Emergency Medical Services Advisory Council

Created Pursuant to Code s. 87-114 & Resolution Nos. 07-2.3 & 20-12.2

Powers & Duties:

The purpose and objectives are:

A. To act as a County EMS advisory body, keeping members informed about State and National issues of concerns to EMS providers.
B. To advise the Martin County Board of County Commissioners on matters concerning Emergency Medical Services.
C. To promote regional coordination and cooperation of EMS services.
D. To act as a liaison body for Martin County EMS providers.
E. To provide a forum to discuss the common problems and concerns shared by EMS agencies serving Martin County.
F. To encourage training and education of both the professional provider and members of the general public in the provision of emergency medical care.
G. To encourage optimal performance standards.
H. To engage in the planning, development and implementation of such activities and programs as deemed desirable in order to accomplish its general objectives or purposes, either by itself or in cooperation with other persons, groups, agencies, firms, corporations or organizations with programs relating to this Council's goals.

How Appointed:

The membership shall consist of the following: a representative from the Fire Rescue Department, the Martin County Medical Director, a representative from Emergency Room Physicians on staff at a Martin County hospital, a representative from the Martin County Sheriff's Office, a representative of the following municipalities: City of Stuart, Town of Jupiter Island, Town of Sewall's Point, and the Village of Indiantown, a representative from the education community, and a lay-person representative to be appointed by the Board of County Commissioners.

Representatives of the following entities may serve as Ex-Officio members without a vote on the Council: Florida Highway Patrol, Martin County Health Department, any emergency service providers holding a Martin County certificate of public convenience and necessity, a representative from the Martin County Chapter of the American Red Cross, a representative from a Skilled Nursing Facility located in Martin County.

Terms:

All members shall serve a two-year term. Members may be reappointed for additional two-year terms.

Meetings:

The Council will meet quarterly on the first Thursday of the month. A majority of all voting members shall constitute a quorum (one-half of the total members plus one member).

Staff Liaison: Sally Waite, Emergency Management Director

Name	Position	Appointed	Term Ends
Chad Cianiulli	Martin County Fire Rescue Department	23-SEP-16	25-FEB-23
Heather Crary	Martin County Fire Rescue Department *ALTERNATE*	09-OCT-18	25-FEB-23
Sally Waite	Martin County Fire Rescue Department *ALTERNATE*	26-FEB-19	25-FEB-23
Chris Kammel	Martin County Fire Rescue Department *ALTERNATE*	26-FEB-21	25-FEB-23
Michael Ferraro	Martin County Medical Director	02-FEB-17	25-FEB-23
Brett Clarke	Emergency Room Physicians Representative	09-OCT-18	25-FEB-23
John Bray	Education Community Representative	26-FEB-21	25-FEB-23
Kevin Sullivan	Education Community Representative *ALTERNATE*	26-FEB-21	25-FEB-23
John Perez	Martin County Sheriff's Office	09-OCT-18	25-FEB-23
Chief Vincent Felicione	City of Stuart	19-JUN-18	25-FEB-23
Chief Robert Garlo	Town of Jupiter Island	29-JUL-14	25-FEB-23
Tina Ciechanowski	Town of Sewall's Point	06-FEB-07	25-FEB-23
Christopher Ross Wade	Town of Sewall’s Point *ALTERNATE*	26-FEB-21	25-FEB-23
Susan Gibbs Thomas	Village of Indiantown	02-FEB-21	25-FEB-23
L. James. Levine	Lay-Person - Non-Emergency Transportation	26-FEB-21	25-FEB-23

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