Time: 03:05 AM

Patient Number: 2082 Call Number: 210520-0324-EAI Oate Of Call: 05/20/2021

Cater.
Cater.
From Location:
To Location:
SOUTHSIDE HOSPITAL

Reason(s) M54.5 R53.1 Transport R11.10

DESCRIPTION OF CHARGES

QUANTITY HICEC 1.0 A0429 3.0 A0425

UNIT PRICE 900.00 30.00 AMOUNT 900.00 90.00

Basic Life Support Mileago

Private Payment / Check

Medicare Part B Payment

DESCRIPTION OF PAYMENT

Total Charges

PAYMENT DATE 07/20/2021 06/02/2021

AMOUNT 990.00 0.00

990.00

**Total Credits** 

990.00

PLEASE PAY THIS AMOUNT =>

RECEIPT

\$0.00

Pay your bill and update your insurance online at www.4pab.com

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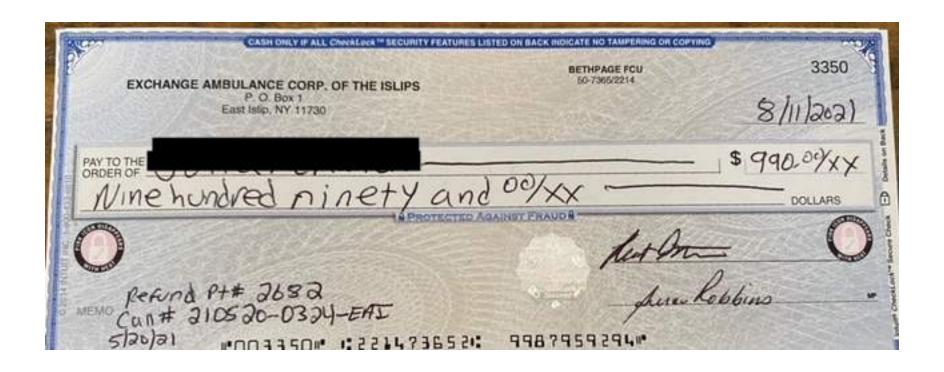
Patient Name Patient Number: 2662 Call Number: 210520-0324-EAI

Current Date: 07/30/2021

Amount Due: \$0.00

Amount Enclosed \$

#### I was contacted by this woman and got here money back! The ambulance company returned this woman's money so fast, it had guilt written all over it!



# **MAJOR ALERT**

**TOWNSHIP OF ISLIP** 

#### AMBULANCE SCAM

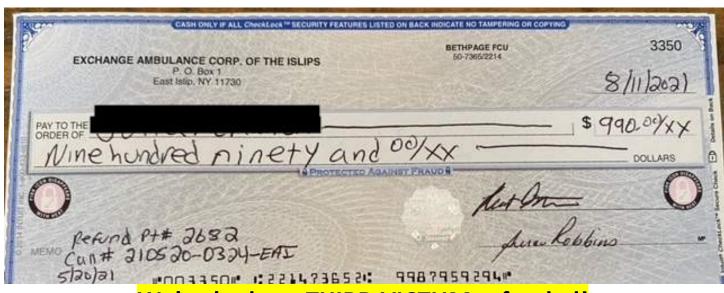
WERE SENT A BILL TO PAY FOR AMBULANCE SERVICE.

#### THIS IS A "CRIME" CONSTRUDED BY OUR OWN TOWN BOARD

THEY HAVE DEMANDED OUR LOCAL AMBULANCE SEVICE SEND US BILLS TO PAY/ WE PAY TAXES FOR THIS SERVICE

thetrucker123@yahoo.com pmontanino1@optimum.net

WHAT YOU WILL NEED- COPY OF THE BILL AND OR CHECK IF PAID FOR A REFUND



We've had our THIRD VICTUM refunded!

New Sayville ambulance station plans OKd

ISLIP TOWN COUNCILMAN COCHRAN







A sign welcomes visitors to Sayville. (Oct. 9, 2011) Credit: Erin Geismar

By Nicole FullerJuly 1, 2012 10:17 AM

The Islip Town planning board has approved plans for the construction of an ambulance station in Sayville.

The board voted unanimously Thursday night to allow Community Ambulance Company, which serves a 23-square-mile area in Islip and answers 4,000 calls annually, to build an ambulance station at Lakeland Avenue and Chester Road.

Dave Genaway, commissioner of Islip's Department of Planning and Development, recommended approval of the project, citing a recent traffic study that said impacts to the area would not be "significant."

At a public hearing last month, a dozen Sayville residents voiced concerns that the ambulance station would increase traffic on both Lakeland Avenue and Chester Road. (JUNE. 2012)

Genaway recommended the installation of a traffic signal on Lakeland Avenue near the entrance to the station, to be used only during emergency calls, that would guarantee safe egress by the ambulances on Lakeland Avenue, he said.

Representatives for the ambulance company did not attend the hearing, but Genaway said they had agreed "verbally" to the traffic light and some landscaping changes. Genaway said the company would be required to sign a document agreeing to the changes.



TOWN BOARD RESOLUTION

TAX MAP #: 0500-280.00-02.00-021.000

WHEREAS. The Sayville Community Ambulance Company, a not-for-profit corporation WHEREAS, the Town of Live and Live and

WHEREAS, The Town of Islip owns a property located on the westerly side of Lakeland WHEREAS, the William of Chester Road, Sayville. Such parcel is also identified as

WHEREAS, The Town of Islip is currently studying the possibility of entering into an

WHEREAS, The Town of Isinp is currently studying the possibility of entering into an whereas, the ambulance company to the above referenced parcel; and whereas, the ambulance company requires an analysis is ip Councilman Cochrane voted WHEREAS, any future public hearing requirements will be fully met by the Town; and has a FINANCIAL INTEREST

OW, THEREFORE, on motion of Councilperson John Cochrane, Jr.

