

November 18, 2020

## VIA E-MAIL & HAND DELIVERY

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Attn: Mr. Joshua Parish, Acting Assistant Chief

## VIA E-MAIL

jowcza@milwaukee.gov Mr. James Owczarski, City Clerk City of Milwaukee City Hall – Room 205 200 East Wells Street Milwaukee, WI 53202

RE:	Midwest Medical Transport Company, LLC / City of Milwaukee, WI - Application
	for Ambulance Certification and Assignment of Ambulance Service Agreement for
	Service Area No. 1

<b>SUBJ:</b>	Common	Council	File No	. 200890 [or N	No		TBD]:	Resolution
	relating	to certific	ation of	ambulance ser	vice	providers f	for the city	emergency
	medical	service	system	(Application	by	Midwest	Medical	Transport
	Company, LLC for Ambulance Certification)							

SUBJ: Common Council File No. \_\_\_\_\_\_: Resolution approving an Assignment and Assumption of the Private Ambulance Service Provider Agreement for Emergency Medical Services in Area #1 and Certificate for Area #1 from Paratech Ambulance Service, Inc. to Midwest Medical Transport Company, LLC

Dear Chief Parish and Mr. Owczarski:

I am writing on behalf of our client Midwest Medical Transport Company, LLC ("Midwest Medical Transport") as Midwest Medical Transport has negotiated an agreement to buy substantially all of the assets of Paratech Ambulance Service, Inc. ("Paratech") under an asset purchase agreement (the "Purchase Agreement"). The transaction under the Purchase Agreement is scheduled to close in early December.

As you know, Paratech is a contract partner with the City of Milwaukee for the Emergency Medical Services System under that certain Private Ambulance Service Provider Agreement for Emergency Medical Services in Area #1 in the City of Milwaukee (the "Area #1 Agreement")

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and Paratech operates under a certificate from the City as a BLS provider for Area #1 (the "Area #1 Certificate").

The Purchase Agreement provides for Paratech to assign and Midwest Medical Transport to assume, subject to the approval of the City, the Area #1 Agreement as well as the Area #1 Certificate as the BLS provider for Area #1 in the City.

First, Midwest Medical Transport must be approved as a certified provider by the City for the balance of 2020 and for 2021. The Application for Ambulance Certification must be processed and reviewed in accordance with Section 75-15, Milwaukee Code of Ordinances, which application shall ultimately be approved by the Common Council as part of the pending certification Common Council File No. 200890 or a separate file to be introduced.

Accordingly, please find the following application materials:

- 1) Application for Ambulance Certification by Midwest Medical Transport Company, LLC d/b/a Paratech Ambulance;
- 2) Vehicle List;
- 3) Certificate of Insurance; and
- 4) Check in the amount of \$1,100.00 for the application fee.

As indicated in Midwest Medical Transport's application materials, Jeff Shullaw is the primary contact for any direct questions or additional information that may be needed.

Kindly process and review these materials and place them at the appropriate time in Common Council File No. 200890 or a separate file to be introduced.

Second, please consider this letter as Midwest Medical Transport and Paratech's request, pursuant to § 11 of the Area #1 Agreement. that the City approve the assignment and assumption of the Area #1 Agreement and the Area #1 Certificate from Paratech to Midwest Medical Transport. It is our understanding that a separate Common Council file and resolution will be introduced for the requested assignment.

By separate letter to Tyrone St. Junior, the Assistant City Attorney for the City's ambulance matters, I will forward an initial draft of an Assignment and Assumption of Ambulance Service Agreement for Area #1 and Approval by the City of Milwaukee.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, or any of the principals of the companies directly, should you or any other City officials have questions or comments regarding the transaction, the

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Application for Ambulance Certification by Midwest Medical Transport, or the assignment request and approval process under § 11 of the Area #1 Agreement.

Thank you for your attention to this communication.

Very truly yours,

Davis & Kuelthau, s.c.

Brian C. Randall

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Enclosures (to Chief Parish) / Attachments (all except check)

cc: All Via E-Mail (w/attachs.)

Tyrone St. Junior, Esq. – Assistant City Attorney

Mr. Jeff Shullaw – Midwest Medical Transport Company, LLC

Mr. Ed Matteson – Midwest Medical Transport Company, LLC

Mr. Robert A. Rauch – Paratech Ambulance Service, Inc.

Mr. Richard Romanshek – Paratech Ambulance Service, Inc.

Mr. Lawrence J. Knuth – Paratech Ambulance Service, Inc.

Mr. Paul Rauch – Paratech Ambulance Service, Inc.