

## **Buncombe County Board of Commissioners Request for Board Action**

Meeting Date: 10/17/2023

## **Consent Agenda**

**Department:** Legal & Risk **Presenter:** Amy Broughton

Contact(s): Amy Broughton, Taylor Jones and Jamie Judd

**Subject:** Resolution Granting Franchise for Convalescent & Nonemergency Ambulance Transportation to MMT North Carolina, Inc., a Deleware Corporation Authorized to Transact Business in NC under the Assumed Name, MedTrust

Brief Summary: MedTrust, a mobile healthcare organization, applied to operate convalescent, interfacility, and nonemergency ambulance service in Buncombe County. MedTrust fulfilled the requirements of Buncombe County Ordinance § 22-42. Further, EMS Director Taylor Jones advised that MedTrust would fill an important need for convalescent, interfacility, and nonemergency ambulance transport in Buncombe County.

**Recommended Motion & Requested Action:** Schedule this matter for a second reading on the November 7, 2023, consent agenda.

After second reading, adopt a resolution granting a franchise to MMT North Carolina, Inc., d/b/a MedTrust for convalescent, interfacility, and nonemergency ambulance services contingent upon proof of all required insurance policies and a successful review of MedTrust's physical facilities and ambulances by OEMS.

County Manager's comments and recommendation: Recommends approval.