OLVED, that the Town Board hereby grants permission to the Sayville Comor it contractors and/or consultants, to access the town-owned property ident 0-02.00-021 for the purposes of performing topographic or other surveys a uich may include but not be limited to performing soil boring activities. perform any minimal clearing necessary to perform such activities pronent is executed by the Ambulance Company and shall be further subj ts if necessary at their sole cost and expense.

te being taken, the result was: unanimously carried 5-0

# Sayville's Community Ambulance Company opens at \$7.3M site



People gather for the grand opening of Community Ambulance Company in Sayville on Oct. 26, 2014. Credit: James Carbone

By SARAH ARMAGHAN<u>sarah.armaghan@newsday.com</u> @ArmaghanS Updated October 26, 2014
7:42 PM

The Community Ambulance Company in Sayville opened its doors Sunday morning as a crowd watched seven emergency vehicles glide down Lakeland Avenue and into their parking bays at the **new \$7.3 million site.** 

For the past six decades, the ambulance company operated out of a 3,800-square-foot building on Swayze Street that only had two ambulance bays, forcing officials to park some vehicles at Long Island MacArthur Airport and the Bohemia Fire Department. Now, the 22,000-square-foot facility easily fits each truck on the ground floor of the two-story building.

The Community Ambulance Company purchased the land for about \$300,000 from the Town of Islip in 2012, (CROCI FIRST YEAR IN OFFICE) according to MacDonnell. The town was forced to raise taxes that year in the Sayville Ambulance District in order to fund the project, making yearly tax payments increase to about \$110 from \$73 per average household, a nearly 50 percent jump, he said.



| COMMUNITY AMBULANCE<br>CO., INC<br>PO BOX 271<br>SAYVILLE, NY 11782        | 400.00 | 10-MAR-<br>16 | FRIENDS OF ANGIE CARPENTER |
|--|--------|---------------|----------------------------|
| COMMUNITY AMUBULANCE<br>COMPANY<br>146 RAILROAD AVE.<br>SAYVILLE, NY 11782 | 600.00 | 17-SEP-<br>15 | FRIENDS OF ANGIE CARPENTER |

| COMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY<br>INC<br>146 RAILROAD AVE<br>SAYVILLE, NY 11782 | 450.00 | 06-OCT-<br>16 | FRIENDS OF TOM CROCI |
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# The Restriction of Political Campaign Intervention by Section 501(c)(3) Tax-Exempt Organizations

Under the Internal Revenue Code, all section 501(c)(3) organizations are absolutely prohibited from directly or indirectly participating in, or intervening in, any political campaign on behalf of (or in opposition to) any candidate for elective public office. Contributions to political campaign funds or public statements of position (verbal or written) made on behalf of the organization in favor of or in opposition to any candidate for public office clearly violate the prohibition against political campaign activity. Violating this prohibition may result in denial or revocation of tax-exempt status and the imposition of certain excise taxes

#### 146 Railroad Ave

#### Sayville, NY 11782-2710

#### INCIDENTS REGISTERED IN FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

30 Aug 2011

Arcing, shorted electrical equipment Property Use: Actions Taken: **Business office** 

Secure property

17 Feb 2011

Property Use: Actions Taken: Business office Investigate

Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)

05 Feb 2011

Flammable gas or liquid condition, other Property Use: Actions Taken: Business office Investigate

HOUSEHOLDERS AND TENANTS for 146 Railroad Ave, Sayville NY

Businesses

Organization **Phone Number** Additional Info Burger King 631-567-2586 SIC: 5812 - Eating Places COMMUNITY AMBULANCE COMPANY, INC. 631-567-2586 Industry: Provides Free Emergency and Non-

Emergency Medical Assistance to The Community Served, Volunteer Ambulance Service Type of Business:

Domestic Not-For-Profit Corporation

#### SUBJECT: MAINTENANCE OF BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

1. <u>PURPOSE</u>. To provide procedural information for the maintenance and repair of Town of Islip owned and/or operated buildings and facilities.

- 2. <u>RESPONSIBILITY</u>. The Department of Public Works and its subordinate Bureaus are charged with the following building and facility responsibilities:
  - a. Maintenance on all Town owned and/or occupied buildings, including electrical, carpentry, masonry, plumbing, flooring, painting and minor trades activities as it applies to new construction, renovations, alterations, and improvements and repairs.
  - b. Erection and maintenance of fencing on Town owned and/or occupied property.
  - c. Moving departments from building to building.
  - d. Road and highway maintenance including Town parking lots.
  - e. Marina and beach maintenance.
  - f. Repair and maintenance of all vehicles owned by the Town.
  - g. Planning installation and maintenance of all Traffic Safety devices at Town facilities.
  - h. Custodial services on all buildings owned and/or operated by the Town, including the movement of furniture and office equipment within those buildings.
- 3. <u>WORK ORDERS</u>. Department Heads requiring assistance in the areas of maintenance described above will list their request on DPW Form 5 .1, Work Order, copy of which is attached to this directive. Two copies of the Work Order will be completed for each request, and entries made for all items contained in the top half of the form. The preparer will indicate whether the Work Order is for repair, new work or alteration, and whether capital improvement or general funds will be used. The requestor must supply an appropriate account number for new work or alteration with sufficient funds to be used to purchase materials.

When completing a work order both the facility and the specific location within the facility must be given. The requestor must complete a work order for each specific item which is to be erected, repaired or which needs to be maintained.

The Department Head who authorizes the Work Order will sign on the "Authorized By" line. The two copies of the Work Order will be forwarded to the Office of the Commissioner, DPW, for processing of the work and determination of the costs of material and labor used. If a Department Head would like an estimated cost figure prior to the work start date, to ensure that he/she has sufficient unencumbered funds to defray the cost of the work, he/she will mark copies "Please return estimate." The Department of with such requests.

