

RESOLUTION NO. A-_____

WHEREAS, the Lincoln City Council supports the Report and Recommendations of the Lancaster County Medical Society contained in the document entitled ~~A~~Independent Medical Oversight for Pre-Hospital Medical Care[@] (March 2000) which specifically recommends an emergency and non-emergency medical system for the City of Lincoln including the following components:

- A. A system operated under independent medical oversight and medical control direction by the Lancaster County Medical Society;
- B. A system covering a unified geographic area including the City of Lincoln and Lancaster County;
- C. A system integrating emergency medical transport with non-emergency medical transport at an advanced life support level in order to provide premier quality medical service for both methods of medical transport; and
- D. A system with the resources and direction to provide emergency and non-emergency medical transport from areas outside the City of Lincoln and Lancaster County at an advanced life support level in order to support and develop the regional medical facilities in the City of Lincoln; and

WHEREAS, the Lincoln City Council also supports the concept of an efficiently run emergency and non-emergency medical transport system for the City of Lincoln which does not add additional cost to the City budget or adversely impact the City tax base.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Council will only support proposals to modify the current Lincoln-Lancaster County emergency medical service system policies, procedures and ordinances which include:

- A. The recommendations of the Lancaster County Medical Society as contained in the document entitled ~~A~~Independent Medical Oversight for Pre-Hospital Medical Care~~@~~ (March 2000) including but not limited to:
 - 1. A system operated under independent medical oversight and medical direction by the Lancaster County Medical Society;
 - 2. A system covering a unified geographic area including the City of Lincoln and Lancaster County;
 - 3. A system integrating emergency medical transport with non-emergency medical transport at an advanced life support level in order to provide premier quality medical service for both methods of medical transport; and
 - 4. A system with the resources and direction to provide emergency and non-emergency medical transport from areas outside the City of Lincoln and Lancaster County at an advanced life support level in order to support and develop the regional medical facilities in the City of Lincoln; and
- B An efficient method of providing emergency and non-emergency medical

transport without additional cost to the City budget or negatively impacting the
City tax base.

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