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A-6427518
A-2024-3051860

MAHONING VALLEY AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION
902 MILL ROAD
LEHIGHTON PA 18235

RE: Application of Mahoning Valley Ambulance Association

To Whom It May Concern:

On October 29, 2024, the application of Mahoning Valley Ambulance Association, at A-2024-3051860, as a motor carrier was accepted for filing and docketed with the Public Utility Commission. In order for the Commission to proceed with the application, additional information is required.

Please forward the information to the Secretary of the Commission at the following address **within ten (10) working days** from the date of this letter.

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

ALL Parties to proceedings pending before the Commission are advised to open and use an e-filing account through the Commission's website, OR you may submit your filing by overnight delivery. If a filing contains confidential or proprietary material, the filing is required to be submitted by overnight delivery.

Your answers should be verified per 52 Pa Code § 1.36. Accordingly, you must provide the following statement with your responses:

I, _____, hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

The blank should be filled in with the name of the appropriate company representative, and the signature of that representative should follow the statement.

Failure to comply with this request within 10 working days from the date of this letter will result in the denial of the application.

Please direct any questions to David Canzoneri, Bureau of Technical Utility Services at (717) 346-9738. Faxed or emailed filings are **not** accepted.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rosemary Chiavetta".

Rosemary Chiavetta
Secretary

Enclosure

Docket No. A-2024-3051860
Mahoning Valley Ambulance Association

Request for Information

- 1.) You failed to adequately answer all aspects of question #5 of the Verified Statement of Applicant. Please review **Title 52 Pa Code §29.501-509 Driver Regulations** to see what is required of motor carriers.
 - a. Please explain your hiring standards for drivers;
 - i. Are there any age restrictions?
 1. Your previous response did not comply with the Commission's regulations found at **Title 52 Pa Code §29.503(b)**. If you wish to permit drivers under the age of 21, then they need to comply with aforementioned regulations. Please provide a policy that complies with the regulations mentioned above.
 - b. Your system for conducting criminal background checks;
 - i. What type of things in their criminal background check would disqualify them from employment?
 1. Your previous response did not fully comply with the regulations found at **Title 52 Pa Code §29.505(a)(3)**. Please amend your response so that it complies with the regulation mentioned above.
 - ii. How will you maintain records (record retention) of the criminal background checks performed?
 1. Your previous response did not comply with the regulation found at **Title 52 Pa Code §29.505(a)(4)**. Please provide a policy that complies with the regulation mentioned above.
 - c. Your system for conducting driver license/history checks;
 - i. How often will you conduct driver license/history checks?
 1. Your previous response did not fully comply with the regulation found at **Title 52 Pa Code §29.504(a)(2)**. Please provide a policy that fully complies with the regulation mentioned above.
 - ii. How will you maintain records (record retention) of such checks?
 1. Your previous response did not comply with the regulation found at **Title 52 Pa Code §29.504(a)(3)**. Please provide a policy that complies with the regulation mentioned above.

Please provide typed responses that thoroughly answer these questions on a separate sheet of paper