

SUMTER COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

SUBJECT: Interlocal Agreement Between Sumter County and Hernando County Regarding Fire Rescue Mutual Aid (Staff Recommends Approval).

REQUESTED ACTION: **Staff Recommends Approval**

Meeting Type: Regular Meeting

DATE OF MEETING: 1/26/2021

CONTRACT: N/A

Vendor/Entity: Hernando County

Effective Date:

Termination Date: 09/31/2021 with

automatic renewal

Managing Division / Dept: **Fire & EMS**

BUDGET IMPACT: None

FUNDING SOURCE: _____

Type: N/A

EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT: _____

HISTORY/FACTS/ISSUES:

Based upon the nature of service provided by Fire and EMS agencies, circumstances occur that exceed the ability or availability of local resources. It is a responsible practice of neighboring agencies to work closely towards cooperative means when situations warrant assistance. Mutual aid benefits citizens in each agency's jurisdiction through the sharing of each other's resources. Mutual aid activities are most effective when expectations, responsibilities, and processes (for both parties) are outlined in a written agreement.

The attached "Interlocal Agreement Between Sumter County and Hernando County for Fire Rescue Mutual Aid", provides the elements needed for the coordinated provision of mutual aid services, and satisfies each other's desire for a formal agreement.

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