

EMSCCommittee Meeting Minutes

DATE: December 18, 2023

TO: Committee Members

The meeting of the Emergency Medical Services Coordinating Committee (EMSCC) convened on August 28, 2023. Fire Chief Ross Grundyson chaired the meeting. Committee members in attendance included: Ross Grundyson, Dr. Erica Carney, Matt Black, John Baker, Jeremy Duke, Alan Holtkamp, Dr. Adam Algren, Lucas Taylor, Laura Gunter, Nathan Dougan, Dr. Richard Gist, James Dean, Jackie Risner, Stazie Archibald, Nicole Washington, Ryan Koehler.

Agenda Items:

1. Approval of August 2023 Minutes:
 - a. Approved.
2. Medical Director's Report (Dr. Carney)
 - a. Cardiac Arrest numbers are down; Survival > ROSC
 - b. Bystander rates above well average by 23%
 - c. Below average on access to AED's but rising over time
3. KCATC (Lucas Taylor)
 - a. Unable to become a homeless shelter with cold weather in the region but are partnering up with Restart to offer services
 - b. KCATC will pay for two (2) weeks as long as there is a behavior health need/crisis and will connect those to shelters as soon as possible
 - c. Focus meeting with KCFD & KCPD to discuss diversion from hospitals
 - d. Would like to discuss services with more KCFD Personnel, perhaps at BC Meetings – DC Gunter will help facilitate
4. Other Issues Affecting EMS within the City:
 - a. Monkey Pox on the radar but should not affect the EMS Mission (Dr. Carney)

Meeting adjourned

EMSCC 2022 QUARTERLY COMMITTEE MEETING DATES:

Quarter	Meeting Dates	Time	Location
1st	March 11, 2024	10:00 am	KCFD Headquarters, 635 Woodland Ave., Ste.2100
2nd	June 10, 2024	10:00 am	KCFD Headquarters, 635 Woodland Ave, Ste. 2100
3rd	September 16, 2024	10:00 am	KCFD Headquarters, 635 Woodland Ave, Ste. 2100
4th	December 16, 2024	10:00 am	KCFD Headquarters, 635 Woodland Ave, Ste. 2100