

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION
DIVISION OF HEALTH RELATED PROGRAMS

Milwaukee County

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Chief Lawrence Gardner
Milwaukee Fire Department
711 West Wells Street
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53233

Dear Chief Gardner:

During December, the County Board of Supervisors and the County Executive authorized the execution of Paramedic Service contracts and Paramedic First Response contracts with municipalities for a three year period effective January 1, 2001. Attached you will find two (2) complete sets of documents for your review and approval. The Emergency Medical Services contract pertains to the operation of a Paramedic Transport Vehicle and establishes costs and reimbursement rates which the County will pay during the term of the agreement. This document must be executed in order for the County to issue any payments to the municipality and County Ordinance prohibits payment of services until such time as the completely executed agreement is on file with Central Accounting.

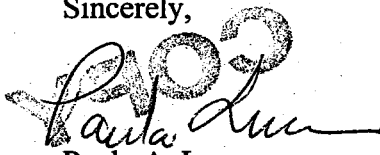
The second set of contracts are for the operation of a Paramedic First Response program and the parameters under which that program is part of the overall County system. The Paramedic First Response program is a voluntary program operated by the municipality and the contract establishes access to the Paramedic Communications base, medical control and oversight and other parameters of the Paramedic First Response operation.

Upon review and execution by the proper representatives of your municipality, please return both sets of the Paramedic agreement and, if you choose, the Paramedic First Response agreement to me for finalization by County representatives. We will return a fully executed set to you or your designated representative as soon as possible.

I would be glad to answer any questions you might have regarding the contracts and can be reached at (414) 257-5949.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. We are looking forward to a long and fruitful three years.

Sincerely,



Paula A. Lucey
Director

cc: Deputy Chief Gloria Murawsky (Letter only)

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