

**Western Wayne County Fire Department Mutual Aid Association**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**March 21, 2024**

Belleville – Loranger  
Canton - Stoecklein, Strassner  
Dearborn – Murray, Begeman  
Dearborn Heights – Brogan, Badalow, Kean  
Farmington Hills – Unruh, Baloga  
Garden City – Keen  
Inkster – Kaye  
Livonia – Jennison, Clay  
Melvindale – Murray, Begeman  
Northville City – Samhat  
Northville Twp - Siegel  
Novi - Martin  
Plymouth City – Samhat

Plymouth Twp – Conely  
Redford Twp – N/A  
Romulus – Chapman  
Taylor – N/A  
Van Buren – McInally  
Wayne – Stradtner, Schneider  
Wayne County Airport Authority – O’Such  
Westland – Stamper

Guest(s): Jordyn Sellek (CWW), Terry Martin (Carrier & Gable), Lisa Carrier & Gable, Martin (HEMS), Ryan Phipps & Joe Warren (Neighbors United)

**Hosting Agency: Inkster Fire Department –**

**Regular Business Meeting**

President Murray called today’s meeting to order at 11:35AM. Thanks to Acting Chief Jason Kaye for hosting today’s meeting. Began immediately with Public Comments (Presentations from Carrier & Gable and Neighbors United).

- A. Round table introductions occurred.
- B. Any additional items for the agenda to be named - None
- C. Recognition of hosting agency and comment from the host – Recognition of Acting Chief Jason Kaye
- D. Approval of the February Meeting Minutes – Motion by Chapman, seconded by Schneider. Carried.

**Public Comments**

- A. Terry Martin: Carrier and Gable presentation
- B. Neighbors United Firefighter Cancer Charity – [www.WalkForTheRed.org](http://www.WalkForTheRed.org)

**Report of Officers**

- A. President Murray
  - 1. Radios - CWW Survey – Thank you to everyone who completed the survey. We are moving forward in the process with funding for these radios. Legacy radios will still work, but you really need to consider replacement. Jordyn will continue to keep us informed of status.
  - 2. GMET Updates – Murray provided update and encouraged everyone to keep your legislators informed as this could be a significant funding mechanism.
  - 3. OSHA Input Requested – IAFC is putting together a list of recommendations to review and provide feedback to OSHA. More to come. Mentioned items such as Fire Brigade and NFPA standards
  - 4. SAFER and FP&S Open – reminder that these are currently open
- B. Vice President Siegel – Nothing to report at this time
- C. Secretary Jennison – Nothing to report at thistime
- D. Treasurer Brogan provided today’s Finance Report
  - 1. Checking \$88,245.08
  - 2. Savings \$380,721.40Motion by Unruh, second by Stoecklein. Carried
- E. Overdue - Open Invoice(s) - Status Updates were provided
  - 1. Inkster Team Dues: \$5,000
  - 2. Romulus Train Derailment \$3,919.40

**Report of Committees and Task Groups**

- A. Conference of Western Wayne (Chief Stamper, Jordyn Sellek)
  - 1. CWW Updates – Jordyn provided report on the radio project and provided overview of the proposal. She also provided an update with the opioid settlement funds, as the county is figuring out how to spend the funds correctly.

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- B. Emergency Management (EM Hayes was absent)
  - 1. COVID-19 Updates-
  - 2. EM Updates  
Siegel attended the LEPC meeting this last month, and the foam trailer funds were approved
- C. EMS and HEMS (Chief Siegel, Chief Conely, Chief Brogan)
  - 1. Board of Trustees – Siegel reported on the recent Board of Trustees meeting. Financial reports were reviewed. HEMS is requesting they “hear- test” radios on a set schedule. Pediatric practical credit available during classroom session today.
  - 2. Nurse Managers Meeting – Conely said the equipment exchange sheets were reviewed.
  - 3. Operations – Brogan provided an update. They’re really looking closely at where you’re transporting (children’s hospital or trauma center)
  - 4. MiMedic Cards issue - Download new electronic version of HEMS adult dosage of Fentanyl (4.1.4 version is the correct version).
- D. Training Report (Chief Stoecklein, Chief Badalow, Chief Portis)
  - 1. CTC Updates -Badalow reported the annual CTC meeting will be held March 25<sup>th</sup>. Noon at Schoolcraft College. Stoecklein encouraged everyone to stay on top of their FF training credits.
- E. Special Operations Reports
  - 1. General Updates (Chief Siegel) – Nothing to report at this time.
  - 2. HazMat Report (Chief Unruh) –
    - a. Last month’s training was Batteries at the library
    - b. This month is at WCCC – team physicals and scenarios
    - c. May 21<sup>st</sup> outdoor exercises at Schoolcraft Facility on Glendale. County commissioners have been invited to watch.
  - 3. MUSAR Report (Chief Badalow provided report on the recent callout (missing person). Moving forward with reallocating equipment. April’s training is collapse & logistics.
- F. Mutual Aid Box Alarm Report (Chief Unruh, Chief Stamper)
  - 1. State Updates – Unruh had nothing to report at this time.
  - 2. Box Card Updates – Stamper provided a brief report on the upcoming computer training (currently only 20 registrants). Please respond back by April 12<sup>th</sup>. Meeting with MABAS leadership on April 12<sup>th</sup>. More to come.
- G. Other Chief Association Reports
  - 1. MAFC-Expo- Grand Rapids this year (May 21-22, 2024). [www.MiChiefs.org](http://www.MiChiefs.org)
  - 2. SMAFC- Chief Jennison appointed immediately to fill the Sgt-at-Arms position at the March meeting. Next meeting will be held May 9<sup>th</sup> in Ferndale, installation of officers. Chief McNally will be installed to the Board at that time.
- H. CLEMIS Reports - Chief Begeman reported the NDC’s end of support for Windows 10 will end Oct 14, 2025. Murray mentioned that any chiefs who use ESO and CLEMIS, you should have received an email requesting feedback.

**Old Business – N/A**

**New Business – N/A**

**Good of the Order -**

- Conely said their dept will be selling shirts Organ Donor awareness in memory of Chris Mack
- Brogan provided update of DHFD’s Anthony Cerroni heart issues, and his retirement announcement. He then introduced Nathaniel Kean who is handling the EMS Coordinator role at this time.

**Next Meeting: Livonia** April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at the Schoolcraft Fire Academy on Inkster Road

**Adjournment – 12:23PM**