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AUTHORIZE INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF MADISON FIRE DEPARTMENT TO MAINTAIN A MASTER AGREEMENT WITH IMAGETREND FOR COUTY-WIDE ELITE PLATFORM

 Dane County Emergency Medical Services (EMS) agencies collect data on every emergency response using an electronic data system. While most services use the county-provided ImageTrend software, others use either a third-party vendor or the software offered by their billing company. The Dane County EMS system historically receives over 45,000 patient care reports each year, which serves as an invaluable dataset to inform public safety and local healthcare systems of community trends and patient care improvements. This agreement supports a central county-sponsored data collection system for EMS and will enhance the Dane County EMS office's ability to rapidly asses and act on trends in our community while providing much-needed financial relief to local public safety agencies. Examples of current projects that would benefit with a single EMS data system include Opioid Overdose Tracking and Intervention, Cardiac Arrest, and Infectious Disease Monitoring.

The City of Madison Fire Department currently houses the master agreement with ImageTrend. This agreement provides access to the Elite Platform which is used to gather data from all of the EMS agencies in Dane County and their vendors.

 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the intergovernmental agreement for the ImageTrend Elite Platform access provided through the City of Madison be approved and that the County Executive and the County Clerk be authorized to sign this agreement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Dane County Emergency Management Department be directed to ensure complete performance of the agreement.