

## Austin - Travis County EMS Advisory Board RECOMMENDATION 20171101-007

Date: 11/1/2017

Subject: Consider and take action of the non-emergency medical transfer franchise application submitted by Allegiance Mobile Health.

Motioned By: Board Member Jerry Staton

Seconded By: Board Member John Villanacci

**Recommendation:** To support the approval of the non-emergency medical transfer franchise for Allegiance Mobile Health.

Rationale: Due to growth of the City of Austin, having a third non-emergency medical transfer franchise in the City of Austin could help to handle additional volume of non-emergency transfer calls. The City Code allows the City Council to extend an initial medical transfer agreement for up to five years. If approved, the transfer service franchise holder will be subject to review and analysis on an annual basis with results being presented to the ATCEMS Advisory Board and City Council. Allegiance Mobile Health has adequately completed the application process as determined by City Code as noted in the EMS staff findings. The Austin – Travis County EMS Advisory Board encourages the Austin City Council to approve this five-year agreement.

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Record of the vote: Unanimous on a 7-0 vote, with two members absent.

For: 7 - Mark Clayton, Tracy Dalbosco, Lisa Harris, John Villanacci, Justin Otwell, Randall Higgins, Jerry Staton

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

Absent: 2 - Chris Ziebell, Vard Curtis

Attest: Mark Clayton Chair