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**HB - 09-1041**  
**Concerning a Fire Protection District Board's Authority to Fix Fees for Emergency Medical Services.**

**House Committee on Local Government**

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**House Sponsor - Representative Gerou**  
**Senate Sponsor - Senator Gibbs**

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House Committee on Local Government scheduled to hear bill on Tuesday, 20 January 2009, 1:30 pm.

**Purpose:**

- Expands current statute (32-1-1002) to include reimbursement for extrication, rescue and safety services provided in advance of EMT and ambulance arrival.

**Background:**

After a highway accident, the first responders are charged with traffic control, lane safety and blocking.

They are also charged with extrication of accident victims (this can include cutting victim from automobile or recovery of victim to road if vehicle left road).

Reimbursement is not to include charging for fire-fighting services. This legislation is for reimbursement only of victim care and protection on scene.

**Fiscal Impact:**

- There is no fiscal impact.

**Supporters:**

- Foothills Fire Protection District
- Evergreen Fire District
- Leadville Fire Department

Thank you for your consideration in support of our volunteer EMS first responders.

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