

**Oneida County Fire Chief's &
Emergency Services Meeting**

January 9th, 2013

Call Meeting to Order: Meeting called to order at 1800 at the Crescent Fire Department.

Review and Approve Minutes from Previous Meeting: Motion made by Doug Rehm, second by Brian Gehrig to approve the November 4th, 2012 minutes. Motion Passed.

Review and Approve Treasurer's Report:

Savings: \$1,312.26

Checking: \$ 422.78

Total: \$1735.04

Motion made by Brian Gehrig, second by Jerry Janlcovich to approve the Treasurer's Report. Motion passed.

Committee Reports

DNR: Phil Puestow brought signs for each department to display at their departments.

The action plans are almost complete, still waiting on a response from Woodruff and Minocqua. They should be available for all departments shortly.

Oneida County is eligible for the Introduction to Wildland Fire Protection class. Crescent and Monico expressed interest in hosting. Once location and dates are set an email will be sent out.

There are staffing changes taking place in the DNR, look for new faces.

There was discussion generated about locked gates and poor access on forest lanes. It was recommended that the heavy unit be requested early for these areas.

Sheriff's Department: Bill Nichols talked to the group about the Dive Teams Capabilities. There was a power point presentation and a handout explaining ways to work together on an incident involving the Dive Team. Joint training will be available in the future between departments and the dive team. The Dive Team has an active recruiting program for interested persons. Contact Bill Nichols for program requirements.

Communication/Dispatch: Ken Korten Hof and John Sweeney discussed possible changes to the dispatch manager. Lt. Hess has moved from dispatch to detectives, leaving an opening in dispatch. Ken and John are working on a proposal for changes in dispatch management. There were discussions on potential for Emergency Management and Dispatch to work together.

LEPC: Next meeting January 16th, 2013, 1300.

Nicolet College: Jason Goeldner had two handouts. The first handout was to assist in navigating Nicolet's website to locate available classes. The second handout was an updated list of upcoming courses being offered that are state funded. The EMS schedules are available on the website.

WPS: No Report

Oneida County Firefighters: Next meeting is January 26th, 2013 0900 at the Pine Lake Fire Department. MABAS training will be provided at the meeting.

Oneida County EMS: Ken Korten Hof discussed the need for MABAS training for the EMS Crews. Training will be conducted in the future.

There was discussion on First Responder Groups providing support to townships without a First Responder Group, or an agreement between the townships. It was discussed that when needed for lift assistance, the fire department should be dispatched for that township, not the neighboring First Responder Group, unless an agreement was in place.

Emergency Management: Traffic Management Train the Trainer course is being offered January 24th, 2013 from 1730-2130 at the O.C.L.E.C. On line registration is required.

E-sponder training is being offered at Nicolet College on January 15th, 2013, from 0830-1130. Contact Ken Korten Hof if interested.

Ken inquired about any interest in holding an ICS 300 and ICS 400 course. Contact Ken if interested.

M.A.B.A.S.: Reauthorization forms are due back by January 18th, 2013. Cards will then need to be updated by February 25th, 2013 to get sent out for review and approval. April 10th, 2013 will be the effective date for the new cards. It is important everyone follow these deadlines to ensure everything is on line April 10th. The new cards will be sent out in an electronic format and it is important to remove all old cards from your books and replace with new set.

Old Business: There was discussion on tabling the recruitment commercial until the next meeting.

Tom Waydick discussed Med Compass Physicals. The prices for the SCBA Physicals are \$65.00, and the Hazmat Physicals are \$142. The physicals will be scheduled in March and once dates and times are confirmed an email will be sent out. Any department interest in participating can contact Tom Waydick at 715-365-5417.

New Business: Dues were discussed and the bylaws read pertaining to membership and dues. A motion was made by Wayne Kinnally, seconded by Jason Goeldner, to have Vice President Larry Mathein create a list of potential members that will receive an invoice for dues. Motion passed. There was discussion on including a statement with the dues notice that it is voluntary and dues paying members are allowed to vote on issues.

A motion was made by Doug Rehm, seconded by Ken Kortenhof, to set the dues at \$25.00. Motion passed.

Little Rice ESU will be converted over to a new vehicle.

