

Committee Of The Whole Meeting

Wednesday, August 28, 2013 6:00 PM (or immediately following any other City of Sheboygan committee meeting) Common Council Chambers - 3rd Floor of City Hall

1. OPENING OF MEETING

- 1.1 Call to Order.
- 1.2 Roll Call.
- 1.3 Pledge of Allegiance.
- 1.4 Approval of the minutes.
- 1.5 Public Forum on Agenda Items.
- 1.6 Chairman's Comments.

2. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION ONLY

2.1 A brief history on the Sheboygan Fire Department Ambulance Service and a five-year financial report on the Sheboygan Fire Department ambulance service for the years 2008-2012. Leading the discussion, Mr. Eric Kiefer, EMS Medical Billing Associates, LLC, Fire Chief Jeff Hermann, and CAO Jim Amodeo.

ATTACHMENT: EMBA Sheboygan Meeting 082813 WPN COW 8.28.13.pdf

ATTACHMENT: Ambulance_COW_08_28_13.xlsx

ATTACHMENT: AMB RATE SURVEY COW 8.28.13.pdf

ATTACHMENT: FDL AMB FIRE COSTING COW 8.28.13.pdf

ATTACHMENT: Ambulance Information Re Item 7 COW 8.28.13.pdf

2.2 Reimbursement concerns (if any) with the Affordable Healthcare Act (Obamacare).

3. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE RECOMMENDATION TO THE COMMON COUNCIL

3.1 COUNCIL DOC. #5.4 FROM JULY 1, 2013 AND #3.17 FROM JULY 15, 2013 - A resolution by Ald. Hammond authorizing extending the contract with EMS Medical Billing Associates, LLC, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin for providing emergency medical services billing and collection service for an additional two-year period by letter or agreement to that effect (please see a copy of the attached contract). A discussion with Fire Chief Jeff Hermann and CAO Jim Amodeo.

ATTACHMENT: AMB BILLING CONTRACT COW 8.28.13.pdf

ATTACHMENT: DOC #5.4 & #3.17 COW 8.28.13.pdf

3.2 Discussion on a possible change in the EMS Billing Service contract renewal to bring the State of Wisconsin Tax Refund Intercept Program (TRIP) in-house to maximize ambulance collections.

4. CLOSING OF MEETING

4.1 NEXT MEETING DATE:

4.2 ADJOURN.

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