



## EL PASO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES AGENCY

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### **Volunteer Needed for Vacancy on Emergency Services Agency Board**

**Colorado Springs, December 21, 2011** – The City of Colorado Springs and El Paso County are seeking a resident of the City of Colorado Springs who is currently or has been employed as a certified EMT or paramedic to serve on the joint City/County Emergency Services Agency (ESA) Board. The volunteer will fill a 3-year term with the possibility of reappointment to another 3-year term.

The ESA was established by Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) between the City of Colorado Springs and El Paso County for the purpose of contracting for private ground emergency ambulance service throughout much of El Paso County. The ESA monitors the contractor's compliance with the contract and administers an EMS grant program that provides EMS equipment and training to local emergency medical providers. The ESA addresses the needs and concerns of citizens in the Pikes Peak region and serves as an advisory board to the City Council and Board of County Commissioners on matters relating to emergency medical services.

ESA Board meetings are regularly scheduled on the first Wednesday of every other month at 2:00PM at the Pikes Peak Regional Development Center, 2880 International Circle in Colorado Springs. Board members may also participate on subcommittees relating to contract compliance and grants that generally meet on the last Wednesday of the month. You can find more information about the ESA at [www.esaboard.org](http://www.esaboard.org).

If you're interested in serving, send a letter of interest and resume by Wednesday, February 15 to Eileen Gonzalez, ESA Business Administrator, at [egonzalez@springsgov.com](mailto:egonzalez@springsgov.com) or via U.S. mail to 2880 International Circle, Suite L110, Colorado Springs, CO 80910. For more information about the ESA, call 520-7654.

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