



MEMORANDUM

Council Agenda
Item No. IX. BE
7/30/2024

The City of OKLAHOMA CITY

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Craig Freeman, City Manager

Memorandum of Understanding with the Emergency Medical Services Authority to allow the Emergency Medical Services Authority to use The City of Oklahoma City's VESTA routing infrastructure at no additional cost to The City, July 30, 2024 through July 29, 2025.

Background:

The City of Oklahoma City owns and operates the existing VESTA routing infrastructure (VESTA) for the City's 911 public safety communication call center which provides emergency and non-emergency communication services to citizens, regional law enforcement, fire, and emergency medical service agencies.

EMSA provides emergency medical services within the corporate limits of Oklahoma City and desires to utilize the same VESTA call management solution, increasing interoperability between EMSA and the City's 911 call center. Both parties recognize the benefits of a shared system to Oklahoma City residents, including seamless, more reliable transfers and the use of integrated functionality.

Each party agrees that it has a common interest in serving the public and maintaining the privacy of those it serves when allowed by law. The parties must comply with applicable laws, rules, and policies, and be responsible for the acts or omissions of their employees or agents.

The MOU will be effective when approved by the City and expire on July 29, 2025. The agreement will be renewed annually for successive one-year terms unless either party submits a written notice of non-renewal at least thirty (30) days before the end of the then-current term.

Term:

July 30, 2024 through July 29, 2025

Review:

Information Technology Department

Recommendation: Memorandum of Understanding be approved.