Fire Prevention, with the consent of the owner or occupant, or with a search warrant, shall inspect and approve the receptacles, equipment, vehicles, buildings, premises or storage place to be used. In cases where the approval of any other governmental agency is required, no permit shall be issued until satisfactory evidence of such approval has been submitted by the applicant.

- C. All applications for a permit required by this chapter, other than an application for the household or commercial burning permit, shall be made to the Chief Fire Marshal in such form and detail as he shall prescribe. Applications for permits shall be accompanied by such plans as required by the Chief Fire Marshal. An application for a household or commercial burning permit may be made to the Chief of the Fire Department in whose district the burning is to be conducted. A permit shall not be issued for a period longer than one year unless specifically stated by some other section of this code. A permit shall not be effective until such time as the applicant has corrected all violations which were observed at the time of inspection. The permit fee shall cover a period of one year from the date of initial inspection, unless specifically stated by some other section of this code.
- D. Permits shall at all times be kept on the premises designated therein and shall at all times be subject to inspection by the Division of Fire Prevention and any officer of the Fire or Police Department.
- E. One permit only shall be required by establishments dealing in or using two or more flammable, combustible or explosive materials to be kept in the establishment at any one time, but each of the materials shall be listed in the permit.
- F. A copy of each permit, together with the application and plans upon which it is based, shall be delivered by the Chief Fire Marshal forthwith to the Chief of the Fire Department which protects the area in which the premises are situated.
- G. The Chief Fire Marshal may revoke any permit or approval issued, and the Chief of the Fire Department may revoke a household or commercial burning permit issued by him, if any violation of this chapter is found upon inspection or in case there has been any false statement or misrepresentation as to a material fact in the application or plans on which the permit or approval was based.
- H. No building or structure, except one-family dwellings, shall be erected or altered until the plans therefor have been approved, in writing, by the Chief Fire Marshal. Such written approval shall not be given where said construction or alteration would be in violation of any of the provisions of this chapter.

#### § 19-17. Occupancy of buildings.

No building or structure or part thereof erected or altered in accordance with § **19-10H** shall be occupied for use until an inspection of the same has been conducted by the Division of Fire Prevention and an appropriate certificate of compliance issue.

And that comes from the President of the United States, where he is so worried about bringing in refugees and paying them food stamps. Why is the cost for everything going up? Because we are paying for everybody who doesn't belong here. Well, get the hell out. We don't need you.

You would not have this problem if you would collect the correct amount of tax from these multidwelling homes. Thank you.

#### SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Thank you, George.

Next, Robert Stadelman.

MR. STADELMAN: Robert Stadelman; 190 Carleton Avenue, East Islip. Good afternoon, Supervisor, and Members of the Town Council. As one of the vice presidents of the Exchange Ambulance located on Carleton Avenue, I'm here to request the Town council consider piercing the property tax cap for the upcoming year.

These ambulances provide services to the hamlets of East Islip, Islip, Great River, under the contract with the Town of Islip, and provided a service to our community since 1951. As a taxpayer, myself, I recognize that piercing the cap tax is not what I want.

However, one of the responsibilities of local town government that you folks have to ensure is that the residents are provided with the highest quality of emergency medical care possible. The Town of Islip constructed and owns our present facility since 1990.

In the ensuing 26 years the call volume has doubled from 1,500 calls to 6,000 calls a year. The standard of care provided and expected has evolved. Among the numerous new procedures we have implemented are EKGs, use of controlled substances, use of Narcan by providers, and that is just naming a very few.

These are all required by New York State policy. We have no control over it. Our present facility is no longer adequate to house our equipment, medication, vehicles, and members. All of above are required to provide the ever-expanding scope of practicing prehospital medical care.

The building is splitting at the seams to contain the necessary equipment, and apparatus. Several emergency response vehicles are being kept outside against recommendations with Homeland Security, which delays response to calls due to medications required to be kept inside. In an emergency that means the difference between life and death.

The most alarming condition of the building stems from the result of consultation with architects in 2000. After the dropped ceiling in the offices collapsed, the report indicated our building was never properly constructed. Ceiling joists for the building were never installed causing the front and rear wall of the building to reflect outward.

The report also indicated that repairs are not economically feasible. In the past 16 years you, the Town of Islip Council members are the first group to sit down, take the time and hear the concerns about the structural issues and the functional operations of our facility.

Between outgrowing our building and related structural issues we request the Town in the 2017 budget, contract with an engineering firm to draw up the appropriate architectural and engineering drawings to construct a new facility.

We share your concern that this increase in the budget along with special needs in the Town of Islip may cause the Town to have to pierce the state tax cap. In order for us to provide the best possible emergency medical care and remain compliant with all applicable state and federal regulations, we will need to expand the facility.

We are sensitive to the cost of taxpayers. Thank you for your time and consideration. Those pictures I brought up to you show where the front and back walls are spreading outwards separating from the interior walls.

#### SUPERVISOR CARPENTER: Thank you.

Next speaker is Susan DiMiceli.

MS. DiMICELI: My name is Susan DiMiceli; 27 Shebar Drive, Islip. Thank you for giving me this opportunity. This comes at a very –

THE AUDIENCE: We can't hear you. Louder.

MS. DiMICELI: Last night my husband and I sat down at the kitchen table and we figured a plan on whether we could afford to stay in Islip. I went to bed last night and said you know, we can do it. I woke up this morning, Channel 12, ten percent increase.

That blows the whole budget we just put down. I own a three-bedroom, two-bath splanch on a quarter of an acre on Shebar Drive. I pay my taxes and keep my property in nice condition. I am proud to live there. My taxes now are \$14,700 a year.

