

ORDINANCE NO. 10152 (NEW SERIES)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO ADMINISTRATIVE CODE RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A RESIDENT USER FEE IN COUNTY SERVICE AREA 17.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego ordains as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Supervisors finds and determines that there is a need to establish a resident user fee for emergency medical services provided by County Service Area 17. This ordinance will allow the County to charge said fee.

Section 2. Section 253 is hereby added to the San Diego County Administrative Code Article XV-B to read as follows:

SEC. 253. COUNTY SERVICE AREA 17 RESIDENT USER FEE.

A fee of \$400 plus \$20 per mile (minimum one mile) shall be charged to residents of County Service Area 17 who are transported to a hospital by a County Service Area 17 provider. The Director, Health and Human Services Agency, or the Director's designee may waive said fee for those residents financially unable to pay the fee.

Section 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption. Before the expiration of fifteen (15) days after its passage it shall be published once with the names of the members voting for and against the same in the San Diego Commerce, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of San Diego.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego this 14th day of June, 2011.