

# **Board of County Commissioners**

## **Agenda Request**

Date of Meeting: June 16, 2009

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To: Honorable Chairman and Members of the Board

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Subject: Request Board Consideration and Approval of a Resolution and Budget Amendment for Acceptance of the State of Florida EMS Office Grant for Intraosseous Devices

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### **Statement of Issues**

This agenda item requests Board consideration and approval of a Resolution and Budget Amendment for Acceptance of the State of Florida's EMS Grant for Intraosseous Devices

### **Background**

The State of Florida EMS Office annually offers competitive grants to Florida EMS Agencies. With Board approval provided on January 20, 2009, Wakulla EMS applied for a grant to obtain Intraosseous Devices for the purpose of implementing an additional route to obtain Intravenous access for patients.

### **Analysis:**

The State of Florida EMS Office has awarded Wakulla EMS the grant for Intraosseous Devices. This is a 90%/10% grant. The grant amount is \$7,371 and the required match is \$819 for a total of \$8,190. The Wakulla County EMS Department can pay the match from appropriated funds.

Wakulla EMS is requesting approval at this time to accept this grant by approving the Resolution (Attachment #1) and Budget Amendment (Attachment #2).

### **Options**

1. Approve Wakulla County EMS to accept the Intraosseous Grant, by approving Resolution and Budget Amendment.
2. Do not approve Wakulla County EMS to accept the Intraosseous Grant and do not approve Resolution and Budget Amendment.
3. Board Direction

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**Recommendation**

Option #1

**Attachments:**

1. Resolution
2. Budget Amendment