

ORDINANCE SUMMARY

ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 9.05 OF MENDOCINO COUNTY CODE TITLED EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONSE

This ordinance amends Mendocino County Code Chapter 9.05. The amendments substantially change the original ordinance as adopted by the Board of Supervisors on October 1991 (and amended in 1994) for the purpose of establishing an exclusive operating area (EOA) relating to ambulance services for Mendocino County. The language is updated to reflect that it will be administered by the County through its designated Local Emergency Medical Services Authority and to reflect the current standards, procedures, protocols and mandates. It also reflects the fact that ambulance providers no longer operate their own dispatch services and it incorporates more accurate language related to Emergency Medical Service aircraft service.

The ordinance amendment would take effect 30 days following final adoption by the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors.