

9-1-1 Tech/Operations/Advisory Meeting

February 12, 2020

Minutes

(accepted @ Aug 26th meeting)

Jim Curran	Mike Davidson	Gary Brovold
Tami Smith	Audrey Lester	Dan Jones
Jack Fisher	Jim Stormont	Ted Post
Chris Swihart	Caitlin Sampsell	Denny Sexton
Dave Agens	Mike Dawson	Jim Millin
Jon Pedzinski	Kevin Kosten	Chriss Lyon
Dan Unruh	Al DiBrito	Dave Vollrath

1. Minutes: Accepted.

Public Comments: None.

2. QA – The next meeting is scheduled for February 26th at 09:30.
3. Old Business – NG 911 – We have to do landlines.
4. FEMA – Bruce Stover is writing a grant for mobiles and portables for the fire departments. The host is New Buffalo Township and the deadline is March 15th.

The NE corner of the county (Watervliet Area) is getting a signal enhancement. An antenna will be on the roof of the hospital. It is a lease purchase for five years.

Motorola Project, like Grand Beach, they have to get with the state to add a site.

There are remaining communication challenges along the border with Indiana.

Smart 911 - there are 942 subscribers and 27 facilities. We have two more quarters paid by the state, after that we would have to cover the cost. The cost is \$36,000 a year.

CAD Upgrade – They will be building the system, which will take about 15 months.

5. New Business
Dispatcher of the Year is April 12 – 18

A Life Saver Award was Presented to Melissa Hensley for a call she took of a male trapped in an over turned truck in a water filled ditch.

Dave Agens stated, he is retiring on April 30th.

Meeting adjourned at 10:20 A.M.