

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE OF THE CECIL COUNTY FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION;

(6) DELEGATE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PROGRAM TO THE CECIL COUNTY TREASURER, A COMMITTEE OR BOARD, AN INSURANCE COMPANY, A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION, OR ANY OTHER AGENCY, GROUP, OR ORGANIZATION THE BOARD DETERMINES COMPETENT TO ADMINISTER THE PROGRAM;

(7) ESTABLISH DISABILITY, DEATH, AND SURVIVOR BENEFITS FOR QUALIFIED INDIVIDUALS. A "SURVIVING SPOUSE" BENEFIT IS DISCONTINUED WHEN THE SURVIVOR REMARRIES;

(8) ESTABLISH ANY OTHER REQUIREMENTS, CRITERIA, OR BENEFITS CONSIDERED BY THE BOARD TO BE IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITIZENS OF CECIL COUNTY AND THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS, RESCUE SQUADS, AND AMBULANCE CORPS;

(9) ALLOCATE FROM THE GENERAL REVENUE OF CECIL COUNTY OR FROM ANY OTHER SOURCE, FUNDS FOR THE PROGRAM. FUNDS ALLOCATED FROM CECIL COUNTY'S GENERAL REVENUES FOR THE PROGRAM MAY NOT EXCEED:

(I) \$35,000 DURING THE FIRST YEAR OF THE PROGRAM;

(II) \$39,000 DURING THE SECOND YEAR OF THE PROGRAM;

(III) \$44,000 DURING THE THIRD YEAR OF THE PROGRAM;

(IV) \$49,000 DURING THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE PROGRAM;

(V) \$55,000 DURING THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE PROGRAM;

(VI) AN ADDITIONAL \$6,000 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL YEAR OF THE PROGRAM NOT TO EXCEED \$85,000; AND

(10) ESTABLISH ANY OTHER PROVISION FOR THE ADMINISTRATION AND FUNDING OF A VOLUNTEER LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRAM.

(D) TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION, THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SHALL ADOPT THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS AS PART OF THIS PROGRAM:

(1) ANY PERSON WHO HAS CERTIFIED CREDIT VOLUNTEER SERVICE AFTER JANUARY 1, 1979 OR WHO DISCONTINUED ACTIVE VOLUNTEER SERVICE PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1979 MAY RECEIVE CREDIT FOR THIS SERVICE AFTER BEING CERTIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION TO HAVE PERFORMED 5 YEARS OF ACTIVE VOLUNTEER SERVICE AFTER JANUARY 1, 1979; AND