COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Board of Commissioners	Presenter(s):	Interim Fire Chief David Scarbrough
Meeting Date:	Thursday, June 13, 2013	Type of Request:	New Business

Wording for the Agenda:

Consideration of the appointment of Deputy Fire Chief Tom Bartlett and Division Chief of EMS and Administration Steve Folden to the Region Four Emergency Medical Services Council for a two-year term to commence on July 1, 2013 and ending on June 30, 2015.

Background/History/Details:

Interim Fire Chief David Scarbrough has recommended Interim Deputy Fire Chief Tom Bartlett and Division Chief of EMS and Administration Steve Folden to be reappointed to the Region Four EMS Council for another two-year term.

The Region Four EMS Council is one of 10 such groups that represent the West Central Health District and is charged with administrative functions in the delivery of Emergency Medical Services and Trauma Care for this geographic area which includes Fayette County. The Council is directly involved with assuring administrative and operational compliance with the legislative statutes, rules and regulations and policies and procedures of the Office of EMS under the Division of Public Health. Operation issues include licensure of first responder and ambulance services as well as EMS and Paramedics, communication issues, medical protocols, training and education issues, EMS ambulance zones, trauma center designation and related programs to serve the public safety, public health, and emergency medical needs of the community in our designated district. Fayette County has three seats on the Council. The third seat is held by John Dunlap, but his term does not expire until next year.

Both appointments under consideration are scheduled to expire on June 30, 2013.

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

Approval of the appointment of Deputy Fire Chief Tom Bartlett and Division Chief of EMS and Administration Steve Folden to the Region Four Emergency Medical Services Council for a two-year term to commence on July 1, 2013 and ending on June 30, 2015.

If this item requires funding, please describe:

Not Applicable.

Has this request been considered within the past two years?	No	If so, when?	
Is Audio-Visual Equipment Required for this Request?*	No	Backup Provided with Request?	No

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Approved by Finance	Not Applicable	Reviewed by Legal	
Approved by Purchasing	Not Applicable	County Clerk's Approval	Yes
Administrator's Approval			

Staff Notes:

Interim Deputy Fire Chief Tom Bartlett was appointed by the Board to the Region Four EMS Council in April 2013 to fill an unexpired term.