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Henderson County Opens New EMS Station

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Henderson County is pleased to announce the opening of a new Emergency Medical Service (EMS) station in Fletcher. The new station is currently scheduled to operate twelve hours per day/seven days per week and was approved by the Board of Commissioners in the FY16-17 budget to address the increasing number of emergency medical calls occurring county-wide.

The new ambulance and crew are based at the Fletcher Fire and Rescue Main Station thanks to the cooperation of the Fletcher Fire and Rescue Department. Locating the new ambulance in Fletcher will help address overall EMS call volume and decrease response times to emergency calls. The additional EMS station is part of the County's overall strategy to provide exceptional emergency services to our growing population.

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