

# EMS DIVISION SUBSIDIARY COMMITTEE MEETING

# THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2024 – 1:00 PM LOMA LINDA EOC – 25541 BARTON RD. LOMA LINDA

#### **MINUTES**

## **EMS DIVISION SUBSIDIARY COMMITTEE MEMBERS:**

Apple Valley Fire Protection District – B.C. Matthew Dowland Chino Valley Independent Fire District – Chief Jeremy Ault Colton Fire Department – Fire Marshall Ray Bruno Loma Linda Fire Department – B.C. Jeff Gillette Montclair Fire Department – Chief David Pohl Ontario Fire Department – Vice Chair, Chief Mike Gerken Rancho Cucamonga Fire District – Chief Augie Barreda Redlands Fire Department – EMS Coordinator Carly Cripe Rialto Fire Department – Chief Brian Park - Absent San Bernardino County Fire District – Chair, Chief Joe Barna Victorville Fire Department – Chief Bobby Clemmer City of Yucaipa – Chief Grant Malinowski

## **CALL TO ORDER**

- a. Flag Salute
- b. Roll call/Introductions

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

An opportunity provided for persons in the audience to make brief statements to the EMS Division Subsidiary Committee. (Limited to 30 minutes; 3 minutes allotted for each speaker)

### INFORMATION RELATIVE TO POSSIBLE CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Agenda items may require committee member abstentions due to conflict of interests and financial interests. EMS Division Subsidiary Committee member abstentions shall be stated under this item for recordation on the appropriate item.

No conflicts were announced.

#### **CONSENT ITEMS**

The following items are considered routine and non-controversial and will be voted upon at one time by the EMS Division Subsidiary Committee. An item may be removed by a Committee Member or member of the public for discussion and appropriate action.

1. Approve EMS Division Subsidiary Committee Minutes of January 12, 2024

Motion to accept all items on Consent.

Motion by: B.C. Matthew Dowland Second by: Chief Mike Gerken

*Yes* – 10 *No* – 0

Abstain – 1 – Chief Jeremy Ault – Chino Valley Independent Fire District

Absent – 1 – Rialto Fire Department

#### **CHAIR REPORT**

- a. Operations Section Update
- b. Admin. Section Update
- c. Planning Section Update
- d. Logistics Section Update

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

- 2. Committee Overview/Purpose Dean Smith **DISCUSSION ITEM** 
  - a. Steering Committee to Administrative Chiefs
- 3. Reimbursement Agreement with Chino Joe Barna ACTION ITEM

Recommend the CONFIRE Administrative Committee enter into an agreement between CONFIRE and the Chino Valley Independent Fire District, to authorize Dean Smith to serve as the Deputy IC for the CONFRIE Ambulance Contract Implementation Team.

The agreement is not to exceed the sum of \$389,514 for the initial term through January 1, 2025. The funds will be paid out of the EMS Division (5020) account.

Motion to make a recommendation to the CONFIRE Administrative Committee to enter into an agreement between CONFIRE and the Chino Valley Independent Fire District, to authorize Dean Smith to serve as the Deputy IC for the CONFIRE Ambulance Contract Implementation Team.

Motion by: Chief Jeremy Ault

Second by: EMS Coordinator Carly Cripe

Yes - 11 No - 0 Abstain - 0

Absent – 1 – Rialto Fire Department

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

- 4. Paramedic School Preceptors Dean Smith **DISCUSSION ITEM** 
  - a. Need agencies to host preceptor workshops.

- b. Need commitment from all agencies to increase available preceptors.
- 5. Multi-Hazard Plan Dean Smith ACTION ITEM
  - a. Recommend staff contract with AP Triton for Professional Services per Board Policy 4.004, to complete required deliverables.
  - b. Recommend spending authority up to \$75,000 to complete the project.

Motion to make a recommendation to the CONFIRE Administrative Committee to contract with AP Triton for Professional Services to complete required deliverables with spending authority up to \$75,000.

Motion by: Chief Mike Gerkin Second by: Chief Augie Barreda Yes – 11 No – 0 Abstain – 0 Absent – 1 – Rialto Fire Department

- 6. Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP) Dean Smith **ACTION ITEM** 
  - a. Recommend staff contract with AP Triton for Professional Services per Board Policy 4.004, to complete required deliverables.
  - b. Recommend spending authority up to \$50,000 to complete the project.

Motion to make a recommendation to the CONFIRE Administrative Committee to contract with AP Triton for Professional Services to complete required deliverables with spending authority up to \$50,000.

Motion by: EMS Coordinator Carly Cripe Second by: Chief Grant Malinowski Yes – 11 No – 0 Abstain – 0 Absent – 1 – Rialto Fire Department

- 7. AP Triton Retainer Dean Smith ACTION ITEM
  - a. Recommend CONFIRE retain AP Triton for Support Services

Motion to make a recommendation to the CONFIRE Administrative Committee to retain AP Triton for Support Services.

Motion by: B.C. Matthew Dowland Second by: Fire Marshall Ray Bruno Yes – 11 No – 0 Abstain – 0 Absent – 1 – Rialto Fire Department

#### **ROUND TABLE**

None

\*Entered Closed Session @ 1:56 p.m.

#### **CLOSED SESSION**

8. Review and update anticipated Litigation – Significant exposure to litigation to Government Code section 4596.9(b): County Ambulance RFP.

\*Closed Session Adjourned at 2:20 p.m.

No reportable action from Closed Session.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn the EMS Division Subsidiary Committee Meeting

The meeting adjourned at 2:21 p.m.

**Upcoming Meetings:** 

Next Regular Meeting: March 12, 2024 @ 1:00 p.m.

/s/ Liz Berry

Liz Berry

**Administrative Secretary I**