~~The-board-of-county-commissioners-shall-annually-levy-on-the~~
~~assessable-property-of-the-county-a-tax-to-provide-the-sum-of-not~~
~~less-than--{$10,000}--$15,000--for--each--county--volunteer--fire~~
~~company--which-has-been-approved,-incorporated,-and-recognized-by~~
~~the-Frederick-County-Volunteer-Fire-and-Rescue-Association,-Inc.,~~
~~and-which-meets-the-other-standards-as-provided-for-herein.----The~~
~~board--shall--also--provide-not-less-than-{$4,000}-$6,000-for-all~~
~~volunteer-companies-providing-rescue-or-ambulance-services.~~

(A)   THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ANNUALLY SHALL IMPOSE
ON THE ASSESSABLE PROPERTY OF THE COUNTY A TAX TO PROVIDE:

(1)   THE SUM OF NOT LESS THAN $15,000 FOR:

(I)   EACH COUNTY   VOLUNTEER   FIRE   COMPANY   THAT
PROVIDES EMERGENCY FIRE SERVICES; AND

(II)   EACH VOLUNTEER RESCUE OR AMBULANCE COMPANY
THAT   PROVIDES   EMERGENCY   AMBULANCE   SERVICES FROM A FACILITY NOT
ALSO USED BY A COUNTY VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY AS DESCRIBED IN THIS
SUBSECTION; AND

(2)   THE SUM OF NOT LESS THAN $6,000 FOR:

(I)   EACH COUNTY   VOLUNTEER   FIRE   COMPANY   THAT
PROVIDES EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICE; AND

(II)   EACH VOLUNTEER RESCUE OR AMBULANCE COMPANY
THAT   PROVIDES   EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICES FROM A FACILITY ALSO
USED BY A COUNTY VOLUNTEER FIRE   COMPANY   AS   DESCRIBED   IN   THIS
SUBSECTION.

(B)   IN   ORDER   TO BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE FUNDS PROVIDED FOR
IN THIS SECTION, EACH COMPANY SHALL   BE   APPROVED,   INCORPORATED,
AND   RECOGNIZED BY THE FREDERICK COUNTY VOLUNTEER FIRE AND RESCUE
ASSOCIATION, INC., AND MEET THE OTHER STANDARDS AS   PROVIDED   FOR
HEREIN.

(C)   The   board   [of   county   commissioners]   may contribute
money to compensate out of   county   fire,   rescue,   or   ambulance
companies   rendering   service   in   the county in the board's sole
discretion.   Incorporated   municipalities   with   primary
responsibility for governmental   funding   for   fire,   rescue,   or
ambulance   services   shall   within   their jurisdiction hold those
enumerated powers assigned to the board of   county   commissioners
as stated in Sections 2-8-1 and 2-8-2 of this chapter.

SECTION   2.   AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act   shall
take effect July 1, 1986.

Approved April 29, 1986.