TITLE 145: OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CHAPTER 15: OKLAHOMA 9-1-1 MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking **PROPOSED RULES:** Subchapter 1. Administrative Operations 145:15-1-2 [AMENDED] Subchapter 3. Oklahoma 9-1-1 Management Authority 145:15-3-1 [RESERVED] 145:15-3-2 [AMENDED] 145:15-3-3 [AMENDED] 145:15-3-4 Reimbursement for member travel to Authority meetings [NEW] Subchapter 5. Reporting Requirements 145:15-5-1 [AMENDED] Subchapter 7. Disbursement of 9-1-1 Telephone fees 145:15-7-1 Annual Determination of Eligibility and Population Governing body eligibility and fee distribution data [AMENDED] 145:15-7-2 [AMENDED] 145:15-7-3 [RESERVED] Subchapter 9. Grant Program 145:15-9-1 [AMENDED] 145:15-9-2 [AMENDED] 145:15-9-3 [AMENDED] 145:15-9-4 [AMENDED] Subchapter 11. NG9-1-1 Compliance Requirements [NEW] 145:15-11-1 [NEW] 145:15-11-2 [NEW] 145:15-11-3 [NEW] 145:15-11-4 [NEW]

SUMMARY:

The proposed rule modifications are to ensure compliance with the Legislative amendments within Chapter 57 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes via House Bill 1590 (HB 1590), effective November 1, 2023. The proposed rule amendments provide for administrative changes deriving from HB 1590, implement the new fee distribution formula for distributing 9-1-1 telephone fees and providing improvements within the grant program. The proposed additions in Subchapter 11. NG9-1-1 Compliance Requirements detail compliance standards for Primary Safety Answering Points with the Authority's statewide implementation of Next Generation 9-1-1.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma 9-1-1 Management Authority; Oklahoma 9-1-1 Management Authority Act, 63 O.S. Section 2862 to 2872; Emergency Telephone Act, 63 O.S. Section 2801 to 2810; Nine-One-One Wireless Emergency Number Act, 63 O.S. Section 2841 to 2847

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons wishing to make written or oral comments may do so in person, by mail, or by email through the end of the public hearing on January 20, 2025 at: Oklahoma 9-1-1 Management

Authority, P.O. Box 53365, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73152, Lance Terry, Lance.Terry@oem.ok.gov or Stacey Root, Stacey.Root@oem.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held to provide an opportunity for persons to orally present their comments to the Authority. Each person will be allowed a maximum of 5 minutes to speak and must sign in at the door. The public hearing will be held as follows: Monday, January 20, 2025 at 1:00PM in the 4th Floor OEM Training Room in the Will Rogers Building, 2401 N. Lincoln Blvd., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, about the increase in the level of direct costs, indirect costs, or other costs expected to be incurred by the business entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing by the conclusion of the comment period and public hearing on Monday, January 20, 2025 at 1:00PM in the 4th floor OEM Training Room in the Will Rogers Building, 2401 N. Lincoln Blvd., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained by email via <u>stacey.root@oem.ok.gov</u> or on the Authority's website http://www.ok.gov/911/.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S., Section 303(D), a rule impact statement will be prepared and will be available at the email and website provided above on or after December 16, 2024.

CONTACT PERSON:

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