Proceedings The next item is an authorization for the Supervisor to enter into a contract on behalf of the Exchange Ambulance of the Islips Ambulance District for the Exchange Ambulance Corporation of the Islips to provide ambulance

1 Proceedings 2 services to our residents to the 3 district for the 2012 calendar 4 year. 5 Are there any questions? 6 COUNCILMAN COCHRANE: Sir, I 7 have to recuse myself on this one, 8 too. I have a business 9 10 SUPERVISOR CROCI: Very 11 good. 12 COUNCILMAN SENFT: I'll make 13 a motion. 14 SUPERVISOR CROCI: A motion 15 from Councilman Senft. 16 COUNCILMAN FLOTTERON: I'11 17 second. 18 SUPERVISOR CROCI: A second 19 from Councilman Flotteron. All in 20 favor? 21 ALL: Aye. 22 SUPERVISOR CROCI: Opposed? 23 (There was no response.) 24 SUPERVISOR CROCI: The 25 motion carries. Councilman

# Islip approves capital budget to help ambulance company

December 11, 2016 By Sophia Chang sophia.chang@newsday.com

Islip Town Hall is seen in an undated image. (Credit: Erin Geismar) Islip's 2017 capital budget includes a new \$6.5 million building for the Exchange Ambulance of the Islips company.

The Islip Town Board narrowly approved the \$45.7 million capital budget at its Nov. 22 board meeting.

Town Supervisor Angie Carpenter and Councilmen Steve Flotteron and John Cochrane voted for the budget. Councilwoman Trish Bergin Weichbrodt voted against the budget and Councilwoman Mary Kate Mullen abstained from voting. Carpenter said the capital budget helps provide a road map for the town's future but

noted that the projects listed in the budget aren't necessarily going to happen.

"This is mainly a plan for spending for next year, hopefully," she said at the meeting. "Some of these projects get put into the budget in hopes we are able to secure some grant funding. We have to show a commitment to really moving forward with the project to secure funding a lot of times."

Bergin Weichbrodt said that the town has increased its rate of borrowing in the past two years. "Typically over the last few years our borrowing has been around \$20 million. If all of these projects are bonded out and we end up borrowing \$45 million . . . our debt service more than doubles," she said.

After the meeting she said, "I find it fiscally irresponsible to double the borrowing and leave our children to shoulder that burden."

Mullen did not return calls for comment.

At the public hearing on the capital budget, Flotteron said in particular the capital budget helps the Exchange Ambulance of the Islips, whose aging building on Carleton Avenue needs extensive repairs.

"The building is not up to New York State building code," he said. "It's an unsafe building."

Selene Fatigate of Sayville said at the hearing that she was concerned about the town borrowing money for the capital projects. "This excessive borrowing will leave our children and our grandchildren in debt," she said.

Islip Town Comptroller Joseph Ludwig said the budget's projects will still be subject to board approval. "The fact that something's written here doesn't mean we're selling bonds," he said, and added, "we don't sell bonds for the projects we're not going to do."

# Islip Town approves \$3.2M bond to relocate East Islip EMS building

The Exchange Ambulance of the Islips, which provides emergency medical services to the town, has outgrown its current facility at 190 Carleton Ave. Credit: Barry Sloan

By Raisa Camargo anargo newsday.com Updated July 31, 2018 1:10 PM

Islip Town will buy property for a new EMS building to accommodate emergency assistance vehicles as the number of service calls in East Islip has grown, officials said.

Town board members voted unanimously in June to approve a \$3.2 million bond to finance the purchase of the 2.4-acre property at 100 Carleton Ave., down the street from the existing facility.

The Exchange Ambulance of the Islip's, which provides emergency medical services to the town, has outgrown its current facility at 190 Carleton Ave., with limited space to house five ambulances and two first responder vehicles, according to town officials.



The future home of the Exchange

Ambulance of the Islip's in East Islip on Thursday. Credit: Barry Sloan

Its restricted capacity could delay the time it takes volunteers to respond to distress calls, Town Supervisor Angie Carpenter said. The ambulance crew has also been forced to park first responder vehicles outside the building's parking lot premises, town officials said.

Carpenter said it's more cost-effective to relocate the emergency response facility to a nearby area rather than rehabilitate the existing building. The town council has been requesting the approval of these funds for a long time, she added.

"We're really very happy we were able to move forward in an expeditious manner," Carpenter said.

The Town of Islip once owned the property where the EMT facility will be relocated but are now in the process of purchasing it back for \$3.2 million, the same price the town sold it for in 2014, according to property records. It was previously a town-owned auto repair garage that the town voted to sell to developer Bohlsen Restaurant Group.

Bohlsen bought it then years later sold it back, Councilwoman Bergins neighbor at the time. WHY

The Town of Islip's capital budget for 2016 -- more than twice the current year's at \$44.6 million -- was adopted at a town board meeting Tuesday by a slight margin of 3-2.

The spending plan includes \$11 million for a new Federal Inspection Services Customs facility at Long Island MacArthur Airport in Ronkonkoma, which would allow for international flights at the cash-strapped hub, and \$6.5 million for Exchange Ambulance of the Islips, a special district, to rehabilitate its infrastructure. More than \$3 million will go toward road drainage and dredging improvements.

Supervisor Angie Carpenter and Councilmen John C. Cochrane Jr. and Steven J. Flotteron voted in favor of the capital budget. Councilman Anthony Senft, the board's sole Conservative Party member and Suffolk County District Court judgeelect, and Councilwoman Trish Bergin Weichbrodt dissented.

