



# MEDIA RELEASE

## ERIE COUNTY ADMINISTRATION

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County Executive

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### MEDIA ADVISORY

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## ERIE COUNTY TO HOST FIVE PUBLIC MEETINGS ON PROPOSED EMS AUTHORITY FOR ERIE COUNTY

### WHEN/WHERE:

Wednesday, Nov. 8, at Fort LeBoeuf High School auditorium at 6:00 P.M.  
931 N. High St., Waterford

Thursday, Nov. 9, at Girard High School auditorium at 6:00 P.M.  
1135 Lake St., Girard

Monday, Nov. 13, Millcreek Township assembly room at 6:00 P.M.  
3608 W. 26th St., Erie

Thursday, Nov. 16, North East Middle School cafeteria at 6:00 P.M.  
1901 Freeport Rd., North East

Tuesday, Nov. 28, Hirt Auditorium, Erie County Library at 6:00 P.M.  
160 Blasco St., Erie

### WHAT:

Erie County government, EMS providers and municipal officials have been discussing possible strategies to address this crisis for several years. From these conversations and research, leaders in Erie County are exploring establishment of an Erie County EMS Authority. This countywide entity would coordinate system resources, create economies of scale through shared services, and act as a vehicle to attract grants and other external resources to sustain the system

We urge you to come to one of these meetings to learn about how an authority could help provide essential resources and support to Erie County's EMS providers.

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