

Meeting Date
August 22, 2017



AGENDA	
Section	Resolution and Awards
Item No.	I.B

**AGENDA REPORT**  
BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SUBJECT:	Brevard County Fire Rescue (BCFR) implemented and distributed the Handtevy Pediatric System within its agency and to nine fire rescue agencies in Brevard County. (Curt Smith, Chairman, Commissioner District IV)
DEPT/OFFICE:	Fire Rescue Department/District IV

Requested Action:

It is requested that the Board of County Commissioners approve the attached Resolution recognizing BCFR as the coordinator of the Handtevy Pediatric System roll-out throughout BCFR and between nine fire rescue agencies, and recognizing their commitment of continual improvement of Emergency Medical Service delivery to County citizens.

Summary Explanation & Background:

Every year, the Florida Department of Health (DOH) presents the Trust Award funds to BCFR to use for the improvement of emergency care within the County. This past year, BCFR utilized those funds to purchase the Handtevy Pediatric System. This system will greatly improve the accuracy and the timeliness of care for Brevard's youngest patients. BCFR not only purchased the system, but also implemented training and coordinated the dissemination of 93 kits within its agency and to nine fire rescue agencies.

This system roll-out is a positive reflection of BCFR's continued commitment to the continuity and excellence of care and the partnerships between municipal fire rescue agencies. Each and every team member is to be recognized for a job well done.

Fiscal Impact: None

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Clerk to the Board Instructions:

Exhibits Attached: Resolution

Contract /Agreement (If attached): Reviewed by County Attorney    Yes     No     PR

County Manager

Assistant County Manager

Department Director / Extension

Frank Abbate 

  
Mark Schollmeyer, Fire Chief/Director  
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August 23, 2017

MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief Mark Schollmeyer, Fire Rescue Director

RE: Item I.B., Resolution Recognizing the Brevard County Fire Rescue As the Coordinator of the Handtevy Pediatric System

The Board of Commissioners, in regular session on August 22, 2017, adopted Resolution No. 17-139, recognizing the Brevard County Fire Rescue as the coordinator of the Handtevy Pediatric System roll-out; and for their hard work and commitment. Enclosed is a copy of the Resolution.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

*Tammy Rowe*

Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk

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**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

*Resolution*

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*WHEREAS, the Handtevy Pediatric System will assist agencies to proficiently treat a pediatric patient from start to finish; and*

*WHEREAS, the Handtevy Pediatric System will reduce valuable time performing mathematical calculation for appropriate medication dosage during emergencies; and*

*WHEREAS, the system will help streamline care between Brevard County Fire Rescue and all its municipal partners to increase efficiency and effective continuum of care; and*

*WHEREAS, Brevard County Fire Rescue has coordinated the purchase, training, and dissemination of 93 kits for nine of Brevard County's municipal fire rescue partners to ensure the delivery of excellent, and consistent care to the County's pediatric population.*

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, does hereby acknowledge the hard work and commitment of**

**BREVARD COUNTY FIRE RESCUE**

*to our citizens, the continual improvement of Emergency Medical Service delivery, and the strengthening of partnerships between all first responder agencies.*

**DONE, ORDERED, AND ADOPTED** in regular session, this 22nd day of August, 2017.

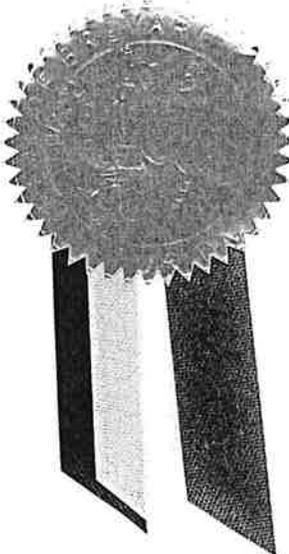
ATTEST:

*Scott Ellis*

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

*Curt Smith*

CURT SMITH, CHAIRMAN  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA



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SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

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CURT SMITH, CHAIRMAN  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

(Approved by the Board on August 22, 2017)