

Flagler County EMS Advisory Board

Minutes of Regular Meeting

January 9, 2023

In Attendance

Michael Tucker, Chief FCFR

Dr K. McCabe Medical Director

Jim Caggiano, EMT

Robert Boggess

Robert Errett (Community Paramedic FCFR)

Meeting was called to order at 9:40 AM by Dr McCabe who led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The minutes of the November meeting were announced. A request to correct the spelling of his name was made by Robert Boggess. This was accepted. A motion to accept the revised minutes was made by Mr. Boggess and seconded by Jim Caggiano. The motion was unanimously approved.

Under old business:

1. Under Provider Data Presentation Chief Tucker led a discussion of Flagler County Fire Rescues' key performance indicators. One of which was his desire to see a higher percentage of ROSC success prior to arrival at ED. Currently of the 42% of ROSC obtained in the field only 8% are still in ROSC on arrival at the ED. Chief Tucker presented further details on the County EMS performance.
2. A further discussion regarding what are the performance indicators we expect from COPCN holders as well as the need to notify them of this expectation. It was mentioned and agreed that initially we would require data from each as to the number and nature of the transports they have provided. Further discussion and determination of additional KPI data will follow in the future.
3. Chief Tucker also described some changes in personnel positions including the addition of two lead FTO's who are Lt. J Moskowitz and Lt I Grant. He is also working on revising the initial training of Paramedics into multiple phases prior to final clearance by Dr. McCabe. There was also a discussion of possible additional training opportunities such as in hospital Laryngoscope experience and rotation of personnel through the AdventHealth Sim Lab quarterly.
4. Dr. McCabe mentioned she is still working on beginning further discussion of the impact on EMS by the planned opening of the new hospital. Chief Tucker commented that will occur prior to the opening so we can plan response protocols.

There were no COPCN applications and no other new business:

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There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 11:00 AM.

Respectfully submitted:

Jim Caggiano