

## Barry Hottmann

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**From:** Barry Hottmann  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 14, 2025 4:40 PM  
**To:** Eric Hagen  
**Subject:** RE: Language Line EMS Contract

Thanks for your input. I appreciate it.

**From:** Eric Hagen <EHagen@boardmanclark.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 14, 2025 2:26 PM  
**To:** Barry Hottmann <barry.hottmann@dodgevillewi.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: Language Line EMS Contract

Barry,

Attached please find my comments on the agreement. I believe these are the same agreements from what I can tell, so the comments apply to both. Since this is an agreement, Council should approve it. I would like to see the following changes before it is brought to council:

- Change customer to "City of Dodgeville"
- Clarify in sec. 4 (CONFIDENTIALITY AND PRIVACY) that we can also release the "confidential information" subject to public records request.
- Add language to sec. 8 to preserve our immunities/defenses: "Nothing contained within this section or agreement is intended to be a waiver or estoppel of the Customer or its insurer to rely upon the limitations, defenses, and immunities contained within Wisconsin law, including, but not limited to, those contained within Wisconsin Statutes Sections 893.80, 895.52, and 345.05. To the extent indemnification is available and enforceable, the Customer or its insurer shall not be liable in indemnity or contribution for an amount greater than the limits of liability for municipal claims established by Wisconsin law."
- Change sec. 13(d) (CHOICE OF LAW) to Wisconsin.

Sincerely,

Eric



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