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CITY OF BELPRE
ORDINANCE NO. 10 (2018-19)

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AND IMPLEMENTING A PROGRAM TO CHARGE MITIGATION RATES FOR THE DEPLOYMENT OF EMERGENCY AND NON-EMERGENCY SERVICES BY THE BELPRE CITY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR SERVICES PROVIDED/RENDERED FOR THE CITY OF BELPRE, OHIO

WHEREAS, the emergency and non-emergency services response activity to incidents continues to increase each year; Environmental Protection requirements involving equipment and training, and Homeland Security regulations involving equipment and training, create additional demands on all operational aspects of the fire department services; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department has investigated different methods to maintain a high level of quality of emergency and non-emergency service capability throughout times of constantly increasing service demands, where maintaining an effective response by the fire department decreases the costs of incidents to insurance carriers, businesses, and individuals through timely and effective management of emergency situations, saving lives and reducing property and environmental damage; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of Belpre, Ohio desires to implement a fair and equitable procedure by which to collect said mitigation rates and shall establish a "soft billing" system in accordance with applicable laws, regulations and guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of Belpre, Ohio, intends to create a "soft billing" process to bill landowners' hazard insurance company for amounts due under the landowners' hazard insurance policy to compensate local fire and emergency services providers for expenses incurred for emergency incidents;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELPRE, OHIO, THAT:

1. The City of Belpre, Ohio shall initiate mitigation rates for the delivery of emergency and non-emergency services by the fire department for personnel, supplies and equipment to the scene of emergency and non-emergency incidents as listed in "EXHIBIT A". The mitigation rates shall be based on actual costs of the services and that which is usual, customary and reasonable (UCR) as shown in "EXHIBIT A", which may include any services, personnel, supplies, and equipment and with baselines established by addendum to this document.
2. A claim shall only be filed with the responsible party(s) beyond hazard insurance company. No claim shall be made against any individual landowner who is covered by hazard insurance. The claim shall only be

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submitted to the landowner's hazard insurance company for services covered under said policy.

No claim shall be made against uninsured landowners.

3. The Belpre City Council may make rules or regulations and from time to time may amend, revoke, or add rules and regulations, inconsistent with this Section, as they may deem necessary or expedient in respect to billing for these mitigation rates or the collection thereof.
4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this City Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in open meetings of this City Council, and that all deliberations of this City Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in accordance with all legal requirements, and the Codified Ordinances of the City Council.
5. The Safety Service Director is hereby authorized to execute a contract with Medical Claims Assistance for the services outlined in this ordinance.
6. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect at the earliest date permitted by law.

PASSED:

Justin Draheim
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST:

November 26, 2018

PRESENTED TO MAYOR: 11/26/18

Michael W. Deary
MAYOR

APPROVED BY MAYOR: 11/26/18

CLERK'S CERTIFICATION OF PUBLICATION

The undersigned Clerk of the Council of the City of Belpre, Ohio, does hereby certify that on November 26, 2018, this Ordinance was published by posting a copy of the same at the five public places designated by the City Council in Ordinance No. 18 (2006-07).

November 26, 2018
Date

Justin Draheim Pro Temp
CLERK



Normal Rates:

Commercial Structures. **\$500.00- \$1000.00**
This includes offices, stores, factories, other places of business and apartment buildings.

Single Family Residential Structure. **\$500.00**
This includes residential other than multiple family such as mobile homes, fixed housing and townhouse complexes where each unit is owned by separate owners.

Vehicle Fires. **\$300.00**
This is all sizes and types of highway motor vehicles.

Rescue **\$400.00**
This includes rescues other than vehicles.

Landing Zones **\$150.00**
This includes setup and tear down, traffic control, and readiness for fire suppression.

Extrication **\$150.00**
This is the basic ambulance assist type of call where the rescue crew assists with patient removal from a vehicle.

Entrapment **\$150.00**
This includes the use of any power or hand tools to make an opening to remove a patient.



Hazmat

This is a basic call including the application of sta-dri. Charges for this and other supplies will be added to the basic fee.

<u>Hazmat Supply</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Low</u>	<u>High</u>
Sta-Dri	\$15.00	\$22.50	\$30.00
Gallon of SilverX foam	\$20.00	\$30.00	\$40.00
Flares (Each)	\$ 3.25	\$ 4.88	\$ 6.50
Fuel Buster	\$22.50	\$33.75	\$45.00
Spill Kit	\$50.00	\$75.00	\$100.00
Absorbent Pads	depends on type & size		

Supplies

This includes all disposable supplies that will need to be restocked that is not considered Hazmat.