# Citizens' Hose Company No. 1 - EMS

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# **Stand-by Contract**

In the wording below Citizens' Hose Company No. 1 - EMS (here after known as CHC - EMS) and its designated personnel will be referred to as Provider(s). The Organization requesting services will be known as Client.

The following is a written agreement between CHC - EMS and Northern York County School District Athletic Dept. (NYCSD AD). This contract will be a valid legally binding agreement upon signature of both parties. Either party may disengage from the agreement for any reason. The contract may be dissolved if either entity provides written notice thirty (30) days prior to the intended termination date.

<u>Dates of Contract:</u> The date(s) of the contract will extend for the 2017-2018 school year. This contract does not obligate CHC – EMS to any events in the playoff season. The dates to be scheduled for stand by should be submitted no later than 30 days prior to the first date of request. The Client will contact the Provider(s) with play-off dates when available, if applicable, and every effort will be made by the Provider(s) to supply services. If the Provider(s) is unable to secure services for a play-off event, the Client will be released from the non-compete clause and allowed to secure services elsewhere.

# **Conditions:**

- 1. Provider(s) will consist of but not be limited to, one PA Department of Health Licensed EMT. This person may be an employee, volunteer, or otherwise designated person, under the direction of CHC EMS. In the event there is more than a standard Provider; there will be no additional charge.
  - The Provider(s) will arrive fifteen minutes prior to the scheduled event start time.
- 2. The standby time is fifteen minutes prior to the scheduled start time of the event and will end upon the completion of the game. The Provider(s) will not leave the field prior to confirmation from the organizational director or the designated liaison. CHC EMS reserves the right to schedule personnel as needed during the event without any interruption of service. If a personnel change is to occur during the standby, the event director or their designee will be made aware of the change.
- 3. The designated staging area for the provider(s) will be within proximity to the Athletic Trainer and home team sideline bench area. A single vehicle parking area that is pre-designated for the Ambulance will be kept available for Provider(s). This area will be advantageous to expedient entrance and egress. The Provider(s) vehicle will not be blocked in.
- 4. The Provider(s) will provide basic BLS equipment needed for initial patient care and immobilization, including oxygen, bandages, long spine board, head blocks, splints etc., as well as communication devices (portable radio and or cell phone) to contact the 911 centers or incoming ambulance.
- 5. In the event of an injury or illness, the Provider(s) will not be held responsible for rendering care, unless they are requested to engage in patient care. The reason for this policy is two fold. First the Provider(s) may not be able to view the entire area from the staging location. Secondly, this policy will prevent the Provider(s) from interfering with the operation of the day's events. In like, if care

- is initiated, the Provider(s) will control the scene until the patient is transported or completes a refusal of EMS from the Provider(s).
- 6. If the Provider(s) initiates patient care with a subject, the Provider(s) will determine if additional care is needed. Once patient care is initiated, and the patient then refuses any additional care and/or transport, they (or their designee, including a NYCSD Athletic Trainer) must do so in writing. This will be done by the individuals signing a Patient Treatment/Transport Refusal Form. If the patient is a minor, their designated legal guardian will be required to refuse treatment on the minor's behalf & sign. If a transport occurs due to an injury or illness, the patient will be liable for any expenses incurred.

# **Fees and Expenses:**

The fee for standby services is \$200.00 per event. This fee does not prevent or defray any expenses incurred by a participant and/or spectator who may require EMS services. The contracted Client is financially responsible for the initial standby fees. All payments may be made to Citizens' Hose Co.No.1 - EMS. An invoice will be provided upon the completion of the season for all scheduled stand-bys.

# Cancellation and Reschedule:

In the event that a game is canceled or rescheduled, CHC - EMS must be notified at least 1 hour prior to the intended start time to avoid incurring any fees. In the event the game is called prior to half-time, the fee will be one half the event price. If the game is called after half- time the entire fee will apply. CHC-EMS is not obligated to provide service for a rain date, or add-on event, but will make every effort to provide the services requested.

#### Communication:

Any written communication may be mailed to Citizens' Hose Co. No. 1 - EMS and marked to the attention of Keith Heckert, EMS Operations Manager or thru e-mail at dbgemssupervisor@gmail.com. The prices agreed upon are considered confidential and will not be disclosed to any outside entity.

### **Non-Compete Clause:**

During the duration of the contract period, no CHC- EMS Provider(s) will be solicited by the Client for EMS services, within twenty (20) miles of the primary response district of Citizens' Hose Co. No. 1-EMS, without permission from Keith Heckert, EMS Operations Manager. No foreign EMS or Fire Rescue services or individuals will be secured or solicited for an event within the primary response district of Citizens' Hose Co. No. 1-EMS.

In testament by the signatures below, all parties agree to abide by the statements and clauses contained within this contractual agreement.

Print Name	<u>.</u>	Keith Heckert	
	Print Name		
Client Representative	Date	EMS Operations Manager	Date