ORDINANCE GRANTING FRANCHISE TO PRIORITY CARE AMBULANCE INC FOR OPERATION OF A NON-EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICE

WHEREAS, PRIORITY CARE AMBULANCE INC, located in Raleigh, North Carolina, has applied for a franchise for operation of a non-emergency ambulance transport service in Wake County; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 111 of the Wake County Code of Ordinances authorizes the grant of such a franchise by the Wake County Board of Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, PRIORITY CARE AMBULANCE INC's franchise request has been reviewed and given preliminary approval by the Director of the Department of Emergency Medical Services; and

WHEREAS, issuance of the requested franchise will take place only upon a finding of compliance by the Director of the Department of Emergency Medical Services with Chapter 111 of the Wake County Code of Ordinances and all applicable state statutes and regulations.;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, THAT PRIORITY CARE AMBULANCE INC be granted a franchise of five years' duration, effective January 25, 2021, for the delivery of non-emergency ambulance transport service in Wake County, North Carolina, PROVIDED that such franchise be issued only upon a finding of compliance with the provisions of Chapter 111 of the Wake County Code of Ordinances and all other applicable State statutes and regulations governing such ambulances services on the part of PRIORITY CARE AMBULANCE INC by the Director of the Department of Emergency Medical Services, a copy of which finding shall be maintained in the permanent files of the Clerk to the Board, and, PROVIDED FURTHER, that if PRIORITY CARE AMBULANCE INC does not offer the services authorized by this Ordinance, or discontinues the services authorized by this Ordinance during the life of the franchise, then, upon thirty (30) days' notice by Wake County, the franchise authorized herein shall be declared null and void.

Effective this 25th day of January 2021.

ATTEST:

Matthew M. Calabria, Chair Wake County Board of Commissioners Yvonne Gilyard Deputy Clerk to the Board