#### **\$NYS Department of State Division of Corporations Entity Information**

The information contained in this database is current through February 17,

#### Selected Entity Name: LONG ISLAND ELECTRICAL INSPECTORS, INC.

Selected Entity Status Information
Correct Entity LONG ISLAND ELECTRICAL INSPECTORS,

DOS ID #: Initial DOS Filing AUGUST 31, 2009

Date: SUFFOLK Jurisdiction: NEW YORK

Entity Type: Current Entity DOMESTIC BUSINESS CORPORATION

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Selected Entity Address Information DOS Process (Address to which DOS will mail process if accepted on behalf of the

entity)
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| 1  | Town Board Meeting                 |
| 2  | COUNCILMAN FLOTTERON: I'11         |
| 3  | second.                            |
| 4  | DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER:        |
| 5  | By Councilman Flotteron. All in    |
| 6  | favor?                             |
| 7  | ALL: Aye.                          |
| 8  | DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER:        |
| 9  | Opposed?                           |
| 10 | (No Response.)                     |
| 11 | DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER:        |
| 12 | Motion carries.                    |
| 13 | Item four, authorization           |
| 14 | for the Supervisor to enter into   |
| 15 | an agreement for the Exchange      |
| 16 | Ambulance Corporation of Islips,   |
| 17 | Inc. to provide ambulance services |
| 18 | to their district for the 2015     |
| 19 | year. Are there any questions?     |
| 20 | Hearing no questions, I'll         |
| 21 | entertain a motion.                |
| 22 | MR. COCHRANE: I'll make a          |
| 23 | motion to approve.                 |
| 24 | DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER:        |
| 25 | By Councilman Cochrane. A second?  |

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TOWN OF ISLIP

STATE OF NEW YORK

TOWN BOARD DISCUSSION AGENDA

TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE REGULAR MEETING

AND PUBLIC HEARINGS

January 31, 2012 2:00 p.m. 655 Main Street Islip, New York

APPEARANCES:

SUPERVISOR THOMAS D. CROCI

COUNCILMAN JOHN C. COCHRANE, JR.

COUNCILMAN ANTHONY S. SENFT, JR.

COUNCILMAN STEVEN J. FLOTTERON

TOWN CLERK OLGA H. MURRAY

DEPUTY TOWN CLERK PAT CURCI

TOWN ATTORNEY ROBERT CICALE

NOT PRESENT:

COUNCILWOMAN TRISH BERGIN-WEICHBRODT

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Barbara D. Snyder Court Reporter

1 Proceedings 2 COUNCILMAN FLOTTERON: 3 Second the motion. 4 SUPERVISOR CROCI: Motion 5 from Councilman Senft, second from 6 Councilman Flotteron. All in 7 favor? 8 ALL: Aye. 9 SUPERVISOR CROCI: Opposed? 10 (There was no response.) 11 SUPERVISOR CROCI: The 12 motion carries. 13 The next item is an 14 authorization for the Supervisor to enter into a contract on behalf of 15 16 the Brentwood Volunteer Ambulance District for the Brentwood Legion 17 18 Ambulance Service, Inc., to provide 19 ambulance services to the district 20 for the 2012 calendar year. 21 Are there any questions? 22 (There was no response.) 23 COUNCILMAN COCHRANE: Mr. 24 Supervisor, I have to recuse 25 myself.

| 1  | Town Board Meeting                 |
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| 2  | MS. BERGIN WEICHBRODT:             |
| 3  | Second.                            |
| 4  | DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER:        |
| 5  | By Councilwoman Bergin. All in     |
| 6  | favor?                             |
| 7  | ALL: Aye.                          |
| 8  | DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER:        |
| 9  | Opposed?                           |
| 10 | (No Response.)                     |
| 11 | DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER:        |
| 12 | Motion carries.                    |
| 13 | Item six, authorization for        |
| 14 | the Supervisor to enter into an    |
| 15 | agreement for the Brentwood Legion |
| 16 | Ambulance Service, Inc. to provide |
| 17 | ambulance services to the          |
| 18 | Brentwood Volunteer Ambulance      |
| 19 | District for the 2015 year. Are    |
| 20 | there any questions?               |
| 21 | (No Response.)                     |
| 22 | DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER:        |
| 23 | Hearing no questions, I'll         |
| 24 | entertain a motion.                |
| 25 | MS. BERGIN WEICHBRODT:             |
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Town Board Meeting I'll make a motion to approve. 2 3 DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER: 4 By Councilwoman Bergin. Second? 5 COUNCILMAN SENFT: Second. 6 DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER: 7 Second by Councilman Senft. All 8 in favor? 9 ALL: Aye. 10 DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER: 11 Opposed? 12 (No Response.) 13 DEP. SUPERVISOR HOFMEISTER: 14 Motion carries. 15 Item seven, authorization for the Supervisor to enter into 16 17 an agreement for the Bay Shore 18 Brightwaters Rescue Ambulance, 19 Inc. to provide ambulance services 20 to the Bay Shore Ambulance 21 District for the 2015 year. Are 22 there any questions? Hearing no 23 questions, I'll entertain a 24 motion. 25 MR. COCHRANE: I make a

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- 22. Authorization for the Supervisor to execute a renewal to the January 2020 Personal Services Agreement with Michael Ramundo to provide services and updates to the Assessor's Office software programs during the conversion to Alpha 5 Operating System.
- 23. Authorization for the Supervisor to execute a Professional Services Agreement with Johnson, Kukata, and Lucchesi Engineers PC., for engineering, design and bid services in connection with the Rehabilitation of Runway 15R and 33L and Taxiway S at Long Island MacArthur Airport.
- 24. Authorization for the Supervisor to execute a Professional Services Agreement with C&S Companies for construction administration and construction inspection services related to the upgrade of the existing Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing and Fire Systems within the Main Terminal Building at Long Island MacArthur Airport.
- 25. Authorization for the Supervisor to enter into a Professional Services Agreement with L.K. McLean Associates, P.C. for construction administration and inspection services related to Phase II of the Rehabilitation of the Main Terminal Building at Long Island MacArthur Airport.
- 26. Authorization for the Supervisor to rescind the Contract Bid to Eldor Contracting Corporation for Electrical in connection with Renovation of Building 150 to serve as the Ground Vehicle Transportation Center at Long Island MacArthur Airport and award it to Roland's Electric, Inc.
- 27. Authorization for the Town Clerk to advertise for a Public Hearing to to enter into an agreement with <u>Brentwood Legion Ambulance</u> Service, Inc. to provide ambulance services to the Brentwood Legion Ambulance District.

