

# Minutes

## EMS Technical Advisory Committee

Friday, September 30, 2005

8:30 AM

MEDIC EMS

Lower Level Conference Room

1204 E High Street

Davenport

**Meeting called by:**

Decker Ploehn, Chairman

**Note Taker:**

Linda Devlin

**Attendees:**

Denny Coon, Scott Roenfeldt, Mike Hayward, Gerry Voelliger, Ross Bergen, Dave Kelly, Orville Randolph, Phil Redington, Mark Hunt, Sara Strell, Steve Wearth, Jamie Temple, Linda Frederiksen, Don Gano, Larry Barker, Andrea Bladel, Mark Frese, Brian Jacobsen, Jackie Depoorter, Steve Cornillaud, Darwin Burton, Gloria Isham, and Denny Kern.

### Agenda topics

Call to Order

Decker Ploehn called the meeting to order at 8:34a.m.

### Introductions

Everyone in attendance introduced themselves.

### Minutes of the August 26 Meeting

Minutes of the Previous meeting were approved with one amendment

### Homeland Security/EMA Report

Ross Bergen reported that the operator check list and the individual check list for the new mobile command center are completed. A rapid deployment procedure is being put together on how to call out the command vehicle and type of maintenance that will be required on a regular basis. An operator guide has been put together; this is qualifications and duties for individuals that would be the primary operators of the mobile command vehicle. The BOS and CARS personnel received a tour of the vehicle. An ID card system is being looked at to be on the vehicle to create ID badges on-site for tracking and security reasons. The GETS System through FEMA which allows local response agencies to obtain a special telephone code that will allow priority to public telephone lines in an emergency. Dave Donovan will act as a point of contact to look at all county departments. Satellite phones are being looked at to be used also; prices and plans. Ross is also putting together a frequent vendor list. A functional disaster exercise with North Park Mall is being planned for sometime in November. Decker Ploehn asked about a shelter inventory list, as to how many people they can house and can they be generated and for how long. Ross responded as to the availability of the shelters and the capabilities of the individual temporary shelters.

### Communications Study Report

Decker Ploehn – the consultants CTA are here Monday, to begin the consolidated dispatch work doing interviews in various dispatch centers in the next two weeks. Mark Hunt – reported that the Arsenal is a dispatch center and is conducting its own communications study, which will be separate from the Iowa PSAP study. Discussion about integrating PSAP coordinators so everyone is communicating. Mark Hunt – Fiber optic cable was approved for connecting PSAP centers in Scott County and Rock Island County.

### Public Health and Hospital Planning Committee

Dave Kelly – New contract received for this year with more extensive performance measures to meet, with other changes expected. Standards for disaster drill will also be more extensive. Regulations on hospitals running on own utilities will be coming out. Denny Coon – HRSA getting \$2,000.00 more next year. Work plans on performance measures on drills and training started. MOU with the Red Cross still out on review.

### SCEMSA Report

Brian Jacobsen – At Long Grove, Fire met on 15<sup>th</sup> of September and did a joint Quality Management as well as SCEMSA, distributed triage tape dispensers and came up with a plan to do some community education. Brian is pursuing the purchase of a Hi-tech manikin for realistic simulation for training.

### Quality Management Report

Jamie Temple – Educational video/DVD's will be given to Central Station on the use of the Triage bags and C-PAP's. Linda Frederiksen – Gave update on C-PAP's. Denny Coon – Physicians Advisory Board meeting is next Wednesday the 5<sup>th</sup> of October.

### SC Fire Chief's Report

Scott Roenfeldt – Met September 29<sup>th</sup> in Riverdale to talk about the riverboat grant coming up this fall, \$140,000.00 grant, \$70,000.00 for each boat, to purchase fire equipment. An issue concerning times being e-mailed or faxed to get reports done on a timelier manner. The faster way is to fax the times because of everyone having to clear a scene in order to e-mail the complete dispatch report. EMS picnic rescheduled until next year. Tim Huey came out a talked about E-911 address problems; he came up with door hangers to be left at homes that need addresses posted. Fire prevention week begins October 9<sup>th</sup>. Next meeting is Walcott fire November 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm.

### EICCD Report

Steve Wearth – Nothing on EMS training. Fire Training, a grant was received in reference to developing on on-line fire education program to be completed fall of '06.

### Hospital Report

Andrea Bladel – Dr. Lehman is coordinating a deployment of doctors and nurses to either Louisiana or Texas. Re-verification Site Survey for the regional trauma center is scheduled for November 8<sup>th</sup>. October 5<sup>th</sup> trauma conference in “Managing the Pregnant Trauma Patient” given by Dr. Ahmed from the University of Iowa.

### Law Enforcement Report

Mark Hunt – Mutual Aid agreement up date. Denny Kearns – Nothing mentioned in NIMS about police authority in other states that authorized police powers. The need for a 28E agreement across state lines was discussed.

### Other Items of Interest

Mark Frese and Gerry Voelliger reported on their experiences in East Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and New Orleans, Louisiana.

Next Meeting Date- 10-28-05

Adjourn 9:46m