

**ORDINANCE NO. 20220817-008**

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS IN THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE OF THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT; AND REPEALING ORDINANCES NO. 20210811-005 AND NO. 20220505-004 RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT CLASSIFICATIONS AND POSITIONS.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

**PART 1.** The Council finds:

- (A) In accord with the procedures in Subchapter K of Texas Local Government Code Chapter 143 (*Civil Service Status of Emergency Medical Services Personnel in Certain Municipalities*) the City has adopted Chapter 143, which applies to certain employees in City's Emergency Medical Services Department.
- (B) Subchapter K of Chapter 143 provides that the City Council shall establish the classifications for the Emergency Medical Services Department and the number of positions in each classification.
- (C) The Emergency Medical Services Department recommends the creation of certain classified positions to improve the delivery of emergency medical services and increase efficiency in the Emergency Medical Services Department.

**PART 2.** "Emergency Medical Services Department" means the Austin-Travis County Emergency Medical Services Department.

**PART 3.** The Emergency Medical Services Department shall be divided into three Divisions designated as the Field Division, Communications Division, and Operations Division. The number of positions in each civil service classification within each Division is established as follows:

**Field Division:**

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| (A) Commander - Field           | 38  |
| (B) Captain - Field             | 77  |
| (C) Clinical Specialist - Field | 277 |
| (D) Medic - Field               | 201 |

**Communications Division:**

(A) Commander - Communications	5
(B) Captain - Communications	11
(C) Clinical Specialist - Communications	29
(D) Medic - Communications	14

**Operations Division:**

(A) Assistant Chief	4
(B) Division Chief	9

**PART 4.** The Base Salary Schedule for Fiscal Year 2021-22 attached as Appendix D-1 and Appendix D-2 to the Meet and Confer Agreement effective on September 16, 2018 is adopted for each civil service classification except Assistant Chief and shall remain in effect until superseded by the base salary schedule for Fiscal Year 2022-23 in an approved successor agreement to the Meet and Confer Agreement effective on September 16, 2018.

**PART 5.** Ordinances 20210811-005 and 20220505-004 are repealed

**PART 6.** This ordinance takes effect on October 1, 2022.

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

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   Steve Adler  
   Mayor

**APPROVED:** Anne L. Morgan  
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City Attorney

**ATTEST:** Myrna Rios  
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City Clerk