

Downriver Mutual Aid
Fire Service Division Meeting Minutes

March 20th, 2019 0830 Hours

Chairperson: Chief Jeff Drouillard, Brownstown
Vice Chair: Chief Joseph Murray, Dearborn
Secretary/Treasurer: Chief Dean Creech, Trenton

Present: Doug LaFond, Jeff Drouillard, Joseph Murray, Mike Evans, Mike Moore, Bill Vack, Jamie Hinojosa, Steve Martin, Daniel Mercure, Mike Sypula, Mike Clark, Dean Creech, Dan Wright

Guests: Ken Laird, Bob Heck, Keith Anderson

Ken Laird stated Utility 10 and HazMat 5 had battery issues that were addressed, vest are being ordered and Fit Testing machine issues can be directed to him.

Bob Heck stated that there are some issues with the encryption mode that is being addressed. Also stated he was willing to to any department to teach the newer people how all the radios work. Discussed issues with radio overlap and potential interference issues after a nearby jurisdiction requested increasing their wattage output, he is working the issue.

Approval of Agenda: Motion to Approve. **Approved**

Approval of minutes: February 20th, 2019 **Approved**

Treasurers Report:

- Report submitted and reviewed

DERT Report:

- No meeting or report
- Chief Dan Wright will assume responsibility

FITF Report: (No Written Report Submitted)

- No report

Dive Team:

- No Report

HEMS Report: (No Written Report Submitted)

- Online CME ceu's are underway
- Southgate is ALS
- Inter-facility transfer protocol is being updated
- CQI is underway
- Med shortages
- Alternate staffing protocol is being looked at being made simpler

Purchasing Committee: (No Written Report submitted)

- No report

Wayne County LEPC: (No Written Report submitted)

- Nothing to report
- Chief Densmore will assume DMA position

LPT Report: (No written Report submitted)

- Nothing to report

CTC Report: (No written Report Submitted)

- NFA course call sent out

Logistics Team: (Written Report Submitted)

- Waiting on trailer
- New member added
- Training with Marathon upcoming

MABAS

- No report
- Dispatch component being addressed

Motion to accept all Team reports: Approved

Old Business:

1. Dive trailer status update, waiting on graphics

New Business:

1. Approval of Annual Calibration and Preventative Maintenance of Fit Testing Machine \$810 **APPROVED**
2. Approval for Dive Team to host Dive Rescue 1 (\$375 pp x20 split with PD) **APPROVED**
3. Approval of Dive Equipment for two members \$12,000 (police and fire split) **APPROVED**
4. Concurrence to appoint Chief Dan Wright to fill Haz Mat Chief position **APPROVED**
5. Concurrence to appoint AC Densmore to LEPC DMA Rep. **APPROVED**

Good of the Order:

- Additional team members needed for almost all teams
- Yellow Dot program mentioned
- ACTIVE911 was updated last night
- SEMFC Expo April 16 and 17 at Novi Showplace
- SEMFC Officer Installation May 9th
- SEMFC Golf Outing June 14th
- WW update by Chief Evans
- MABAS radio issues and UHF interop issues discussed
- A couple small By-Law issues were noted by attorney, will be brought back soon
- Legislative activity was updated. Revenue sharing, cancer presumption and PA 291 were reviewed

**Next meeting: April 24th, 2019 at 0830hrs, Brownstown Fire Headquarters, 24150 Sibley Rd.
Brownstown, MI 48174**

- **Adjournment: 0920 hours**