

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-228

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CLAYTON COUNTY, THROUGH ITS FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES DEPARTMENT, TO ACCEPT THE FINAL SUPPLEMENTAL UPPER PAYMENT LIMIT AWARD FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING THE STATE SHARE OF MEDICAID SUPPLEMENTAL PAYMENTS FOR AMBULANCE PROVIDERS FOR SFY 2025; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO EXECUTE ANY DOCUMENTS AND OTHERWISE PERFORM ALL ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER TO AMEND THE BUDGET WHERE NECESSARY TO REFLECT AN APPROPRIATE REVENUE SOURCE AND EXPENSE, ALL AS MAY BE REQUIRED; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Department of Community Health (“DCH”) received approval through the Georgia House Bill 271 (“H.B. 271”) from the 2021-2022 regular session of the Georgia Assembly to develop an assessment program for the purpose of funding the state share of Medicaid supplemental payments for ambulance providers; and

WHEREAS, H.B. 271 authorizes DCH to implement the assessment program on a subset of ambulance services; and

WHEREAS, Clayton County Fire and Emergency Services (“CCFES”) is an ambulance service provider for Clayton County; and

WHEREAS, revenue, transport and commercial payment data will be collected and is needed from all providers to develop a program specific to the State of Georgia; and

WHEREAS, after submitting its own initial data to DCH, CCFES was informed of the pending final Upper Payment Limit supplemental award for claim period January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the total combined Interim Supplemental Payment award is \$1,008,435.00, which includes the Federal Share in the amount of \$665,970.00, and the State Share in the amount of \$342,465.00; and

WHEREAS, the State Share will be paid by the County and the County will receive the Federal Share; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems it in the best interest of Clayton County and the County will best be served by accepting the specified funds for the above stated purpose.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA, AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED

Section 1. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes Clayton County, through its Fire and Emergency Services Department, to accept a supplemental Upper Payment Limit award from the Department of Community Health for SFY 2025 for the purpose of funding the State share of Medicaid supplemental payments for ambulance providers in the total amount of \$1,008,435.00 for claim period January 1, 2023, through December 31, 2023. The Board further authorizes the County to pay the State Share of \$342,465.00 and the County will receive the Federal Share of \$665,970.00.

Section 2. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Chairman or his designee to execute any documents and to perform such other acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution. Further, the Board of Commissioners authorizes the Chief Financial Officer to amend the budget where necessary to reflect an appropriate revenue

source and expense, all as may be required.

Section 3. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO RESOLVED, this 17th day of September 2024.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



JEFFREY E. TURNER, CHAIRMAN



DEMONT DAVIS, VICE-CHAIR



ALAINA REAVES, COMMISSIONER



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DISTRICT 3 COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:



COURTNEY RUSHIN, CLERK