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SUBJECT: Compton Fire Department – Basic Life Support Services

The county of Los Angeles issued a Request For Proposals (RFP) in the Spring 2016, for providers of Basic Life Support (BLS) services for the next ten years. The proposals were due in June.

The city of Compton, which had provided the local BLS service in recent years, did not submit a proposal. As a result, the service will now be contracted out to a private operator. The RFP does not impact the provisions of Advanced Life Support (ALS) services provided by the Compton Fire Department.

Attached is a memorandum from the Interim Fire Chief which addresses the issue. Staff will be providing additional information and the implications of this change.

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