

ECEMS Meeting Minutes
May 1st, 2007
Redmond Fire and Rescue Training Room

Meeting called to order by President Spaulding at 0905hrs

Present—

Marty Betch	SCMC—Disaster Preparedness
Dan Daugherty	La Pine Fire
Jim Dean	Crook County Fire and Rescue
Dan Drayton	Redmond Fire and Rescue
Ken Enoch	Sisters/Camp Sherman Fire District
Dusty Miller	Warm Springs Fire
Rick Mjelde	Mt. Bachelor Ski Patrol
Dave Pickhardt	Redmond Fire and Rescue
Chris Perry	Deschutes Co Dispatch
Scott Spaulding	Crooked River Fire
Justin Waalkes	Black Butte Ranch Fire
Tom Wright	Bend Fire

Approval of Previous Minutes: Dan Daugherty made the motion to accept the April 2007 Meeting minutes as typed, Jim Dean 2nd, motion passed.

Communication Report—None.

Treasures Report—Tom handed out a treasures report. Tom moved to change the cost of the ECEMS short forms to \$0.30 per form. Our last cost, actually cost ECEMS money. Dan Daugherty 2nd the motion and it passed without opposition. Tom also reported a lot of activity during the last month, mostly safe kids.

Committee Reports

Education—No report.

Protocols—Tom is still working with Dr. Marcinek on a joint reduction protocol to reduce patella's and ankles. Ken would like to see the C-Spine protocol finished. Scott will look into the Death with Dignity protocol. Revise dates will be updated to reflect the current protocol. Group also discussed the MS dose change, it will stay at 20mg.

MCI/MPS—Dan presented various options for MCI/MPS tags. The group agreed to standardize the tags throughout ECEMS agencies. Many different tags were reviewed. Marty stated that HERSA would pay for the region agencies to adopt and use one tag throughout. The group agreed that the MET Tag would be the best, Dan is going to check and see if a barcode option is available for the hospital use.

Old Business

New Business

1. **Chem Pak**—Marty presented a power point presentation on the chem paks available to 1st responders. Marty will send out the full power point presentations to Dusty and he will forward them on to all the agency reps. Marty would like everyone to review the material with their departments and make them familiar with the protocols. Scott will sign a MOU with Marty so that we can access them in times of need.

Good of the Order

Department Representative Roundtable.

Sisters Fire—New ambulance in, a couple small problems with the air ride issues. Little bit nosier than the older ambulances. Bid on new station this month.

Black Butte Ranch Fire—Not much new. Captain exam on the 11th of this month. 3 new students total.

Crook County Fire—Captains test for 2 on June 27th. Interfaces by the end of the month.

Warm Springs Fire—Nothing new.

Redmond Fire and Rescue—Job description for EMS coordinator in progress. Steve Pengra recently promoted to Captain. Test in the near future for a lateral entry paramedic. Ambulance Billing Luncheons have went very well. Sweet soft field data online soon.

La Pine Fire District—Not much going on, setting the fence waiting on the levy. High hopes.

Bend Fire and Rescue—Ordered 6 new ambulances and 7 power lift cots. Only accepting Oregon certified Paramedics for the upcoming test. Working with ODOT on barriers on the parkway to Baker Rd. Dealing with issues with extended wait times at SCMC for beds. Looking at diversion options. Investigating the option of transferring patients to urgent care clinics. Starting the 48/96 on May 3rd.

Mt Bachelor Ski Patrol—Not much going on. Reduced hours now. President Resigned.

Crooked River Ranch Fire—3 bids for the station. Hopefully starting to dig soon.

Meeting adjourned at 1200hrs by Chair Spaulding

Scott Spaulding
President

Dave Pickhardt
Vice-President

Tom Wright
Treasurer

Dustin Miller
Secretary

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