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STATE OF FLORIDA  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES

BOARD MEETING DATE: 10-14 1996 OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

October 1, 1996

ACTION: \_\_\_\_\_

INFO: 7 SUBJECT: 1996-97 Emergency Medical Services (EMS) County Award

TO: Chairperson, Nassau County Board of County Commissioners

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that an Emergency Medical Services (EMS) county grant has been awarded to you in the amount of \$20,276.80. The grant award is for the purpose of the prehospital activities, services, and items in your county grant application and its department approved revisions on file with the state's Office of EMS.

The grant must be executed within the limits of the amount awarded to your county. Any costs above the grant amount, awarded under section 401.113(2)(a), Florida Statutes, are the responsibility of the county. The grant begins October 1, 1996, and ends September 30, 1997.

The purchase of any communications equipment or services during the grant period must have the written final approval of the Department of Management Services, Division of Communications, before the purchase is made; otherwise, we will disallow the communications costs, as required.

Your grant application on file with us acknowledges and ensures that you have read, understood and will comply fully with Appendix D of the booklet titled: "Florida EMS County Grant Program", by the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services. Acceptance of the grant terms and conditions is acknowledged by the grantee when funds are drawn or otherwise obtained from the grant payment system.

We must have expenditure reports using the form provided in your grant booklet and a program activity report by the following dates:

- April 30, 1997, which will include expenditures from October 1, 1996, through March 31, 1997.
- July 31, 1997, which will include expenditures from October 1, 1996, through June 30, 1997.
- October 31, 1997, which will include expenditures from October 1, 1996, through September 30, 1997.

The program activity report is due no later than **November 14, 1997**. It must contain a written summary indicating the degree to which the EMS system was improved and expanded through this grant.

Thank you for your continued support and involvement in the state county grant program.

KEITH R. DUTTON  
Director  
Emergency Medical Services

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**APPLICATION**  
**STATE OF FLORIDA**  
**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES**  
**OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**  
**EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COUNTY GRANT APPLICATION**

GRANT NO. C9645

**1. Board of County Commissioners (grantee) Identification:**

Name of County: Nassau

Business Address: 11 North 14th St. Suite 12  
Fernandina Beach, Fl 32034

Phone # (904) 321-5732 Suncom # 848 -5732

**2. Certification:** *I, the undersigned official of the previously named county, certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief all information and data contained in this EMS County Grant Application and its attachments are true and correct.*

*My signature acknowledges and ensures that I have read, understood, and will comply fully with Appendix D of the Florida EMS County Grant Program booklet.*

Printed Name: Jim B. Higginbotham Title: Chairman

Signature:  Date Signed: 9/9/96  
(Authorized County Official)

**3. Authorized Contact Person:** *Person designated authority and responsibility to provide the department with reports and documentation on all activities, services, and expenditures which involve this grant.*

Name: R. L. Kotsis Title: Director

Business Address: 11 North 14th St. Suite 12, Fernandina Bch, Fl 32034

Telephone: (904) 321-5732 SunCom: 848-5732

**4. County's Federal Tax Identification Number:** 59-1863042

RESOLUTION NO: 96-183

A RESOLUTION OF THE NASSAU COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS CERTIFYING THAT MONIES FROM THE EMS COUNTY GRANT AWARD WILL BE USED TO IMPROVE AND EXPAND THE COUNTY'S EXISTING PRE-HOSPITAL EMS SYSTEM.

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Board of County Commissioners is responsible for the provision of Pre-hospital Emergency Medical Services, and

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Board of County Commissioners is committing to maintaining and improving Pre-hospital Emergency Medical Services to the citizens and residents of Nassau County, Florida and that the grant monies will not be used to supplement existing County EMS Budget Allocations.


WHEREAS, the Nassau County Board of County Commissioners will use funds in the amount of \$20,276.80 to be received from the County Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Award Application, to improve the existing quality of pre-hospital and EMS activities, services or to decrease patient mortality and morbidity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Nassau County Board of County Commissioners certifies that monies in the amount of \$20,276.80 will be used to expand the extent, size or number of existing pre-hospital EMS activities or services in Nassau County, Florida.

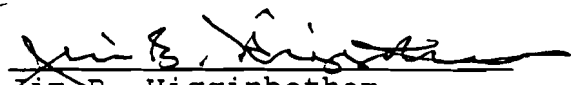
ADOPTED this 9th day of September , 1996.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

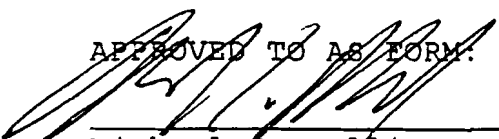
ATTEST:

  
Ex-Officio Clerk

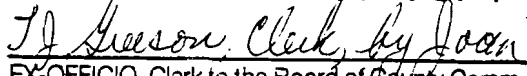
BY:

  
Jim B. Higginbotham,  
As Chairman of The Board

APPROVED TO AS FORM:

  
Michael S. Mullin  
COUNTY ATTORNEY

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

  
EX-OFFICIO, Clerk to the Board of County Comm.  
Nassau County, Florida  