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28. Authorization for the Town Clerk to advertise for a Public Hearing to consider entering into an agreement with <u>Sayville Community</u> <u>Ambulance Company</u> to provide ambulance services to the Sayville District. shellfish vote

TOWN OF ISLIP

STATE OF NEW YORK



TOWN BOARD REGULAR MEETING

DISCUSSION AGENDA AND PUBLIC HEARINGS

July 16, 2013

2:00 p.m.

655 Main Street

Islip, New York

APPEARANCES:

SUPERVISOR THOMAS D. CROCI

COUNCILMAN ANTHONY S. SENFT, JR.

COUNCILMAN JOHN C. COCHRANE, JR.

COUNCILMAN STEVEN J. FLOTTERON

COUNCILWOMAN TRISH BERGIN WEICHBRODT

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| 1  | Proceedings                         |
| 2  | SUPERVISOR CROCI: And a             |
| 3  | second from Councilwoman Bergin     |
| 4  | Weichbrodt. All in favor?           |
| 5  | ALL: Aye.                           |
| 6  | SUPERVISOR CROCI: Opposed?          |
| 7  | (There was no response.)            |
| 8  | SUPERVISOR CROCI: The               |
| 9  | motion carries.                     |
| 10 | MR. MANNIX: The next item           |
| 11 | on the agenda would be the approval |
| 12 | of an inducement resolution between |
| 13 | the Corporation and the Community   |
| 14 | Ambulance Company, Inc., located on |
| 15 | Lakeland Avenue in Sayville.        |
| 16 | Actually, currently,                |
| 17 | Community Ambulance is              |
| 18 | headquartered on Swezey Street in   |
| 19 | Sayville where they have been since |
| 20 | 1950 in rather ancient and now      |
| 21 | insufficient buildings for their    |
| 22 | current service territory.          |
| 23 | They are located at the very        |
| 24 | southern end of their service       |
| 25 | territory and are proposing to move |
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Proceedings

closer to the center of that rather large service territory on Lakeland Avenue in Sayville.

The project would involve

the construction of a

23,000-square-foot headquarters and response facility on Town-owned

land, as I said, on Lakeland

Avenue.

What we are doing here today is approving the issuance of approximately 9.4 million dollars in tax exempt industrial revenue bonds for this project. And the repayment of those bonds would fall solely upon the taxpayers within the jurisdiction of the service territory for Community Ambulance.

SUPERVISOR CROCI: Very

good. Thank you.

Are there any questions for Mr. Mannix?

(There was no response.)

SUPERVISOR CROCI: Hearing

Proceedings 1 2 none, I'll entertain a motion. 3 MR. MANNIX: I'm sorry, if I 4 could add -- I apologize. We're 5 joined today by Howard Gross, Mike 6 Kennedy, and Stanley Gueanta 7 (phonetic) representing the 8 Sayville Community Ambulance. So 9 they're anxiously awaiting this 10 approval. 11 SUPERVISOR CROCI: I want to 12 thank the members and the families 13 Sayville Community Ambulance who 14 do such a fine job for our 15 community. And they're always 16 there when you need them. 17 I'll entertain a motion. 18 COUNCILMAN FLOTTERON: 19 Motion to approve. 20 SUPERVISOR CROCI: A motion from Councilman Flotteron. 21 COUNCILWOMAN BERGIN 22 23 WEICHBRODT: Second. 24 SUPERVISOR CROCI: And a 25 second from Councilwoman Bergin

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Weichbrodt. All in favor?

ALL: Aye.

SUPERVISOR CROCI: Opposed?

(There was no response.)

SUPERVISOR CROCI: The

motion carries four, one recusal.

Councilman Cochrane recuses

himself.

MR. MANNIX: The last item on the agenda is to consider the adoption of a resolution authorizing a refinancing of the United Cerebral Palsy Association of Great Suffolk's facility at 159 Carleton Avenue in Central Islip.

Currently, that facility is owned technically by the Industrial Development Agency. And when it was originally built, the issuer of the tax exempt bonds at that time was the Industrial Development Agency.

State law has since changed. The IDAs can no longer issue this

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## TOWN BOARD DISCUSSION AGENDA June 16, 2020

- 1. Meeting of the Town of Islip Industrial Development Agency.
- Town Board authorization to clean up or secure certain properties in the Town of Islip.
- Authorization for the Supervisor to enter into a contract extension with Stang Carting for the removal of solid waste services at the Atlantique Beach Marina Facility on Fire Island for the 2020 season.
- Authorization for the Supervisor to enter into a contract extension with Stang Carting for the removal of solid waste services within the Fair Harbor Garbage District for the 2020 season.
- 5. Bid Awards.
- Option Year Resolutions.
- Authorization for the Supervisor to extend an amendment to the lease between the Town of Islip Foreign Trade Zone Authority and the Town of Islip.
- 8. Authorization for the Supervisor to execute an agreement with the CDA for the monetary reimbursement for the purchase of a 2020 Ford Transit Refrigerated Van which serves to deliver meals to senior citizen residents directly impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Authorization for the Supervisor to execute a Professional Services
   Agreement with C&S Companies for construction management and
   inspection services relating to Phase I of the Rehabilitation of the Main
   Terminal Building at Long Island MacArthur Airport.
- 10. Authorization for the Supervisor to execute an amendment to the On-Call Engineering Services Agreement with N.D. Eryou to provide environmental monitoring and services for the Department of Aviation and Transportation at Long Island MacArthur Airport.

