



TAMA COUNTY

Emergency Management Agency

The combined meeting of the Tama County E911 Executive Service Board & Executive Emergency Management Commission was called to order at 10:00AM on September 14, 2013 at the Dysart Ambulance Meeting Room in Dysart by 911 Board Chairman Joe Boll (Toledo). Members present: Kendall Jordan (Board of Supervisors), Kurt Kelley (Chelsea), Steve Weekley & Mary Wankowicz (Dysart), Dennis Kucera (Sheriff), Dave Svoboda (Toledo), Mike Skopec (Traer), and Julie Vokoun (EMA/911 Administration).

Boll advised he would like to modify the combined meeting agenda to discuss just the issues that need to be addressed at this time. Proposed new agenda items: Discuss present EMA/911 Management Situation & Coordinator Application Review. The remaining agenda items will be tabled until the full board meetings are held in November. Motion by Weekley, second by Skopec to modify the agenda as proposed by Boll. All aye. Motion carried.

EMA/911 Management Situation

Boll noted that he had received a letter from Ryan before his date of resignation offering to return as a part time employee. A discussion ensued regarding the resignation of Currens & the current state of affairs in both departments. Motion by Kucera, second by Weekley to hire Currens back part time at his proposed rate of pay of \$22.62 per hour if he agrees to return & assist with the ongoing personnel issues. Roll call vote: all aye. Motion carried.

A discussion ensued regarding moving the supervision of the 911 Department back under the Sheriff. Kucera advised he would like supervision of the department back under the Sheriff's control. Boll advised he was not opposed. It was noted that even under the direction of the Sheriff, the 911 Service Board is still a required entity by the Code of Iowa. No action taken.

Coordinator Application Review

A total of 16 applications were received by the closing date of September 13, 2013 for the position of Tama County EMA/911 Coordinator. Executive Board members spent some time going through all 16 applications. The field was narrowed down to 4 candidates. Motion by Skopec, second by Kucera to offer interviews to the 4 chosen candidates. All aye. Motion carried. Interview date set for Saturday September 21, 2013 starting at 8AM at the Dysart Ambulance Meeting Room. Thirty minutes will be allowed for interview of each candidate & Board discussion after the interview.

The next Full Board meetings will be held November 12, 2013 at 7PM at the Board of Supervisors Chambers in Toledo.

Motion by Svoboda, second by Skopec to adjourn at 11:58AM. All aye. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Julie Vokoun, Interim Coordinator

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