

RESOLUTION

NO: 2023-07-122

LIVINGSTON COUNTY

DATE: July 17, 2023

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**Resolution Authorizing the Addition of 4 FTE's – Emergency Medical Services**

**WHEREAS** The EMS department continues to struggle to meet the increasing demand for EMS service in the community; and

**WHEREAS,** The EMS department has improved its current staffing level over the past 18 months, and we have done well at maintaining that level. Unfortunately, that level is still not sufficient to provide a comfortable service level to the county residents; and

**WHEREAS,** The only way for us to further increase our current service level is to add more staff. We continue to be in a position where I am confident that we can recruit and train staff to fill these additional positions; and

**WHEREAS,** The EMS department has the necessary resources (vehicles and equipment) to accommodate this increase in service level; and

**WHEREAS,** The EMS department has steadily improved its financial position over the past 3 years and the EMS Director is comfortable that the cost of the additional FTEs can be fully funded by the department without the use of fund balance or deficit spending in FY 23 or FY 24.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the addition of four (4) Paramedics to the EMS department..

Position #	Description	Group	Grade	FTE	Status
65100309	PARAMEDIC	EMS T2	START	1.00	A
65100310	PARAMEDIC	EMS T2	START	1.00	A
65100311	PARAMEDIC	EMS T2	START	1.00	A
65100312	PARAMEDIC	EMS T2	START	1.00	A

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes any budget amendments to effectuate the above.

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**MOVED:**  
**SECONDED:**  
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