

Minutes

Committee: Air Medical: Chair Chad Solomon

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Date: 7/25/2024

Time: 11:00

In Person: Jim Speier CHRISTUS FFL/EMS, Chad Solomon Chair, CHRISTUS FFL/EMS

Virtual: Cassandra Galloway Air Rescue, Brian Wilkinson CHRISTUS EMS, Amy Hooten Longview FD, Shawn Salter CHRISTUS EMS/FFL, Brad Baucom Air Rescue, Steven Jones UTET EMS, Michael Lawyer UTET EMS, Dawn Johnston CHRISTUS FFL, Travis Gibson, Dr. Terri Hoffman CHRISTUS FFL, Donnie Reynolds CHRISTUS EMS, Jimmy Lawrence Longview FD/EMS

1. Approval of minutes from last meeting.
 - **Tabled for now not complete.**

2. GETAC AMC and Critical Care Transport Committee Report.
 - Meeting 6/12/24
 - **Hot topic – Radio freq. – statewide plan – disaster needs.**
 - **Air Medical MIST document complete – waiting on final approval.**
 - **Mist Certified People needed. Class by Victor Wells in the works.**

3. TAAMS Report:
 - SMTA – MTLI – Oct 31st deadline for application
 - EMS LOD Scholarship
 - **First LODD Scholarship has been granted this year. Grandkid of grandmother killed in 1989 accident in Tyler, Texas at Flight For Life.**

4. Local Safety Issues
 - UT Health- Construction updates Steven Jones
 - Second crane and operations at UT Health with construction.
 - **Cranes not stopping if you don't notify them you are inbound.**
 - **Unicom was out for a week and is now back up.**

- **Red movable crane will lay down each night and move across the street to erect skywalk.**
- **No movement on rooftop pad at this moment**
- **Shawn mentioned remote tracking system that can be installed on the crane and can be seen by dispatch.**

5. Educational offerings Upcoming

- See RAC-G Calendar

9. Open Discussion.

- **Hall of Honor**
- **Drew Allison – STB Supplies Wound Cubes – Tourniquets – STB Emergency Kits.**
- **State Deployment Teams sent to stage in our area with no notification to our RAC or others.**
- **State self-dispatching without securing a unit. Request must be made first.**

10. Adjourn

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