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## SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE

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Executive Director

February 1, 2022

Dear City and County Treasurers:

This is to provide a brief explanation of the forthcoming check for the Fourth Quarter 2021 Distribution of South Carolina CMRS Surcharge Funds to Local Governments' Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) from the 39.8% portion of the fund.

Pursuant to Section 23-47-65 (C)(2)(a) and the Advisory Committee's direction, the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office has derived the amount that city and county PSAPs are due based upon the October, November, and December 2021 CMRS 911 call volume submissions of every South Carolina 911 jurisdiction. These call volume proportions determine the amount due each locality for the Fourth Quarter of 2021, as is indicated on the enclosed excel table of the Fourth Quarter 2021 PSAP 911 Wireless Call Volume Operations Distribution.

Please note that Section 23-47-10, et seq., especially Section 23-47-65(C)(2)(a), requires that these funds be deposited in a separate account and expended "for expenses incurred for the answering, routing, and proper disposition of CMRS 911 calls;" i.e. by the PSAPs pursuant to their Council and Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office approved budgets, and included as such in your annual audit.

PSAP's CMRS call volume information for January, February, and March must be submitted to Amy Simpson at [amy.simpson@rfa.sc.gov](mailto:amy.simpson@rfa.sc.gov) by April 15, 2022. As always, Amy Simpson is available to answer any questions at 803-734-3291.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

