

Rusk County Emergency Services Minutes

April 10, 2024

Present: Schmitt, Schneider, Cudo, Gudis, Wedwick

Others Present: Phil Grassmann, George Murray, Tom Hall, Annette Grotzinger, Miranda Kron, Ashley Heath

Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 8:00am

Approval of the Minutes

Motion by Cudo, second by Gudis to approve the March 13, 2024 minutes as prepared. Motion carried.

Public Comment

None

Rusk County Emergency Management/Ambulance Director presentation

- Reviewed monthly report including ambulance needs/repairs and general department updates.
- Out-of-County Training Requests: none
- Motion by Schneider, second by Wedwick to approve payment approval report. Motion carried.
- Budget Review

Rusk County Medical Examiner presentation

- Reviewed monthly report including death statistics and general department updates.
- Out-of-County Training Requests: none
- Medical Examiner Staffing and Compensation Adjustments Resolution: Resolution previously discussed and signed by the Personnel Committee. Motion by Schneider, second by Wedwick to forward the resolution to Finance and County Board. Motion carried.
- Motion by Wedwick, second by Gudis to approve payment approval report. Motion carried.
- Budget Review

Rusk County Sheriff presentation

- Reviewed monthly report including inmate housing updates, calls for service, overtime costs, and general department updates.
- Out-of-County Training Requests: Kostka [05/20-06/25 – Jail School – Southwest Tech, Fennimore, WI] Motion by Schneider, second by Gudis to approve all training requests. Motion carried.
- Motion by Wedwick, second by Schneider to approve payment approval report. Motion carried.
- Budget Review
- Jail Captain Murray gave committee an update on the Jail Medical Service RFP and the responses received. Motion by Schneider, second by Gudis to forward the proposals to Finance for review. Motion carried.
- Radio Upgrade: Chief Deputy Grassmann gave committee a verbal update on the radio upgrade proposal review. Verbal update only, no action.

Vice-chair Schneider thanked Chair Schmitt and committee member Gudis for their time on the Emergency Services Committee and County Board.

Next Regular Meeting Date

May 8, 2024 at 8:00am

Adjourn

Motion to adjourn at 8:55am