

Draft (4/29/2013)
Ambulance Service Agreement
Between Town of Halifax, Vermont and Deerfield Valley Rescue, Inc.

Deerfield Valley Rescue, Inc., herein after referred to as (DVR) desires to establish a formal relationship for the provision of ambulance service with the Town of Halifax, and both parties agree to the following terms and conditions:

1. DVR
 - a. Shall provide emergency ambulance service to the Town of Halifax, To begin May 15th 2013 and end June 30th 2013. The area of coverage will be the town of Halifax minus Thomas Hill Road, Lucier Road, Hosea Fisher lane, and Hale Road these will be covered by Rescue Inc.
 - b. Shall regularly (quarterly) provide updates and information to the Town on calls in the Town of Halifax.
 - c. DVR agrees to honor all subscribers in the Town of Halifax who are listed as "paid subscribers" to Whitingham Ambulance Service, Inc. for the current fiscal year.
 - d. DVR, as a member of Vermont EMS District 12 will operate under the protocols established by District 12. Deerfield Valley rescue will acknowledge Medical Control from said district, and will operate under the said district protocols in all cases.
 - e. DVR will assist the Town of Halifax or their designee with maintaining the Halifax First Response squad.
 - f. DVR will collect a fee for services when a transport occurs. Insurance companies will be billed, and patient will be balanced billed if they are not subscribers.

2. Town of Halifax
 - a. Shall recognize DVR as the emergency ambulance service for the Town of Halifax, subject to subrogation of responsibilities as are arranged in consultation with the Town of Halifax and other appropriate ambulance services.
 - b. The Town of Halifax acknowledges that Deerfield Valley Rescue, Inc. will be totally and exclusively in control of ambulance response in the Town of Halifax minus Thomas Hill Road, Lucier Road, Hosea Fisher Lane, and Hale Road, within the agreed upon territories of responsibility. DVR shall have the right to call mutual aid, make agreements for alternate coverage, and be under the medical control of the Vermont EMS District 12 Medical Director.

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2. Town of Halifax
 - a. Shall recognize DVR as the emergency ambulance service for the Town of Halifax, subject to subrogation of responsibilities as are arranged in consultation with the Town of Halifax and other appropriate ambulance services. DVR will request financial assistance from the Town of Halifax in the amount of \$14,500.00 monies appropriated by the town for such services. This to be paid quarterly, July 1st 2013, October 1st 2013, January 1st 2014, and March 1st 2014.
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