

Minutes for Whitman County EMS Trauma Council October 23, 2014.

Members present: Jamie Keller – Whitcom, Dr. Mikkelsen - Pullman Regional Hospital, Miranda Caessens – WCFD12, Angela Teal – Albion EMS, Marv Pillers – Palouse, James Young – Pullman Fire Department, Erin Kroll – Whitman Community Hospital, Terrie Teare – Palouse, Dennis Cartwright – Garfield, Dave White – St John

Agencies missing representation: Lamont, Malden, Colton/Uniontown, WSP, WCSO, LifeFlight, Oakesdale, Rosalia, Tekoa, Endicott EMS, Colfax, LaCrosse, MedStar

Meeting called to order at 1909

Minutes – Approved September 2014 Meeting Minutes

Treasurers reports: Dennis Cartwright – Balance \$6866.35. The only transaction was a \$2 statement fee from the bank. Dennis will be turning over all financial information to President Jamie Keller as we do not have a treasurer nominated. Thank you Dennis for all of your years of service!

Sheriff's Office – *NA

Emergency management – Bill Tensfeld – *NA

Whitcom – Jamie Keller - *Reminder on the new radio system, Dispatchers cannot answer radios and set tones off at the same times. *Please remind department members to advise complete apparatus type, unit number and repeater when calling in!

East region–*NA

MPD - *Angela has been communicating with Mike Helbock re coming to Whitman County and doing a H-P CPR training. We are looking at class and instructor details and exploring dates, times and locations. *Reminder for EMT Naloxone: Implementation date will be December 1, 2014, all training needs to be done by then. *Ebola – There is a lot of information out about this disease and the CDC is updating it frequently. Remember to wear your PPE. On a confirmed Ebola case there must be no skin uncovered, fully cover the head and neck, wear an N95 mask, 2 sets of gloves, and booties. Use the buddy system when dressing and undressing to ensure no exposure. Symptoms to look for are fever, muscle aches, headaches and GI complications. When cleaning use solutions that kill the rotavirus.

Committees- * QA Review – NA *Mega Code Kelly – NA, *Protocol - *NA

New Business – *Treasurer nominations – please email nominations to Jamie. *Pullman Fire EMT Class approved by email vote, application has been signed and sent to the state.

Old Business—*Future classes - EMT Class in Oakesdale starting 11/1 running through 2/28/15 Saturdays from 8am to 6pm, Angela is looking for volunteers every Saturday to come at 4pm to help with practicals. *Continue collecting data for KPI 5.2 and send that data to Jamie. *Thank you to Marv who purchased some of the radio equipment for the fair booth as a donation to Whitman County EMS!

Announcements – *NA

Meeting adjourned 2021

Next EMS Council Meeting – November 20, 2014 – 1900 hours
Colfax City Council Chambers