## **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AUTHORITY**

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March 2, 2023

Larry Karsteadt, EMS Director North Coast Emergency Medical Services Agency 3340 Glenwood Street Eureka, CA 95501

Dear Mr. Karsteadt,

This letter is in response to North Coast's Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Agency's 2019-2021 EMS, Trauma, St-Elevation Myocardial Infarction (STEMI), Quality Improvement (QI), and EMS for Children (EMSC) plan, submissions to the EMS Authority on April 26, 2022.

The EMS Authority has reviewed the EMS plan, based on compliance with statutes, regulations, and case law. It has been determined that the plan meets all EMS system components identified in Health and Safety Code (HSC) § 1797.103 and is approved for implementation pursuant to HSC § 1797.105(b). Based on the transportation documentation provided, please find enclosed the ground exclusive operating area status, as compiled by the EMS Authority.

The EMS Authority has also reviewed the Trauma, STEMI, QI, and EMSC plans, based on compliance with Chapters 7, 7.1, 7.2, and 12 of the California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Division 9, and has <u>approved</u> for implementation.

The Authority does not have an EMS Plan submission from the year 2022. In accordance with HSC § 1797.254, EMS Plans are required to be submitted to the EMS Authority annually. North Coast EMS Agency will not be considered current unless an EMS Plan is submitted for each year.

Your 2023 EMS plan will be due on or before March 2, 2024. Concurrently with the EMS plan, please submit an annual Trauma, STEMI, QI, and EMSC plan.

If you have any questions regarding the EMS Plan review, please contact Mr. Mark Olivas, Interim EMS Plans Coordinator, at (916) 204-7885, or mark.olivas@emsa.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Tom McGinnis, MHA, EMT-P Chief, EMS Systems Division

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North Coast 2019-2021 EMS Plan Ground Exclusive Operating Areas	Non- Exclusive	Exclusive	Method to Achieve Exclusivity	Emergency Ambulance	STY	STAL	All Emergency	9-1-1 Emergency	7-digit Emergency	ALS Ambulance	All CCT Ambulance	BLS Non- Emergency	Standby Service with Transport Authorization
ZONE	EXCLUSIVITY		TYPE			LEVEL							
Del Norte County	Χ												
Humboldt County													
Zone 1 - North		Χ	Non- Competitive	Х				Х	Χ			Х	Х
Zone 2 - Eastern	Χ												
Zone 3 - Central		Χ	Non- Competitive	Х				Х	Χ			Х	X
Zone 4	Χ												
Lake County													
Kelseyville Fire Department	Χ												
Lake County Fire Department	Χ												
Lakeport Fire	Χ												
Northshore Fire Protection District	Χ												
South Lake County Fire Department	Χ												