



# *Arlington Fire District*

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**For Emergencies**  
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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

As of January 1, 2017, Mobile Life Support Services, Inc., a commercial ambulance service delivering care in the Hudson Valley Region since 1981, will begin to provide emergency ambulance and transportation services for the Arlington Fire District.

As such, patients can expect to receive a charge for services rendered in an amount that is usual and customary for the provider. These services may be covered by health insurance plans. This model is similar to those utilized throughout our neighboring communities.

This change, enacted by the Board of Fire Commissioners, also enables the District to expand its career firefighting and paramedic coverage to its four stations 24 hours a day / 7 days a week, thus more efficiently and effectively serving the entire population.

Career and volunteer members of the Arlington Fire District will continue providing immediate response to emergency calls and delivering high quality basic and paramedic level care to the community.

The Arlington Fire District remains intensely focused on and committed to safeguarding our community. For more information, contact the Arlington Fire District through its website at [www.afd.org](http://www.afd.org) and select "Contact" from the menu bar, or by telephone (845) 486-6300.