

Warren County Board of Supervisors

RESOLUTION NO. 237 OF 2015

Resolution introduced by Supervisors Sokol, Conover, Frasier, McDevitt and Westcott

AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT AGREEMENT WITH NORTH COUNTRY HOME SERVICES, INC. FOR PARAPROFESSIONAL CARE SERVICES UNDER THE LONG TERM HOME HEALTH CARE (LTHHC) AND CERTIFIED HOME HEALTH AGENCY (CHHA) PROGRAMS

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 711 of 2012 authorized, among other things, the continuation of the contractual relationship with North Country Home Services, Inc. (the "Agency") for paraprofessional care services under the LTHHC and CHHA Programs, and

WHEREAS, the Director of Public Health/Patient Services has been advised by North Country Home Services, Inc. that the Home Health Aide rate for 2015 is Twenty-Six Dollars and Fifty-Two (\$26.52) per hour, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the rates for the services for 2015 described be and hereby are, amended as follows:

<u>CONTRACTOR/ AGENCY</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>	<u>ESTIMATED CONTRACT AMOUNTS/RATES</u>
North Country Home Services, Inc.	Paraprofessional Care Services - CHHA	Home Health Aide \$26.52/hr

and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors be, and hereby is, authorized to execute an amendment agreement with North Country Home Services, Inc. showing the above rate change, effective retroactive to January 1, 2015, in the form approved by the County Attorney, and be it further

RESOLVED, that all other terms and conditions of the agreement with North Country Home Services, Inc. remain in full force and effect, and be it further

RESOLVED, that unless there should be a material change in contract terms, a change in rates/costs, a further Board resolution will not be necessary for the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors to execute new contracts and continue the contracts in future years for one year terms, provided appropriations for such contracts are made in the Health Services budget and the Department Head recommends continuation of the contracts, and be it further

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RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Board be, and hereby is, authorized to execute agreements, and from time to time as may be necessary, further contracts consistent with the term set forth herein, with said contractor in the form approved by the County Attorney, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the funds shall be expended from Budget Code A.4010 470 Health Services, Contract and Budget Code A.4016 470 Long Term Home Health Care, Contract.