



Las Vegas

Agenda Item No.: 39.

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE
CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: AUGUST 6, 2014

DEPARTMENT: FIRE & RESCUE
DIRECTOR: WILLIAM McDONALD

Consent Discussion

SUBJECT:
ABEYANCE ITEM - Discussion or possible action regarding a solicitation for ambulance services, commencing December 2015, for the City of Las Vegas - All Wards

Fiscal Impact:

No Impact Augmentation Required
 Budget Funds Available

Amount:
Funding Source:
Dept./Division:

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

The City of Las Vegas entered into a 10 year ambulance franchise agreement with Mercy Incorporated doing business as American Medical Response, which commenced on December 1, 2005 and expires on November 30, 2015. Staff is recommending to begin the process of securing a new ambulance franchise agreement due to the fact that the pre hospital care needs of our residents have evolved significantly over that period of time and the implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) will influence the provision of services and create new opportunities and challenges. Given the complexity of the pre hospital care system and the potential to identify creative, innovative and more efficient partnerships between LVFR and the private ambulance provider, staff is recommending a competitive request for proposal (RFP) process to identify the ambulance provider for the new ambulance franchise agreement. Continued on Agenda Memo. This item was held in Abeyance from the July 16, 2014 City Council meeting.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

Agenda Memo

Motion made by STAVROS S. ANTHONY to Hold in abeyance Items 39 and 40 to 8/20/2014

Passed For: 6; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 1; Excused: 0
BOB COFFIN, RICKI Y. BARLOW, LOIS TARKANIAN, CAROLYN G. GOODMAN,
STAVROS S. ANTHONY, BOB BEERS; (Against-None); (Abstain-None); (Did Not Vote-
STEVEN D. ROSS); (Excused-None)

Minutes:

See Item 9 for related discussion.