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Mr. Bill Rayburn
Chief Administrative Officer
The County of Middlesex
Middlesex-London Paramedic Service
399 Ridout Street North
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Dear Mr. Rayburn:

Re: Ministry of Health Agreement with The County of Middlesex effective the 4th day of February 2014 (the "Agreement")

This letter is further to the recent letter from the Honourable Sylvia Jones, Deputy Premier and Minister of Health, in which she informed your organization that the Ministry of Health (the "ministry") will provide The County of Middlesex for Middlesex-London Paramedic Service up to \$2,336,725 in additional base funding with respect to the Land Ambulance Services Grant (LASG) for the 50:50 partnership for the 2022 calendar year. This will bring the total maximum base funding available under the Agreement for the 2022 calendar year up to \$23,601,163.

Please note this amount does not include any inflationary adjustment.

The Ministry will provide your organization with the funding noted in this letter subject to the Ministry receiving the necessary appropriation from the Ontario Legislature.

Your grant will be adjusted in your electronic transfer payments and provided in semimonthly payments in the middle and the end of each month.

We appreciate your cooperation with the ministry in managing your funding as effectively as possible. You are expected to adhere to our reporting requirements, particularly for in-year service and financial reporting, which is expected to be timely and accurate. Based on our monitoring and assessment of your in-year service and

financial reporting, your cash flow may be adjusted appropriately to match actual services provided.

It is also essential that you manage costs within your approved budget.

Please review the attached 2022 LASG calculation carefully. Should you require any further information or clarification, please contact Teresa Hugh, Senior Financial Analyst at 437-833-2472 or by e-mail at Teresa. Hugh@ontario.ca.

Thank you for all that you and your organization is doing to protect the health and safety of the people of Ontario during the COVID-19 outbreak and your ongoing dedication and commitment to improving land ambulance services in Ontario.

Sincerely,

Susan Picarello

Assistant Deputy Minister

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Enclosure

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