

Rappahannock EMS Council
Guidelines & Training Committee Minutes
June 24 , 2013

Call to Order: Meeting was called to order by the Chair Kelly Southard at 1900 hrs

Roll Call and Recognition of Guests: Members present were Chair, Kelly Southard, Pat Fitzgerald, Wayne Green, REMS staff member, Wayne Perry and REMS staff member Linda Harris

Approval of Minutes: April 22, 2013 Motion was made by Pat Fitzgerald to approve the minutes The second was made by Wayne Green. Motion carried.

Staff Report:

We have an upcoming NR psychomotor test on July 13 with another in September & December

EMT-I class-the A/B schedule is working well for our students, and while challenging for REMS, to a small degree, is working for REMS, as well. Currently, all students are passing and doing well.

EMT-P class is also doing well. The EMT-I students have shown an interest in attending and are motivated to pay the additional fee their attendance would require. All EMT-P students are also maintaining at least an 80% average.

EMT class finished with 20 students completing the state psychomotor testing. About 12 have passed the NREMT cognitive test.

New classes will start week of August 19 (EMT; Enhanced to Intermediate; Intermediate to Paramedic; RN to Paramedic and ALS CEU courses)

GCC Degree Program –Wayne- We are proceeding with the Germanna program.

ALS Release Extension Requests:

1. Request from Thomas Tannhof - Quantico Motion by Pat Fitzgerald, second by Wayne Green to approve Thomas Tannhof's request to allow the 10 ALS calls prior to starting his precepting in April to count towards his final total. Motion carried.

ALS Instructor/Coordinator Requests:

1. Dottie Williams – re-endorsement – Culpeper County EMS. Motion by Pat Fitzgerald, second by Wayne Green to endorse. Motion carried.

Sub-Committee Reports:

- 1.) Protocol- Protocol changes are a work in progress – updating to the most current Scope of Practice from OEMS.
- 2.) ALS Release – Train the Trainer program was conducted and seems to be working well. Changes to the preceptor manual were approved at the BOD meeting last week. Once the book is updated it will be emailed to all ALS preceptors.
- 3.) Skill Drill program-This program has not had changes to the minimum set of skills for 2 years. Once the new recert no waiver format becomes active with OEMS this document will no longer be required by REMS

office. This does not mean that agencies cannot use them yearly for training.

Unfinished Business: None

New Business: None

ALS/EMT-Basic Programs Audit:

EMT-VEMSES- Jenni Hartle- Berea FD – 2/26/13 – 6/29/13 T-T-S
 EMT-VEMSES- Wanda Gardner- Shannon Training Center 3/18/13–7/31/13 MWS
 EMT VEMSES- Lee Doucet-Caroline Training Center-8/17/13 – 12/2/13 MWS
 EMT-VEMSES- Roger Wilson-Fredericksburg Rescue-4/15/13-8/14/13 MWS
 EMT-VEMSES- Roger Wilson-Mine Run FD-5/2/13 – 9/3/13 TTS
 EMR- Wanda Gardner – Shannon Training Center 6/11/13 – 8/3/13 TTS
 Enhanced – Matthew Shields- Fauquier Training Center 6/1/13 – 10/1/13
 Enhanced to Intermediate – Wayne Perry- REMS 1/9/13 – 8/28/13 W or Thurs.
 Intermediate – Wayne Perry REMS 1/9/13 – 8/28/13 W or Thurs.
 I to P Bridge – Wayne Perry – REMS 1/8/13 – 8/28/13 – Tuesday
 I to P Bridge – Gretchen Wills- Stafford County Fire & EMS 5/2/13–1/19/14 STTFS

REMS BOD Action Item:

For the Good of the Order:

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm The next meeting is scheduled for **August 26, 2013**