

TOWNSHIP OF WALL

RESOLUTION NO. 20-0625

AUTHORIZATION FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF WALL TO ENTER IN TO AN AGREEMENT WITH COMMUNITY HOSPITAL GROUP INC. d/b/a JFK MEDICAL CENTER AND THE WALL TOWNSHIP EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FOR THE BILLING OF MEDICARE PATIENTS' SERVICES

WHEREAS, Medicare reimbursement rules prohibit the submission of separate bills from an ALS provider and a BLS provider under circumstances where a patient has been treated by the ALS provider but transported by a BLS provider; and

WHEREAS, Community Hospital Group Inc. d/b/a JFK Medical Center is a duly licensed ALS (Advanced Life Support) provider; and

WHEREAS, Wall Township Emergency Medical Services is a duly licensed operator of an ambulance transport service which provides BLS (Basic Life Support) ambulance transport services to the community; and

WHEREAS, Medicare reimbursement rules require that there be an Agreement in place between ALS and BLS providers governing their respective rights to bill for services so that an ALS provider can bill for the services of a BLS provider; and

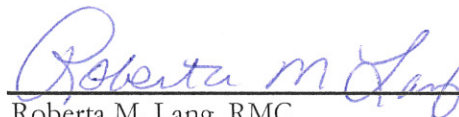
WHEREAS, Wall Township Emergency Medical Services is desirous of entering in to an Agreement with Community Hospital Group Inc. d/b/a JFK Medical Center for the billing of such services by the ALS provider which will provide for payment to Wall Township Emergency Medical Services as outlined in the Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Township of Wall that the attached Agreement may be entered into with Community Hospital Group Inc. d/b/a JFK Medical Center; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall remain in effect including annual updates to Medicare rates as applicable unless dissolved by the parties; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township officials are authorized to take such action as is necessary to effectuate the terms of this resolution.

I, Roberta Lang, Clerk of the Township of Wall, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Wall at a Regular Meeting held on June 24, 2020



Roberta M. Lang, RMC
Township Clerk