

# KITSAP COUNTY EMS & TRAUMA CARE COUNCIL

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# March 10, 2020

#### **1. ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS**

#### A. Call to Order

Chairman began meeting at 9:00am.

#### B. Additions or Deletions to the Agenda

i. 15 min presentation by Ron Goodnow from Harrison.ii. Amy Evers-Trauma Cases at Hospital

#### C. <u>Announcements</u>

Chief Oliver announced that directly after the Board of Directors meeting, the yearly Council meeting would take place.

#### 2. CONSENTITEMS

# A. Minutes of BOC Meeting: February 11, 2020

**MOTION** by Amy Evers to approve the consent items, as presented. **SECONDED** by Joey Rodrigues. Motion **PASSED** unanimously by all members present.

#### B. Financial Update-Dan Smith

Danielle reported she emailed Chief Smith to do a checking to savings transfer.

#### C. MPD Update-Dr. Hoffman

Dr. Hoffman reported on the Base Station that took place last week at Station 41. Good attendance, great speakers, and great questions. Talked about Protocols and testing. Many questions on Coronavirus and discussion took place on minimally systematic patients and whether or not to transport or not. Dr. Hoffman advised crews to use the Sepsis scorecard and to contact their Base station for further instructions. Instructions for this course of action will be sent out by Dr. Hoffman later today. Amy Evers mentioned that starting this Thursday, all visitors that come to the hospital will be checked for symptoms related to the Coronavirus. Discussion took place about how to get clean, verifiable, information out to our providers from Dr. Hoffman. Board members were asked to send Danielle names of a single point of contact that Dr. Hoffman could count on receiving an email or phone call if important information was needed to get out to the providers immediately. Discussion took place on the Destination Policy for Cardiovascular patients. This will be going to the Medical Officers. This is a required from the State for the STROKE and STEMI triage and destination on the EMS side. Board will wait to approve the Policy until the Medical Officers have time to review and give feedback.

DC Morevek discussed trying to get all departments on the same page even though the EMS website is staying up-to-date on the Coronavirus. He was looking for a directive in writing that lays things out for

the crews. Should departments be working under their own response directives? Chief Oliver mentioned that all the Fire Chiefs and Medical officers met last week and came out with a charge that they will develop a county wide IAP which was sent out yesterday.

#### D. Monthly Staff Report

Danielle reported that both her and Joe Schweiger's monthly summaries are attached in the Board material packet.

#### **3. OLD BUSINESS**

None

# 4. DISCUSSION/ ACTION ITEMS

# A. Fire Chief Re-Organize Board and MO reporting

Tabled.

## B. Novel Coronavirus

Tabled. Will be discussed at the Council Meeting happening directly after the Board meeting today.

## C. MCI/CMCI Update

DC Moravec for BIFD gave the Board the update. Things are moving forward modifying King County and Seattle Fires MCI Plan. Chief Oliver reiterated that the MCI protocol will live at the Operation Chiefs level due to it being an ICS structure than a patient treatment structure.

# 5. ADDITONS TO THE AGENDA

# i. Harrison Move November 14, 2020

Ron Goodnow discussed the hospital project and gave a very nice presentation giving the Board a construction update on the new hospital, as well as the transition planning timeline for moving patients from Bremerton to the new Silverdale location by November 14, 2020.

#### ii. <u>Trauma Cases at Hospital</u>

Amy Evers spoke about a couple of recent trauma cases that occurred at the Hospital. She asked the Fire Chiefs to remind their medics that the hospital doesn't have neurosurgery. They had two cases that ended up being ground level falls on anticoagulants, both going in on rested. Chief Oliver asked Amy to please work with Dr. Hoffman on the two cases so he can get that info out to the Medical Officers.

#### **ATTENDANCE:**

Chief John Oliver-Chair Amy Evers- Harrison Hospital

Chief Hank Teran-BIFD Joey Rodrigues- Olympic Ambulance Chief Jim Gillard- PFD Dr. Hoffman- MPD Chief Gillard-PFD Danielle Mackelwich-KCEMS Chief Steven Wright- SKFR Rich Utarnachitt- Airlift Northwest DC Moravek-BIFD David Coatsworth-BIFD B/C Payne-BFD Ron Goodnow-Harrison Hospital

Next meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 14, 2020 at 9:00am

ADJOURNED AT 10:00am.