

Sioux County EMS Association

MINUTES

04-27-2010

7PM

SIOUX COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

MEETING CALLED BY	Gayla V.
TYPE OF MEETING	Quarterly Meeting
FACILITATOR	Gayla V.
NOTE TAKER	Nate H.
TIMEKEEPER	
ATTENDEES	Nate Huizenga Alan Thielvoldt Gayla Vaandrager Cedric Franken Rick Kattenberg Leon Kleinhesselink Steve Christensen Aiko Kamies Les Starkenburg Galen Blankers Mike Robinson Larry Gloden Ray Wichers Dennis Hulshof Jason Vore

Agenda topics

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

GAYLA V.

DISCUSSION	Reviewed minutes of 1-26-2010 meeting. Minutes were approved.	
	Secretary's Report given by Nate H.	
CONCLUSIONS	State Grant money has been spent. New application for 2011 funding through IDPH has been applied for.	
	County funds are approximately 50% spent with 2 months to go in fiscal year 2010.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE

EMS DAY COMMITTEE REPORT

HUIZENGA, VAANDRAGER, FRANKEN,
KAMIES, VORE

DISCUSSION	EMS Day was overall a success. Good comments from attendees which numbered close to 80.
	Discussed shortening the lunch to a half hour instead of an hour.
	Discussed attempting to fill more hours for continuing education, and specifically more formal hours.
CONCLUSIONS	2011 Date will be February 12 th .

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Need to think about presenters for 2011.	EMS Association	On Going.

EMS CONTINGENCY PLAN

FRANKEN

DISCUSSION	Franken discussed the value of having the EMS Association sign a Contingency Plan with all of the agencies once a year.	
	Franken stated that Anita Bailey was in favor of the plan, and supported it.	
	Maurice and Matlock would still need to have their transport agreements signed in addition.	
CONCLUSIONS	Motion was made to have each agency read through the plan and bring it to their agency's attention before the next meeting.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Be prepared to sign the document if interested by the next meeting.	Sioux County EMS Assoc.	July 27 th

TWO WHEEL TRAUMA CLASS

BLANKERS

DISCUSSION	Class is scheduled for June 26 th .	
	Pamphlets will be sent out and emailed this week. Rooms in Sheldon will be booked for presenters.	
CONCLUSIONS	Huizenga sent out PDF of Brochure to Region 3 Homeland Security, and to all EMS Association members.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Food needs to be planned and ordered.	Huizenga/Blankers	June 18 th
Pamphlets addressed and mailed	Huizenga/Kamies	May 5th

OTHER TOPICS OF DISCUSSION

HUIZENGA, VAANDRAGER

DISCUSSION	Discussed getting baseline vitals from all communities on a spread sheet for rehab trailer.	
	Discussed RN Exceptions running with squads and need for training.	
	Discussed Cadet Campout at Newton Hills-looking for first aid type assistance.	
CONCLUSIONS	Individual squads will look into options such as PHTLS and TNCC Classes.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE

Baseline Vitals will be sent to Huizenga to be put into a document.	Huizenga/Association	On Going
Next meeting July 27 th in Hawarden @ 7pm.	Wilson	

OBSERVERS	
RESOURCE PERSONS	
SPECIAL NOTES	Members toured the Sheriff's Office Communications Center following meeting. Meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM.