

RESOLUTION NO. 367

A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH A PUBLIC SAFETY USER FEE COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the Dorchester County Council wishes to appoint a committee to investigate countywide Emergency Medical Services (EMS) and the possible establishment of fire and EMS user fees in Dorchester County;

WHEREAS, the Dorchester County Council wants to ensure that the residents of Dorchester County are being served in an effective and efficient manner;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Council of Dorchester County, by this Resolution hereby declares:

- a. There is hereby created a Public Safety User Fee Committee.
- b. The Public Safety User Fee Committee shall consist of six members: one member from each County Council District as follows: District #1 – Sam Horseman; District #2 – Octavene Saunders; District #3 – Bill Wise; District #4 – Kathy Jo Wroten; and District #5 – Rose Murphy; and the Public Safety Director. The Public Safety Director, at his discretion, may appoint additional members to serve on the Committee. Each committee member will be responsible for appointing an alternate to serve for their district in their absence.
- c. The role of the Public Safety User Fee Committee is to discuss the implementation of County provided EMS services and to discuss the possible establishment of public safety user fee for fire and EMS services.
- d. The Public Safety User Fee Committee will provide advice and recommendations to the County Council but will not be a decision/policy making group.
- e. The Public Safety User Fee Committee shall meet as necessary in order to prepare recommendations for FY 2005. The Committee will forward Minutes/proceedings of each meeting to the County Council for their information.
- f. Members shall serve until reappointed. Members that are absent from three consecutive Committee meetings shall be reappointed by the County Council representative for that district.
- g. The Committee shall select a Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Secretary from the membership and shall adopt rules of procedure in order to conduct meetings.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 1ST DAY OF July, 2003.

ATTEST:
Jane Baynard
Jane Baynard, County Manager

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