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## HOUSE REPUBLICAN STAFF ANALYSIS

Bill:

House File 603

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## **Allowing Volunteer Emergency Service Providers to Purchase Tires Through the State's Master Contracts**

House File 603 allows volunteer fire fighters, EMS providers, and reserve peace officers to purchase one set of tires for their personal vehicle each year through the state's master contract for tires.

## **Section by Section Analysis**

## Section 1 - Volunteer Emergency Services Providers - Tires (100B.46):

The section creates a new provision in the lowa Code that provides volunteer emergency service providers the opportunity to purchase a set of tires for their personal vehicle each year through the state's master purchasing contracts.

The section defines a volunteer emergency services provider as a person serving in any of the following capacities:

- Volunteer Fire Fighter (as defined in Code section 85.61)
- Reserve Peace Officer (as defined in Code section 80D.1A)
- Serving as an Emergency Medical Care provider (as defined in Code section 147A.1) who is not paid full-time.

These individuals can purchase one set of tires annually through the Department of Administrative Services master contract for tires. DAS is given authority to promulgate administrative rules for the operation of this section.