

1 **PROHIBITION RELATING TO FEES ON**
2 **FOSTER HOMES FOR THE USE OF**
3 **EMERGENCY SERVICES**

4 2007 GENERAL SESSION

5 STATE OF UTAH

6 **Chief Sponsor: Wayne A. Harper**

7 Senate Sponsor: Margaret Dayton

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9 **LONG TITLE**

10 **General Description:**

11 This bill amends Title 11, Cities, Counties, and Local Taxing Units, to prohibit a local
12 entity from imposing a fee on foster homes for the use of emergency services that is not
13 commensurate with the fees imposed on others.

14 **Highlighted Provisions:**

15 This bill:

- 16 ▶ defines terms; and
17 ▶ prohibits a local entity from imposing a fee on foster homes for emergency services,
18 unless the fee is imposed, at the same rate, on homes that are not foster homes.

19 **Monies Appropriated in this Bill:**

20 None

21 **Other Special Clauses:**

22 None

23 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

24 ENACTS:

25 **11-42-101**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

26 **11-42-102**, Utah Code Annotated 1953

27 **11-42-103**, Utah Code Annotated 1953



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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **11-42-101** is enacted to read:

CHAPTER 42. EMERGENCY SERVICES PROVIDED BY A LOCAL ENTITY

11-42-101. Title.

This chapter is known as "Emergency Services Provided by a Local Entity."

Section 2. Section **11-42-102** is enacted to read:

11-42-102. Definitions.

As used in this chapter:

(1) "Emergency Services" means:

(a) fire protection services;

(b) police protection services;

(c) ambulance or paramedic services;

(d) 911 emergency telephone service, as defined in Section 69-2-2; or

(e) E-911 emergency telephone service.

(2) "Fee" means a fee, fine, or charge.

(3) "Local entity" means:

(a) an interlocal entity created under Title 11, Chapter 13, Interlocal Cooperation Act;

(b) a special district, as defined in Section 17A-1-101;

(c) a municipality, as defined in Section 10-1-104;

(d) a county, as defined in Section 17-50-101; or

(e) a local district, as defined in Section 17B-2-101.

Section 3. Section **11-42-103** is enacted to read:

11-42-103. Prohibition relating to fees on foster homes for the provision of emergency services.

A local entity may not impose a fee upon a foster home or foster parent for the use of emergency services, unless a person, or home of a person, who is not a foster parent is subject to the same fee at the same rate.

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Fiscal Note**H.B. 272 - Prohibition Relating to Fees on Foster Homes for the Use of Emergency Services**

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State Impact

Enactment of this bill will not require additional appropriations.

Individual, Business and/or Local Impact

Enactment of this bill likely will not result in direct, measurable costs and/or benefits for individuals, businesses, or local governments.

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