

ORDINANCE NUMBER 4045

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND BARNESVILLE
CODIFIED ORDINANCE 143.05
(EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION RATES)
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BARNESVILLE, OHIO:

Barnesville Codified Village Ordinance 143.05, pertaining to Emergency Transportation Rates, which currently reads as follows:

143.05 EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION RATES

- (a) All patients within the Corporation transported to Barnesville Hospital will be charged the following rates:
- (1) If (EMT-BASIC) is used on the transport, the charge shall be seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
 - (2) If (ALS-1) is used on the transport, the charge shall be eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
 - (3) If (ALS-2) is used on the transport, the charge shall be one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
 - (4) If (CRITICAL CARE) is used on the transport, the charge shall be one thousand one hundred twenty-five (\$1,125.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
- (b) All patients outside the Corporation transported to Barnesville Hospital will be charged the following rates:
- (1) If (EMT-BASIC) is used on the transport, the charge shall be seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
 - (2) If (ALS-1) is used on the transport, the charge shall be eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
 - (3) If (ALS-2) is used on the transport, the charge shall be one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
 - (4) If (CRITICAL CARE) is used on the transport, the charge shall be one thousand one hundred twenty-five (\$1,125.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
- (c) All patients transported to any hospital outside of the Village of Barnesville will be charged the following rates:
- (1) If (EMT-BASIC) is used on the transport, the charge shall be seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
 - (2) If (ALS-1) is used on the transport, the charge shall be eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.

- (3) If (ALS-2) is used on the transport, the charge shall be one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
- (4) If (CRITICAL CARE) is used on the transport, the charge shall be one thousand one hundred twenty-five (\$1,125.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
(Ord. 38969. Passed 11-9-20)
- (d) No members of the Barnesville Emergency Squad and Fire Department nor their immediate family members living at home or with a Squad member shall be charged for any transportation to any hospital. Immediate family includes mother, father, brother, sister, husband, wife, children and stepchildren. (Ord. 3254. Passed 4-17-06).
- (e) Whenever, as part of the transportation of any patient by the emergency squad it is necessary to use the Village of Barnesville Airport to facilitate transportation of the patient by air travel, the air transportation company will be billed for the use of the airport and the transportation of its personnel to the hospital to pick-up the patient and back to the airport. The charge shall be six hundred dollars (\$600.00) per run. Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) of the six hundred dollars (\$600.00) shall be allocated to the airport fund.
- (f) If a call is made for Emergency Squad Services at a residence and the individual refuses to be transported to a medical facility, the individual refusing said transport shall be charged a fee of two hundred dollars (\$200.00).
(Ord. 3869. Passed 11-9-20).
- (g) Medical supplies used on Emergency calls that are not replaced by the Hospital shall be billed to the patient at replacement costs. (Ord. 3248. Passed 3-6-06).
- (h) All patients transported from Barnesville Hospital to another medical institution or facility, including, but not limited to, any hospital, surgery center, nursing facility, assisted care facility or the like will be charged the following rates:
- (1) If Basic Transportation is used on the transport, the charge shall be seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
- (2) If Advanced Transportation is used on the transport, the charge shall be seven hundred twenty five dollars (\$725.00) per run, plus twenty dollars (\$20.00) per mile one way.
- (i) Subject to the Fire Chief's discretion, if a call is made for Emergency Services for Lift Assistance, the charge shall be one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per run.
(Ord. 3869. Passed 11-9-20).

SHALL BE AND THE SAME IS HEREBY AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

143.05 EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION RATES

- (a) All patients within the Corporation transported to Barnesville Hospital **will be billed at reasonable and customary industry standards.**
- (b) All patients outside the Corporation transported to Barnesville Hospital **will be billed at reasonable and customary industry standards.**
- (c) All patients transported to any hospital outside of the Village of Barnesville **will be billed at reasonable and customary industry standards.**
- (d) No members of the Barnesville Emergency Squad and Fire Department nor their immediate family members living at home or with a Squad member shall be charged for any transportation to any hospital. Immediate family includes mother, father, brother, sister, husband, wife, children and stepchildren. (Ord. 3254. Passed 4-17-06).
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- (i) Subject to the Fire Chief's discretion, if a call is made for Emergency Services for Lift Assistance, the charge shall be one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per run. (Ord. 3869. Passed 11-9-20).

FURTHER, this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the residents of the Village of Barnesville as it is necessary to provide clarification regarding emergency transportation rates.

PASSED at a regular meeting of Council of the Village of Barnesville, held this ____ day of _____, 2026, by a vote of a majority of the members of Council.

Jake Hershberger, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jeannie Hannahs, Fiscal Officer

PENDING