TOWN OF FREEDOM ORDINANCE 2025-03 AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH FREEDOM EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

The Board of Supervisors of the Town of Freedom, Wisconsin hereby ordain as follows:

WHEREAS, the Town of Freedom is authorized to conduct an emergency medical services program under Wis. Stat. ch. 256.12(2)(a), and amendments thereto; and

WHEREAS, on May 9th, 1989 the Town of Freedom took action to authorize the Freedom First Responders to start providing emergency medical services on a temporary basis; and

WHEREAS, on June 11th, 1990 the Town of Freedom acted to make the Freedom First Responders a permanent department of the town; and

WHEREAS, since 1989 the Freedom First Responders have responded to emergency medical calls in the Town of Freedom; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Freedom never adopted an ordinance, or records of such ordinance do not exist, establishing the creation of the Freedom First Responders as the emergency medical department of the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town shall have authority to appoint the Service Director of the First Responders along with all other town-appointed positions in April as an at-will position consisting of a two-year term;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors of the Town of Freedom, Wisconsin, DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: The establishment of a municipal emergency medical services department by the Town of Freedom in 1990 is recognized and acknowledged.

SECTION 2: The Freedom First Responders service is acknowledged and established as the municipally owned emergency medical services department of the Town of Freedom.

SECTION 3: EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect upon approval and publication.

Dated the 26th day of March 2025.

TOWN BOARD, TOWN OF FREEDOM

Justin Schumacher, Town Chair

Dana McHugh, Town Clerk

ATTACHMENTS:

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