## JOINT POWERS AGREEMENT BETWEEN BARRON COUNTY AND THE TOWN OF SIOUX CREEK Barron County Enhanced 911 System

WHEREAS, Barron County and the municipalities located within the boundaries of Barron County implemented an Enhanced 911 System for the purposes of providing emergency services to residents and visitors of these municipalities, including fire fighting, law enforcement, ambulance, medical and other emergency services; and

WHEREAS, section 256.35 Subsection (9), Wisconsin Statutes, entitled "Joint Powers Agreement", requires that in implementing a 911 system, municipalities shall annually enter into a joint powers agreement, which agreement shall be applicable on a daily basis and which shall provide that if an emergency services vehicle is dispatched in response to a request through the Barron County Enhanced 911 System, such vehicle shall render its services to the persons needing the services, regardless of whether the vehicle is operating outside of the vehicle's normal jurisdictional boundaries; and

WHEREAS, this document is not intended to imply that one (1) municipality or emergency services provider must provide services to another municipality or agency under contract with another municipality and does not affect mutual aid agreements and reciprocal aid agreements among municipal units.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises agreements, and conditions contained herein, it is hereby jointly agreed between Barron County and the Town of Sioux Creek hereinafter referred to as "municipality" as follows:

- 1. That effective the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2015, this agreement shall thereafter be applicable on a daily basis for a period of one (1) year from the effective date.
- 2. That if an emergency services vehicle operated by the municipality, or operated by an agency with which the municipality contracts, is dispatched in response to a request through the Enhanced 911 Barron County System, such vehicle (whether owned and operated by the municipality or by the

agency) shall render its services to the persons needing the services, regardless of whether the vehicle is operating outside of the vehicles normal jurisdictional (or as defined by the contract) boundaries.

- That this document is not intended to imply that one (1) 3. municipality and/or service provider must provide services to another municipality and does not affect mutual aid agreements and reciprocal aid agreements among municipal units.
- 4. That a copy of this agreement shall be filed with the State Department of Justice and the State Department of Administration, as required by Section 256.35(9), Wis. Stats.

Dated this	2014	day of	May	, 2015.

**BARRON COUNTY** 

By:

DeeAnn M. Cook **Barron County Clerk** 

**MUNICIPALITY** 

Liza M. Schroecer Town of Sioux Creek-Clerk/ Treasurer