REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: 7 June 2010

SUBJECT: Renewal of Ambulance Franchises

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

Henderson County currently has a number of ambulance franchise agreements to meet the needs of Henderson County's citizens. They are on a five-year cycle, and are up for renewal this year.

North Carolina's procedures for ambulance franchising requires the supply of a great amount of data from each franchisee to the county to be a part of the agreement. Henderson County has not yet received all such information, but should have all of it in hand shortly.

This item seeks the extension of the current franchises for a period of ninety (90) days, to allow for receipt of all such information, and to present executed franchise agreements for your consideration.

County staff will be present and prepared if requested to give further information on this matter.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

Approval of short-term extension of franchises.

If the Board is so inclined, the following motion is suggested:

I move that the Board approve the extension for a period of ninety (90) days of all existing ambulance franchise agreements with Henderson County.