



# RINGDAHL AMBULANCE SERVICE

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Dear City or Township Leader in the Pelican Rapids area,

Recently, we have sent a letter to city and Township leaders within the Fergus Falls ambulance primary service area. The letter informed them that we have decided to change our ambulance service licensure from full-time advanced life support to part time advanced life support. This was not an easy decision as we feel strongly that community members should continue to receive the services they are used to.

**At this time, we have decided to leave the ambulance license in the Pelican Rapids area (MN License # 0192) at Advanced Life Support** as your community has recognized this value and continues to provide financial support. Because our EMS systems rely heavily on mutual aid, this may still have an impact on surrounding areas that we serve.

Although the license request for Fergus Falls area will allow us to staff at a Basic Life Support (BLS) level, we will attempt to maintain ALS whenever possible.

Our goal is to communicate openly and transparently with all stakeholders and are always willing to continue to educate leaders on this complicated problem.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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