



Tama County EMS Association
Annual Meeting 03/10/2024

Call to Order at 1242

Approve agenda Traer motion to approve the agenda, second by Toledo. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes March 2023 Dysart motioned to approve the minutes as presented, second by Toledo. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report Beginning balance \$12,905.42. Ending \$14,849.13 which was approved.

Election of Officers

Motion by Traer second by Tama to keep Officer positions the same as they were the previous year. Motion carried unanimously.

- Jule Scadden President
- Billie Van Egmond Vice-President
- Greg Johnson Treasurer
- Jeremy Cremeans Secretary

Old business

Association Website www.tcemsa.org

This was presented to the group that was present. This was built as part of the system standards and as a central repository for information regarding all things EMS for Tama County. We are still working on tweaking some of the things found within the website and we are waiting on the vendor to complete some of those items. If you have events that you would like to have posted on the website, get a hold of us to have it posted. We also now have a social media presence on Facebook. These will be used to help promote essential services.

The Association also has an email address that will forward to the President. association@tcemsa.org

Essential Services

Jules advised that we have made big strides. Met with the supervisors and have the three necessary dates for the resolution to be read for the public hearing. May 13, 14, 20th are those dates. Once signed, we will need to start doing our public education. We will start to hold monthly meetings and we need to have a rep from each service as these will be stakeholders groups. This will be needed to decide on what we will be asking for to put on the ballot in the fall. Survey is written and is ready to go to the printer. This will be mailed out county wide. There was a lot of leg work already done but we will need each service to help get the word out. Must be passed by 60% vote. Meetings will be in the evening and done mostly by zoom. A couple will need to be face to face in Toledo possibly. Greg Johnson reiterated that it is vital that we get participation on this from services.



System Standards

There have been some changes that we were just made aware of last week. The GAP resolution summary has been added to what was already done last year. Jules presented what was accomplished last year. Policy and Procedure is an agency specific thing and service directors will need to check in and see what needs to be done. One of the requirements is that everyone in the stakeholders group will need to sign the document by May 1. Jules talked about our other goals which we are also working on for essential services. Seems like this will all be able to come together before this is all due.

Yearly State Education/System Standard money

No longer will it be used for just education. This will be tied to the System Standards and goals that we set as an Association. We will need to show that we are using this money towards our system standard and is why we do need input from all services..

An email will be sent out for those that want to be involved in association activities.

Adjournment 1302 with a motion from Toledo, second by Dysart. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Jeremy Cremeans, Secretary