- 11. Authorization for the Supervisor to execute any and all documents to execute a Second Amendment to the On-Call Engineering Services Agreement with JKL Engineers, PC to provide professional engineering services for the Department of Aviation & Transportation at Long Island MacArthur Airport and the Bayport Aerodrome.
- 12. Town Board approval for the list of eligible participants submitted by the five Ambulance Corps for participation in the 2019 Active Volunteer Workers Service Award Program (LOSAP). co-recuse
- Authorization for the Supervisor to enter into an agreement with Bricks 4 Kidz to provide eight separate sessions of recreational classes.
- 14. Authorization for the Supervisor to enter into a contract with Suffolk Paving Corp. for DPW 2-2020, Requirements Contract and Specifications for Asphalt Concrete on Various Town Roads.
- 15. Town Board acceptance of the 2020-2024 Consolidated Strategy and Plan Submission for Housing and Community Development Programs, 2020-1<sup>st</sup> Annual Action Plan and the Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice.
- 16. Authorization for the Supervisor to amend the License Agreement with Sea Toys Limited for the concession stand servicing the spray park and marina located at Bay Shore Marina
- 17. Authorization for the Supervisor to enter into a second one-year extension of the Existing Agreement to allow the continued operations of the Licensee at the Town owned property located at 190 Carleton Avenue, East Islip.
- 18. Authorization for the Supervisor to enter into a License Agreement with East Islip Anglers Association for the use of the property for parking in connection with their marina.
- Appropriation Transfers.
- 20. Authorization for the Supervisor to sign the proposed site plan and any associated permit applications in connection for the property located at 100 Carleton Avenue, East Islip.

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- 29. Authorization for the Town Clerk to advertise for a Public Hearing to consider entering into an agreement with the Exchange Ambulance Corporation of the Islips to provide ambulance services for the Exchange Ambulance District. carp/coc-2nd
- 30. Authorization for the Town Clerk to advertise for a Public Hearing to consider entering into an agreement with the with Bay Shore/Brightwaters Ambulance Company to provide ambulance services to the Bay Shore Brightwaters District.
- 31. Authorization for the Supervisor to rescind the November 17, 2020 Contract Award with Eldor Electrical Construction and execute contract DPD 3-20, "Long Term Flood Reduction Program-Pump Stations", with Eldor Contracting Corp.
- 32. Authorization for the Supervisor to enter into an agreement with the Community Development Agency for calendar year 2021 whereby the Town will provide certain services related to code enforcement.
- Town Board approval to appoint Lawrence Donohue, Esq. to serve as a member to the Town of Islip Ethics Board.
- Town Board approval to appoint Meghan Healy to serve as a member to the Town of Islip Ethics Board.
- Town Board approval to reappoint Edward Friedland to serve as a member to the Town of Islip Planning Board.
- Town Board approval to reappoint John Rotzman to serve as a member to the Town of Islip Board of Assessment Review Board.
- 37. Authorization for the Supervisor to execute any and all documentation required for the purchase of vehicles Townwide pursuant to the Board of Cooperation Education Services of Nassau County Contract Number 19/20-045X Ext 1- Passenger Cars, Vans and Trucks.
- 38. Town Board Acceptance of two (2) Dedications to the Town of Islip from FRC GH OWNERCO LLC for the property located at 0 Carleton Avenue, Central Islip.

## **ISLIP Town Board notes**

Story By: ANTHONY PERROTTA 2/14/2019. ISLIP BULLETIN

ISLIP TOWN—Only two people spoke during the public portion of this month's Islip Town Board meeting. The first speaker made a proposition regarding Long Island MacArthur Airport, while the second accused a councilmember of conflicting interests.

Islip resident Greg Pepe took issue with councilman John Cochrane's personal involvement in the town's Bay Bottom Leasing Program, which leases over 100 acres of town-owned property to local entrepreneurs for harvesting oysters, hard-shell clams and scallops. Once grown, the shellfish are marketed and sold to local restaurants and retail establishments, according to the town's website.

Pepe, a regular speaker at Islip Town Board meetings, presented documents that show J.A. Cochrane & Son, LLC, a registered corporation with New York State Department of State, initially filed an application to lease town-owned parcels on Dec. 8, 2014.

regarding the lease that runs from 2016-2021. "I can't see why a paid councilman, earning a salary, is able to lease a parcel of underground water, owned by the Town of Islip, to enrich himself."

Cochrane remained silent, but Islip Town Supervisor Angie Carpenter said she "distinctly" remembers the councilman making a public presentation where he abstained himself from voting on the measure. "He has since divested himself [from] this [issue]." Carpenter said.

John DiCioccio, Islip Town's attorney, backed up the supervisor's comments.

DiCioccio said that town officials had a board of ethics committee look into the issue prior to the agreement. "[The ethics committee] said it was okay." he added.

Last month. Pepe voiced concerns about Cochrane serving as CEO of Long Island Electrical Inspectors Inc., a Bay Shore-based electrical company that performs electric inspections for certifications of occupancy on behalf of Islip Town.

This publication reported on Pepe's comments in the article "Town board notes," published on Jan. 17, 2019, where he referred to a New York State code of ethics that prohibits such an affiliation for elected officials.

d Libassi, president of A & P Aircraft Maintenance, asked the town board if he could rent a vacant hangar at Islip MacArthur Airport. "I don't want to restore [the hangar] or knock it down. I don't want to own the hangar door," he told the board earlier this week. "I don't

# New Sayville ambulance station plans OKd



A sign welcomes visitors to Sayville. (Oct. 9, 2011) Credit: Erin Geismar

By Nicole FullerJuly 1, 2012 10:17 AM

The Islip Town planning board has approved plans for the construction of an ambulance station in Sayville.

