

**CITY COUNCIL
COMMUNICATION:**

03-116

AGENDA:

MARCH 10, 2003

SUBJECT:

REGISTRATION
AGREEMENT WITH EDI
SUPPORT SERVICES
FOR FILING OF
MEDICARE CLAIMS
FOR FIRE
DEPARTMENT
AMBULANCE SERVICE

TYPE:

RESOLUTION
ORDINANCE
RECEIVE/FILE

SUBMITTED BY:

PHILLIP C.
VORLANDER
FIRE CHIEF

ITEM _____

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA**

SYNOPSIS —

The City of Des Moines will register with EDI Support Services, a contracted vendor of Noridan (Mike Unjhem, President, 4305 13th Ave. South, Fargo, North Dakota) to file claims generated by those insured on Medicare. These claims are associated with their transport by the Des Moines Fire Department Ambulance Service.

FISCAL IMPACT —

None.

RECOMMENDATION —

Approval.

BACKGROUND —

Claims by those insured on Medicare are required to be filed electronically. This provides a more efficient method to receive revenues produced by the Des Moines Fire Department Ambulance Service.

