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To: Board of Supervisors

From: Anna Roth, Health Services Director

Date: January 11, 2022

Subject: Contract #23-518-4 with the Reach Air Medical Services, LLC

### **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Health Services Director, or designee, to execute on behalf of the County Contract #23-518-4 containing mutual indemnification, with Reach Air Medical Services, LLC, a limited liability company, to provide air ambulance patient transport services for the period from January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2023.

# FISCAL IMPACT:

This is a nonfinancial agreement. The contractor agrees to pay the required initial and the renewal authorization fees as specified in the Contra Costa EMS Agency Fee Policy for each year of this agreement.

## **BACKGROUND:**

The contractor provides air ambulance patient transport services within the jurisdiction of Contra Costa County without interruption, twenty-four (24) hours per day, seven (7) days per week, and fifty-two (52) weeks per year. This contractor is recognized as a multi-jurisdictional air provider, whose jurisdiction of origin is headquartered out of Sacramento County with a base of operations in Concord, Vacaville and Sacramento. The contractor will work cooperatively with the EMS Agency, allowing the County's EMS

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RECOMMENDATION OF CN ADMINISTRATOR	TY RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE
Action of Board On: 01/11/2022 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER	
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VOTE OF SUPERVISORS	
<ul> <li>AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor</li> <li>Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor</li> <li>Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor</li> <li>Contact: Marshall Bennett, 925-608-5454</li> </ul>	I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown. ATTESTED: January 11, 2022 Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors By: June McHuen, Deputy

Division, to utilize air ambulance patient transport

### BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

services. The contractor has been providing these services to the County since January 1, 2013.

On October 8, 2019, the Board of Supervisors approved Contract #23-518-3, with Reach Air Medical Services, LLC for the provision of air ambulance patient transport services, through December 31, 2021.

Approval of Contract #23-518-4 will allow the contractor to continue to provide ambulance patient transport services through December 31, 2023. This contract includes mutual indemnification to hold harmless both parties for any claims arising out of the performance of this contract.

### CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this contract is not approved, the County EMS Division will not be able to utilize the vendor's service and the County will have to find other means of patient transport services within the jurisdiction of Contra Costa County.