

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

STATE OF ARIZONA

CERTIFICATE NO. - 85 -

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County of Maricopa

DOCKET NO. EMS 3730

THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES has found, under the authority of A.R.S. § 36-2232 et seq and Pursuant to Department of Health Services rules, that public necessity requires the operation of

SOUTHWEST AMBULANCE OF CASA GRANDE, INC.

as a ground ALS and BLS ambulance service in the State of Arizona for the transportation of individuals who are sick, injured, wounded or otherwise incapacitated or helpless within the following service area, with the following central operations station and response times:

1. Service Area:

- a. *Casa Grande Area: City limits of Casa Grande, the Township limits of Stanfield, The City of Maricopa, The Maricopa Fire District along with the following geographic boundaries: From Interstate 10 and Millrise Rd. at the Gila River Indian Reservation boundary, proceed west and north following along the Gila River Indian Reservation southern boundary to the intersection where the Maricopa County, Pinal County and the southern border of the Gila River Indian Reservation intersect. Proceeding south along the Maricopa County and Pinal County line to the intersection of Interstate 8 and the Maricopa County and Pinal County line. From Interstate 8 at the Maricopa County and Pinal County line using the southernmost boundary of Interstate 8 east to Stanfield Road. South on Stanfield Road to the Tohono O'Odham Indian Reservation Boundary. Following the Tohono O'Odham Indian Reservation Boundary east to Battaglia Road. South from Battaglia Road following the Tohono O'Odham Indian Reservation boundary to Harmon Road. East on Harmon Road to Picacho Highway. North on Picacho Highway to Interstate 10. East on Interstate 10 from Picacho Highway using the southernmost boundary of Interstate 10 to milepost 220. From Interstate 10 milepost 220 west using the northernmost boundary of Interstate 10 to State Highway 87. North on State Highway 87 using the easternmost boundary of State Highway 87 to Randolph Road. From State Highway 87 and Randolph Road west to*

Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in the Arizona Department of Health Services, under the constitution and laws of the State of Arizona, does hereby grant this

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authorizing the operation of the aforesaid ambulance service for a period ending April 30, 2015 unless for cause sooner amended, suspended, revoked or terminated subject to the decisions and orders, and rules of the Department.

PROVIDED, that this certificate shall not be assigned nor transferred unless authorized by the Arizona Department of Health Services.



BY THE ORDER OF THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES, IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I WILL HUMBLE the Director of the Arizona Department of Health Services, have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the Arizona Department of Health Services to be affixed at Phoenix, Arizona on March 23, 2012

Terry Muller
DIRECTOR

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Signal Peak Road. From Signal Peak Road and Randolph Road north on Signal Peak Road to Val Vista Boulevard. From Val Vista Boulevard and Signal Peak Road west on Val Vista Boulevard to Cox Road. From Cox Road and Val Vista Boulevard north on Cox Road to Cox and the Gila River Indian Reservation boundary. From Cox Road and the Gila River Indian Reservation boundary west to Interstate 10 and Millrise Road. This service area is to include the Interstate 10 from milepost 170.0 to milepost 220.0, Interstate 8 from Casa Grande to the Maricopa County and Pinal County line, State Highway 84 from Casa Grande to milepost 151.7, State Highway 287 from Casa Grande to La Palma, State Highway 93 from Casa Grande to milepost 200.0, State Highway 287 from Casa Grande to milepost 10.0. This service area is to exclude the service area granted to the Eloy Fire District and the Reservation of Gila River, Tohono O'Odham and Ak-Chin Indian Tribes.

- b. *Florence/Coolidge Area: Starting at the point of origin at the intersection of Florence Junction and U.S. Highway 60 at Highway 79 (89). Then on line from Florence Junction northeast for approximately four miles through and including the entire community of Queen Valley then east to Whitlow Dam. Then on line southeast approximately one mile past Hewitt Station Road. Then on a straight line east and slightly north for approximately 10-12 miles to the Queen Creek Tunnel. Then on line generally southwest to the southeast corner of the city limits of Superior. Then on line westward along the southern boundary of the Town of Superior to the southwest corner of the Superior town limits. Then on line due west to the southern edge of U.S. Highway 60 at milepost 220. Then continuing on line south for approximately 11-12 miles to Box Canyon Road. Then on line southeast for approximately 30 miles to the intersection of Barkerville and Freeman Road. Then southwest on Freeman Road for approximately 11 miles to U.S. Highway 79 (89). Then west and slightly north for approximately 22 miles to the eastern side of the intersection of U.S. Highway 87 and Highway 287. Then north on the eastern edge of U.S. Highway 87 to Randolph Road. Then west on the northern edge of Randolph Road to Signal Peak Road. Then north on the eastern edge of Signal Peak Road to the Gila River Indian Reservation boundary. Then following the Gila River Indian Reservation boundary to Arizona Farms Road. Then west on Arizona Farms Road to the imaginary point of where Power Road and Arizona Farms Road would intersect. Then proceed north to the intersection of Power Road and Hunt Highway. Then proceed east to the intersection of Empire Boulevard and Gary Road. Then proceed north along*

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the Maricopa/Pinal County line to the point where Combs Road intersects with the Maricopa/Pinal County line. Then proceed due east 9 miles along the Combs Road alignment, then on a line northeast to the original point of origin. Also the incorporated city limits of Coolidge and the municipal airport would be included.

2. Central Operations Station: *Mesa, Arizona (222 East Main).*

3. Response Times:

a. *For the cities of Casa Grande, Florence and Coolidge:*

- 1) *Ten (10) minutes on ninety (90) percent of all ambulance transports.*
- 2) *Fifteen (15) minutes on ninety-five (95) percent of all ambulance transports.*
- 3) *Twenty (20) minutes on one hundred (100) percent of all ambulance transports.*

b. *Outside the city limits of Casa Grande, Florence and Coolidge:*

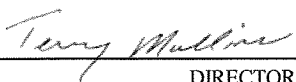
- 1) *Ten (10) minutes on thirty-five (35) percent of all ambulance transports.*
- 2) *Fifteen (15) minutes on fifty (50) percent of all ambulance transports.*
- 3) *Twenty (20) minutes on seventy (70) percent of all ambulance transports.*
- 4) *Thirty (30) minutes on ninety (90) percent of all ambulance transports.*
- 5) *Forty-five (45) minutes on one hundred (100) percent of all ambulance transports.*

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