

**RESOLUTION 2013 - 19**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR CITY MANAGER  
TO SIGN AMBULANCE AGREEMENTS**

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgis desires to enter into contract with other ambulance services and certain area non-profit medical providers for the purpose of providing written confirmation that the billing practices of the ambulance service are in compliance with all applicable requirements, and

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgis Ambulance Director has learned that some prior agreements with those services and non-profits have not been renewed promptly, and

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgis Ambulance service wants to ensure that all providers and agencies for which it provides services are billed as agreed upon under a contract or Memorandum of Understanding, and

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgis will benefit by having these agreements reviewed and signed promptly, and

WHEREAS, the Ambulance Director, City Manager and other City staff will review said Memorandums of Understandings and/or Agreements to ensure compliance with overall City policies as well as any additional applicable requirements, and

WHEREAS, promptly responding to proposals to renew a Memorandum of Understanding or Agreement with another ambulance service or medical provider, when fair and acceptable, will enable the Sturgis Ambulance Service to continue to operate in the most cost-effective manner it can for the City.

NOW THEREFORE, Mayor Mark Carstensen, or if he is unavailable, City Manager Daniel Ainslie, are hereby authorized to execute said approved Sturgis Ambulance Service Agreements or Memorandums of Understanding for the above stated purposes and report back to Council on the same at subsequent meetings.

Dated this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2013.

CITY OF STURGIS

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Mayor Mark Carstensen

ATTEST:

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Fay Bueno  
City Finance Officer

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