Next Meeting Location and Date: Pine Lake will host the next meeting March 13th, 2013, at 1800. Food will be served.

Adjourn: A motion was made by Doug Rehm, Seconded by Brian Gehrig to adjourn. Motion Passed



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• **12 Lead Resting EKG**

An EKG is a recording of heartbeats; it detects any irregularities in your heart rhythm. It is the most common test performed to help a Doctor decide on or in many cases eliminate a possible heart problem. If your Doctor or in Med Compass' case **PLHCP** (Physician or Licensed Health Care Provider) thinks you may have heart disease or a heart related problem, we may refer you on for additional testing.

Listed below are four of the most common reasons for recording an ECG.

- To aid diagnosis of chest pain
- To know more about your heart rhythm
- To examine the heart with a murmur
- To examine the heart in patients who have high blood pressure

• **Blood Pressure**

Blood pressure measurement is the non-invasive measurement of the pressure exerted by the circulating blood on the walls of the body's arteries. The purpose of non-invasive blood pressure measurement is to detect any changes from normal values, which may indicate disease. Measurement is also performed to monitor the effectiveness of medication and other methods used to control elevated blood pressure.

• **Spirometry (Lung Function Test)**

Spirometry (meaning *the measuring of breath*) is the most common of the Pulmonary Function Tests (PFTs), measuring lung function, specifically the measurement of the amount (volume) and/or speed (flow) of air that can be inhaled and exhaled. Spirometry is an important tool used for generating pneumotachographs which are helpful in assessing conditions such as asthma, pulmonary fibrosis, cystic fibrosis, and COPD.

• **Blood Chemistry and Analysis (23 Chemistries)**

A laboratory Blood test is helpful in evaluating the current health status. Our bodies change constantly, and one of the most valuable tools that the physician uses to assess your health is the laboratory Blood test. These tests are ordered, and the results are used by the physician to pinpoint or to support diagnosis, monitor or determine treatment, or to screen for undiagnosed conditions. Blood tests take an internal and dynamic 'snapshot' of you, at the time of the test.

• **OSHA Required Questionnaire & Review**

This questionnaire is an important part of Med Compass providing you with the best health care possible. Your answers will help in understanding problems that you may have. Our Health Questionnaire is a strictly confidential screening questionnaire to identify possible health complaints or problems that may be associated with your work/home environmental exposures, while reviewing your past medical history. All responses will be reviewed by our physician; no personal information will be released to anyone without your written consent.

• **Visual Acuity & Color Blindness**

The Visual Acuity test is most often used to measure an employees' near and far vision. Additional testing is employed such as depth and color perception; all factors may come in to play at the work site.

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MED COMPASS is pleased to quote your 2013 Medical Testing Program

BASIC PHYSICAL (SCBA USER EXAM)

\$ 65.00

- Respiratory Medical Questionnaire
- Pulmonary Function Test (Spirometry)
- 12-Lead EKG (Electrocardiogram)
- Resting Blood Pressure
- Urinalysis (Check for Blood and Sugar) (Non-Drug Test)

The above quote is based on testing approximately 20-40 fire fighters.

COMPREHENSIVE PHYSICAL (HAZMAT PHYSICAL)

\$ 142.00

- Everything in the Basic Physical
- Blood Chemistry (24 different chemistries)
- Hearing Test
- Vision Exam

OTHER SERVICES OFFERED

- Hearing Test
- Vision Exam
- Blood Chemistry
- PSA (Prostate Specific Antigen)
- CBC (Complete Blood Count)

\$16.00
\$12.00
\$ 60.00
Quote
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QUANTITATIVE FIT TESTING

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- Negative air pressure instrument to be connected to the respirator to determine leakage.
- A one-page report stating the "Fit Factor" that OSHA has deemed admissible for SCBA's.
- **It is the policy of Med Compass to not offer Qualitative Fit Testing for any Fire Fighter due to liability concerns.**

Information on DNI 3000 Fit testing:

www.ohdusa.com/cnp_advantage.shtml

www.ohdusa.com/faqs.shtml

If the number of firefighters tested multiplied by the quoted price is less than \$1500.00, a flat fee of \$1500.00 will be applied