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Ambulance Advisory Committee

Meeting Minutes

February 21, 2019 @ 9:00am

Meeting held at the

177 Lake Street Community Fire Station

Co-Chaired by Chief Brian Rhodes and Bobbie Bagley

The meeting was called to order at 09:05 AM by Chief Brian Rhodes.

AAC Members Present: Brian Rhodes, Kevin Blinn, Mark Hastings, Patti Crooker, Rob Gigi, Matt Chigas, Glenn Nielsen, Glen MacDonald

AMR Representatives: Patti Stolarz, Jason Preston

CAREPLUS Representative: None

Others Present: None

Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes:

A motion was made by Mark Hastings to approve the December minutes. It was seconded by Rob Gigi.

AMR Reports:

-) Patti Stolarz gave the December and January ambulance activity reports.
-) Jason Preston gave the QA report.

Committee Member Comments:

-) Safe Stations: We are doing 3 to 4 Safe Stations a day.
-) The state Doorway Project is not up and running yet.

- J Chief Rhodes stated that SAMHSA First Responder Grant has no value for us. This particular Grant is better suited for communities that have no program or need to expand their current SUD program.
- J There was a discussion on the next ambulance request for proposal. The AMR representatives left the room.
- J Matt Chigas spoke about a Nashua Transit vehicle being modified to function as a MCI vehicle. It will be similar to a MCI trailer with transport capabilities. It will be kept at AMR. It will be used for evacuations, Rehab (heat and AC). It will have stretcher and wheelchair capabilities.

Public Comment:

None

Questions:

None

Adjourn:

A motion to adjourn was made by Kevin Blinn at 09:52. It was seconded by Glenn Nielsen.

Date and Location of Next AAC Meeting:

The next meeting will be on April 18, 2019 at the Lake Street Community Fire Station, 177 Lake St. Nashua at 09:00 a.m.