

# Alamance County Board of Commissioners ACTION ITEM AGENDA ITEM

**MEETING DATE:** 12/2/2024

**DATE SUBMITTED:** 11/19/2024

FROM: Rik Stevens

**DEPT:** County Attorney's Office

**AGENDA TITLE:** LifeStar Ambulance Franchise

**TO:** Alamance County Board of Commissioners

### **ISSUE/ACTION REQUESTED:**

Review contract for a franchise agreement with LifeStar Emergency Services (Winston-Salem, NC). This contract was previously reviewed at the 11/18/2024 Board of Commissioners meeting. This will be the second reading.

## BACKGROUND/PURPOSE OF REQUEST:

On August 5, 2024, the Board of Commissioners adopted the Alamance County Ambulance Ordinance with the intent to govern and grant franchises for ambulance services in Alamance County. LifeStar has submitted a franchise application to Ray Vipperman, EMS Director to provide non-emergent transportation services to the residents of the County. Mr. Vipperman, along with County Management, believe LifeStar will make a good partner for these necessary services.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Approve contract granting franchise for LifeStar Emergency Services.

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**