Town of Parry Sound EMS Advisory Committee

Open Minutes

Date:

February 22, 2024

Time:

06:30pm

Location:

(on-line) ZOOM Meeting and for streaming of the meeting please click on the link below.

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4QrR6HjwibWOJRbLwnjcFQ/videos

Members Present:

Jamie McGarvey - chairperson, Joel Constable, Scott Sheard, John Wilson, Pearl Ivens, Shelly Foote, Ann MacDiarmid

Regrets:

Present:

Dave Thompson, Director of Development and Protective Services

Recording:

Sheri Skinner, Administrative Assistant

Guests:

1. Agenda

1.1 Additions to Agenda

1.2 Prioritization of Agenda

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1.3 Adoption of Agenda

Addition to the Agenda

8.3 That the EMS Advisory Committee request staff to investigate opportunities of Aero Future Canada's autonomous drone technology and to report back to the next EMS Advisory Committee with the progress.

Moved by Pearl Ivens

Seconded by Scott Sheard

That the February 22, 2024 Parry Sound District Emergency Medical Services Committee meeting agenda be approved.

Carried

1.4 Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and the General Nature Thereof

2. Minutes and Matters Arising from Minutes

2.1 Adoption of Minutes

Moved by Shelly Foote

Seconded by Scott Sheard

That the Minutes of the October 26, 2023 meeting of the Parry Sound District Emergency Medical Services Committee be approved as circulated.

Carried

3. Correspondence

4. Deputations

4.1 Tom Smith, EMS Supervisor of Community Paramedicine - overview of the Community Paramedicine Program for Parry Sound District EMS.

Tom Smith, EMS Supervisor of Community Paramedicine presented and orientated the Committee on what Community Paramedicine stands for and how they assist the community from the various services they offer to administering mediations, Paramedic training, responding to 911 calls while on duty and provided statistics on how the program is positively affecting the community.

5. Emergency Services Director's Report

Dave Thompson provided a brief description and further explanations of the items on his Director's Report when necessary.

Moved by Ann MacDiarmid

Seconded by John Wilson

That the Emergency Services Director’s Report dated February 22, 2024 be accepted as submitted.

Carried

6. Reports

6.1 EMS Statistical Report - December 2023

6.2 EMS Night Call Statistics - December 2023

6.3 EMS Vehicle Inventory - December 2023

Dave Thompson provided a descriptive overview of the various reports attached.

Dave Thompson will inquire and clarify to the Committee on report 6.2 EMS Night Call Statistics - December 2023 with regard to the zero Code 8's reported between the hours of 4:00pm thru 7:00pm every month from every station.

Resolution

EMS Committee members have received reports 6.1, 6.2, 6.3 as listed above.

Moved by Shelly Foote

Second by Pearl Ivens

Carried

7. Ratification of Matters from Closed Agenda

8. Other Business

8.1 DT EMS Surplus Ambulance Disposal

Resolution

That the EMS Advisory Committee recommends the Town of Parry Sound Council approve report DT EMS Surplus Ambulance Disposal.

Moved by John Wilson

Seconded by Ann MacDiarmid

carried

8.2 DT Burks Falls EMS Base Rehabilitation - 2024

Resolution

That the EMS Advisory Committee recommends the Town of Parry Sound Council approve report DT Burks Falls EMS Base Rehabilitation.

Moved by Scott Sheard

Seconded by Ann MacDiarmid

Carried

8.3 Aero Future Canada's autonomous drone technology

Resolution

That the EMS Advisory Committee request staff to investigate opportunities of Aero Future Canada's autonomous drone technology and to report back to the next EMS Advisory Committee with the progress.

Moved by Scott Sheard

Seconded by Ann MacDiarmid

9. Dispatch Update

10. Business Plans

11. Adjournment @ 7:54pm

Moved by Shelly Foote

Seconded by Pearl Ivens

Carried