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07. **Local Government Endorsement.** Local government endorsements from Idaho cities and counties within the applicant's primary response area; weight = five (5). Applications submitted with one (1) or more endorsement(s) will be awarded five (5) points. ()

08. **Prevalence of Volunteers.** The percent of certified personnel identified on the most recent agency license application as volunteer; weight = percent/10. The application demonstrating a greater prevalence of volunteer certified personnel will be assigned greater weight. ()

09. **Narrative.** The need for and lack of availability of funds from other sources as documented by the grant applicant; weight = ten (10). The application demonstrating a greater need for and lack of available funds will be assigned greater weight. ()

303. -- 399. (RESERVED)

400. **SECURITY INTEREST.**

Each successful grant applicant is required to execute a security agreement as required in Section 56-1018B(2)(e), Idaho Code. The security agreement must be signed by the person authorizing the grant application. The Department provides a Subgrant and Security Agreement for Vehicle/Equipment for signature. ()

401. -- 499. (RESERVED)

500. **UNUSED GRANT FUNDS.**

All funds not expended for costs associated with the applicant's award must be returned to the EMS Account III by June 1 of the grant cycle during which the funds were awarded. ()

501. **WITHDRAWAL OF GRANT APPLICATION.**

Any grant applicant may withdraw or forfeit a grant application at any time. ()

01. **Notification.** The EMS Bureau may discontinue the grant award or approval process if either of the following occurs: ()

a. The chief administrative official of the grant applicant agency or his designee submits a notice of withdrawal in written form to the EMS Bureau, or ()

b. The grant applicant does not provide required documentation during the award or approval process. ()

02. **No Right of Assignment.** The grant applicant may not assign any award. ()

03. **Ability to Compete.** The withdrawal of a grant application does not affect the grant applicant's ability to reapply in subsequent grant cycle. ()

502. **FRAUDULENT INFORMATION ON GRANT APPLICATION.**

Providing false information on any grant application or document submitted under these rules is grounds for declaring the grant applicant ineligible. Any and all funds determined to have been acquired on the basis of fraudulent information must be returned to the EMS III account. ()

503. -- 999. (RESERVED)