

Georgia First Response
Regular Business Meeting
October 28, 2019

Location:
Georgia Fire Station
4134 Ethan Allen Highway
Georgia, VT 05478

Present: 8 Excused: 3 Absent: 1

Meeting called to order by Andrew Dunsmore at 7:09pm.

Old Business

- Minutes of the previous meeting read by the secretary. Motion to accept made by Pat King seconded by Craig Lamoureux, motion passed.
- New SOGs with corrections have been received from the lawyer. Andrew will send to members for review.
- May have money in the capital budget to purchase some pagers. Andrew polled members whether there was a preference to purchase pagers or if portable radios were a greater need. Andrew will look into cost of replacement batteries for radios. Consensus was to get pagers.
- Discussed installing key fob entry to the First Response office in the station. Cost would be \$600-\$1,000 depending on how much labor can be done in house. Consensus was to have the system installed if budget allows.
- Town would prefer to have members register for training opportunities, such as the Vermont Healthcare and EMS Preparedness Conference, through the Town computers using Town's credit card.
- Will need to order another AED and need authorization from our medical director to order some more medications.

New Business

- Georgia First Response has \$2,800 in the Association and an additional \$1,700 in the Art Carrol Scholarship Fund.
- Will be doing Trick or Treat at the station from 4:30 to 7:00pm.
- The association will be hosting Cookies with Santa on December 14th from 1:00 to 3:00pm.
- There are two new roads in town, Wild Wood Drive, off from Sand Hill Road, and Napoleon Drive off of Reynolds Road.
- Andrew would like to do a Siren documentation refresher.
- Chelsea is working on a Resuscitation Academy for Georgia First Response as well as getting the Sim Mom for simulating OB emergencies.
- EMT and EMR classes are taking place in Swanton and Fairfax.
- December 12th will be a skills night for the district at 6:30pm.
- Fairfax will be hosting an AEMT class from February through May with a cost of \$975 without the book and clinical will be at Copley in Morrisville.
- There was a discussion about ID badges for responders at the District Meeting.
- District QA/QI will be on the second Wednesday of the month. They will be reviewing our call off Silverlake Road.

Motion to adjourn made by Pat King seconded by Craig Lamoureux, motion passed.
Meeting adjourned at 8:11pm.

Select Board Concerns

- None

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