#### **COCHRAN VOTED**

the board voted unanimously Thursday night to allow Community Ambulance Company, which serves a 23-square-mile area in Islip and answers 4,000 calls annually, to build an ambulance station at Lakeland Avenue and Chester Road.

Dave Genaway, commissioner of Islip's Department of Planning and Development, recommended approval of the project, citing a recent traffic study that said impacts to the area would not be "significant."

At a public hearing last month, a dozen Sayville residents voiced concerns that the ambulance station would increase traffic on both Lakeland Avenue and Chester Road. (JUNE. 2012)

Genaway recommended the installation of a traffic signal on Lakeland Avenue near the entrance to the station, to be used only during emergency calls, that would guarantee safe egress by the ambulances on Lakeland Avenue, he said.

Representatives for the ambulance company did not attend the hearing, but Genaway said they had greed "verbally" to the traffic light and some landscaping changes. Genaway said the company would be required to sign a document agreeing to the changes.



TOWN BOARD RESOLUTION

TAX MAP #: 0500-280.00-02.00-021.000

WHEREAS. The Savville Community Ambulance Company, a not-for-profit corporation WHEREAS, the Sayvine Community Ambulance Company, a not-for-profit corporation of the greater Sayville area, and

WHEREAS, The Town of Islip owns a property located on the westerly side of Lakeland WHEREAS, the country owns a property located on the westerly side of La upproximately 71 feet south of Chester Road, Sayville. Such parcel is also identified as

WHEREAS, The Town of Islip is currently studying the possibility of entering into an where As, the relocation of the ambulance company to the above referenced parcel; an

WHEREAS, the ambulance company requires an analysis of the soil and or environm Loarcel; and

WHEREAS, any future public hearing requirements will be fully met by the Town;

OW, THEREFORE, on motion of Councilperson John Cochrane, Jr.

OLVED, that the Town Board hereby grants permission to the Sayville Com or it contractors and/or consultants, to access the town-owned property ident 0-02.00-021 for the purposes of performing topographic or other surveys a nich may include but not be limited to performing soil boring activities. perform any minimal clearing necessary to perform such activities pronent is executed by the Ambulance Company and shall be further subjection ts if necessary at their sole cost and expense.

te being taken, the result was: unanimously carried 5-0

SAYVILLE AMBULANCE VOTE COUNCILMAN COCHRANE INSURES THEM PARTIALLY

# Sayville's Community Ambulance Company opens at \$7.3M site



People gather for the grand opening of Community Ambulance Company in Sayville on Oct. 26, 2014. Credit: James Carbone

By SARAH ARMAGHANsarah.armaghan@newsday.com @ArmaghanS Updated October 26, 2014

The Community Ambulance Company in Sayville opened its doors Sunday morning as a crowd watched seven emergency vehicles glide down Lakeland Avenue and into their parking bays at the <a href="new \$7.3 million site.">new \$7.3 million site.</a>

For the past six decades, the ambulance company operated out of a 3,800-square-foot building on Swayze Street that only had two ambulance bays, forcing officials to park some vehicles at Long Island MacArthur Airport and the Bohemia Fire Department. Now, the 22,000-square-foot facility easily fits each truck on the ground floor of the two-story building.

The Community Ambulance Company purchased the land for about \$300,000 from the Town of Islip in 2012, (CROCI FIRST YEAR IN OFFICE) according to MacDonnell. The town was forced to raise taxes that year in the Sayville Ambulance District in order to fund the project, making yearly tax payments increase to about \$110 from \$73 per average household, a nearly 50 percent jump, he said.

#### Islip approves capital budget to help ambulance company | Newsday 📀

https://www.newsday.com/long-island/suffolk/islip-approves-capital-budget-to-help-ambulance-c...

Dec 11, 2016 ... Islip's 2017 capital budget includes a new \$6.5 million building for the Exchange Ambulance of the Islips company. The Islip Town Board narrowly approved the \$45.7.

Islip approves capital budget to help ambulance company December 11, 2016 By Sophia Chang sophia.chang@newsday.com Islip Town Hall is seen in an undated image. (Credit: Erin Geismar) Islip's 2017 capital budget includes a new \$6.5 million building for the Exchange Ambulance of the slips company

The Islip Town Board narrowly approved the \$45.7 million capital budget at its Nov. 22 board meeting. Town Supervisor Angie Carpenter and Councilmen Steve Flotteron and John Cochrane voted for the budget.

## Newsday

## Islip cites urgent need for new ambulance facility February 22, 2017

A new \$6.5 million, 15,500-square-foot facility for the Exchange Ambulance of the Islips has drawn some criticism from a resident, who is campaigning for the building to be renovated instead for less money.

The Town of Islip owns the building on Carleton Avenue in East Islip where the ambulance exchange is headquartered. In November, the town board narrowly approved its \$45.7 million capital budget plan, which included a new facility for the ambulance company.

Islip resident Greg Pepe, who complained about the cost of the building to the Islip Town Board at its January board meeting, said repairs are possible and for much less than \$6.5 million.

He cited a **2000** engineer's report on the building that "the roof structure does not meet the requirements of the New York State Building Code. The remainder of the building is in sound structural condition." The report by H2M Group concluded that the building's roof could be repaired for \$165,000.

"Why spend \$6.5 million when you need a bay or two for equipment?" Pepe said. "This is something that could be done at a fraction of the cost."

In October 2016, H2M sent an updated letter to Stadelman that said "We are recommending demolition of the existing roof and wall assemblies."

### (H2M also has a construction Co.)

Councilman Steve Flotteron, who supported the new facility, said the ambulance company has been asking for a new facility for years and the need has only grown greater.

Supervisor Angie Carpenter said in a statement that the town has an obligation to keep the ambulance company's facilities update