

SUMTER COUNTY, FLORIDA
CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY
FOR
ADVANCED AND BASIC LIFE SUPPORT TRANSPORT SERVICE

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida (BOCC) has determined that there is a need for Advanced and Basic Life Support (ALS/BLS) Transport Services within Sumter County; and

WHEREAS, LAKE SUMTER EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES, INC. (LSEMS), a Florida non-profit corporation, 2761 West Old Highway 441, Mount Dora, Florida 32757, has proposed to continue to provide ALS/BLS Transport Services for Sumter County, Florida; and

WHEREAS, there is a demonstrated need for such services in Sumter County; and

WHEREAS, a level of services agreement is being developed with Lake County for LSEMS; and

WHEREAS, Lake and Sumter County agree that sufficient notice of termination of their interlocal agreement related to LSEMS would occur no later than April 1, 2011 with an effective date of termination of September 30, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the BOCC wishes to award a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (COPCN) during the interim period of September 30, 2010 to September 30, 2011;

NOW, THEREFORE, there is hereby issued to LSEMS a COPCN to operate ALS/BLS Transport (Ambulance) Services in Sumter County for twelve (12) months commencing October 1, 2010.

ISSUED this 14th day of September 2010.

Board of County Commissioners
Sumter County, Florida

By: _____
Doug Gilpin, Chairman