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Paratransit Pa. PUC No. 5
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OFFICIAL FILED TARIFF

NON PROFIT EMERGENCY SERVICE OF BEAVER COUNTY, INC.

t/d/b/a MEDIC RESCUE

PARATRANSIT TARIFF NAMING RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE TRANSPORTATION OF PERSONS IN PARATRANSIT SERVICE BETWEEN POINTS IN PENNSYLVANIA

To transport, as a Common Carrier, by Motor Vehicle, Persons in Paratransit Service, between points in the County of Beaver, and from points the said County to points in the Counties of Allegheny, Butler, Lawrence and Washington, and return.

Subject to the following conditions:

- (1) Service is limited to the use of vehicles modified to handle wheelchairs, and is equipped and manned to provide certain medical procedures whether ongoing or emergency in nature;
- (2) Service is limited to the transportation of persons who are non-ambulatory, or persons who, due to chronic or acute physical or mental conditions, require assistance in boarding or disembarking the vehicle, or medical monitoring, or the use of medical appliances or equipment, or an escort, including a driver certified to provide CPR and provide care at the level of a First Responder; and
- (3) Service is limited to persons who make advance reservations.

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LIST OF CHANGES MADE BY THIS TARIFF

1. Changed the Advanced Reservation Time from two hours to one hour.
2. Changed the wording in Out of Pocket Expenses to comport with current PUC requirements.
3. Eliminated Punctuality/Refusal of Service to comport with current PUC requirements.
4. Eliminated Carrier's Liability to comport with current PUC requirements.
5. Added description of Holiday Surcharge to the Rules and Regulations to comport with current PUC requirements.
6. Changed wording at the top of the Schedule of Rates to comport with current PUC requirements.
7. Eliminated Alternative Pricing.
8. Changed to a single Base Rate.
9. Increase Base Rate.
10. Increased and simplified the Waiting Time Charge.
11. Increased and changed the wording of the Mileage Charge.
12. Changed the wording of the Holiday Surcharge.
13. Eliminated the No Show/Failure to Cancel Charge to comport with current PUC requirements.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

(C) ADVANCE RESERVATIONS

Advance reservations must be made no later than one (1) hours prior to when service is to be rendered.

CONTRACT SERVICES

Contract services provided will be for a term of not less than 30 days for prequalified persons under a federal, state, county or municipal governmental agency contract. Rates for the services will be specified in the respective contracts, copies of which, including any amendments thereto, are to be filed with the Commission as executed to become effective on one day's notice.

DETERMINATION OF DISTANCES (MILEAGE RATE)

Mileage hereunder shall be governed by the lower of the following two options: (1) online mapping programs, such as (but not limited to) MapQuest or Yahoo! Maps, or (2) the actual odometer reading of the vehicle or vehicles employed. Mileage will be calculated from the point of pickup to the point of drop off, rounded to the nearest mile. Traditional rounding methods shall be utilized, except for transports of 0.1 to 0.4 miles, as the minimum mileage charge shall be 1.0 miles.

NON-EXCLUSIVITY OF SERVICE

Service is provided on a non-exclusive basis.

(C) OUT OF POCKET EXPENSES

Any additional expenses necessitated by or incurred at the request of the either the passenger or the party making the reservation, including, but not limited to, tolls, parking charges, , entrance fees, and all other out of pocket expenses shall be added to the charge for the trip. Please contact Medic Rescue for the current rates of these additional expenses.

(C) HOLIDAY SURCHARGE

Trips on the following holidays are subject to a holiday surcharge as listed in the SCHEDULE OF RATES: New Year's Day, Easter, Memorial Day, the Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.

(C) indicates a change.

SCHEDULE OF RATES

(C) (Per Person. Service is offered 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.)

- (C) 1. **BASE RATE:** For all loaded-mile trips from the point of pickup to the point of destination.
- (A)(C) \$50.00 Per Person Per One-Way Transport
- (C) 2. **WAITING TIME:** Applies in addition to the Base Rates stated above on all loaded miles from the point of pickup to the point of destination.
- (A)(C) \$30.00 per hour or fraction thereof.
- (C) 3. **MILEAGE:** A mileage charge set forth below, applies in addition to the base rate listed above, for all loaded miles from the point of pickup to the point of destination.
- (A)(C) \$3.00 Per Mile or Fraction Thereof
- (C) 4. **HOLIDAY SURCHARGE:** a holiday surcharge set forth below will apply in addition to the base rate, for all trips which occur on the following holidays: New Year's Day, Easter, Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.
- (C) \$10.00 Per Person Per One-Way Transport
- (C) indicates a change.
(A) indicates an increase in rates.