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June 27, 2025

Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada
Serrell Smokey, ITCN President
Tribal Chairman of Washoe Tribe
919 Highway 395 South
Gardnerville, Nevada 89410

Dear Tribal Members:

In accordance with established consultation guidelines, the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) is notifying Nevada tribes of the following proposed policy:

The DHCFP is proposing a State Plan Amendment (SPA) to establish a new payment for Private Emergency Transport Providers. The new payment will be funded with a new provider assessment. These changes are being made to Nevada Medicaid State Plan Attachment 4.19-B Page 23 and page 24 and would have an effective date of July 1, 2025, in compliance with Senate Bill (SB) 424 of the 83rd (2025) legislative session.

Specifically:

- The Division intends to create an add-on payment for emergency medical transport providers in accordance with SB 424. Only privately owned and operated emergency medical transport providers will be eligible for the add-on. The add-on will only apply to ground emergency transport services provided in the State of Nevada.
- Only privately owned and operated providers delivering ground emergency transport services within Nevada will be eligible for the supplemental payment.
- There will be no change in the annual aggregate expenditure for SFY 2025, and the estimated change for SFY 2026 is \$12,368,437.

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to Tribal Governments.

If you would like a consultation regarding this proposed change in the State Plan, please contact Nahayvee Flores-Rosiles at nflores-rosiles@dhcfp.nv.gov or (775) 350-0786 who will schedule a meeting. We would appreciate a reply within 30 days from the date of this letter. If we do not hear from you within this time, we will consider this an indication that no consultation is requested.

Sincerely,

Casey Angres

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