



**CUYAHOGA COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES ADVISORY BOARD
COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE**

Communications Committee Meeting Minutes

DATE/TIME: September 13, 2023 – 11:00AM

LOCATION: Paul W. Cassidy Theatre, 6200 Pearl Rd., Downstairs Room B Room
Parma Heights, Ohio 44103

ATTENDING VOTING COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

NAME	Present	ASSOCIATION	ALTERNATE	Present
Steven Greene	X	Chairman		
Lisa Raffurty		Vice Chair		
Randy Kimbro		Southwest Radio COG	Tom Sullivan	X
Brad Handke	X	City of Cleveland	Courtney Newman	
Anthony Luke		City of Cleveland	Brad Englehart	
Cmdr. Carla Ellis		City of Cleveland	Capt. Brian McEntee	
Jacquelynn Costa		CECOMS	Nick Dolbin	X
Mark Christie		Cuyahoga County EMA	Chris Minek	
Jill Smialek		Cuyahoga County PSJS	Nancy Kolcan	
Chief Papesh	X	Fire	Chief Rega	
Chief Schepp	X	Fire	Chief Carcioppolo	
Chief Bobak		LE – Municipal	VACANT	
Capt. Leff		LE – Non-Municipal	Craig Bollinger	
Sgt. Pat Devlin	X	LE – Sheriff	VACANT	
Chief Elliott		MARCS User Group	Chief Robinson	
A/C Jim Heath	X	MARCS User Group	Dillon Crouse	
George Balasko	X	City of Parma	Walter Samijlenko	
Chief Lasky		City of Parma	VACANT	
Nick DiCicco		Regional Dispatch	Emily Joseph	
Ron Barlow		Regional Dispatch	Kristina Eich	
Mike Dever		Public Works	Bryan Hitch	

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: Brad Englehart, Kyle Jamison, Ella Amadeus,
Dick Miller, Kevin Friis, Christene Jones

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AGENDA ITEMS

1. CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL / QUORUM DETERMINATION

- Chairman Steve Greene called the meeting to order at 11:05 a.m.
- Chairman Greene conducted roll call. A quorum was not met.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

- None

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- July 12, 2023 meeting minutes - Deferred until November meeting.

4. MAIN CCESAB MEETING REVIEW

- Steve Greene stated the August main CCESAB meeting was cancelled because everyone could not attend.

5. GRANTS UPDATE

- Ella Amadeus stated that the Mayfield Heights police radios have been ordered. The P.O. was sent to the vendor on August 22, 2023.
- The county wide ALPR RFP has been developed. There are some system issues but they are working with the state to have the RFP draft sent to them for review.
- Mobile surveillance camera trailer bids are being evaluated. Grants is hoping to send the award to the state for approval soon.
- Ella Amadeus also advised there will be a mass casualty response full-scale exercise occurring at Wiley Junior High School in University Heights.

6. RADIO REQUEST APPLICATION REVIEW

- None

7. COUNTY INTEROP TEMPLATE UPDATES

- Brad Handke stated that there are no updates.

8. EXERCISES/DRILLS FOR COM-L PARTICIPATION

- Kevin Friis stated that there will be a statewide full-scale exercise for the Ohio Department of Health in response to a statewide Anthrax release on October 18th and October 19th. He also stated that will be a civil unrest exercise on October 17th.

9. OLD BUSINESS/ANNOUNCEMENTS/NEW BUSINESS

- Dick Miller stated that \$10.5 million was put in for fiscal year 2024 and fiscal year 2025. The \$10.5 million was strictly to offset local user rates.

10. EXECUTIVE SESSION

- None

11. NEXT MEETING

- November 9, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.

12. ADJOURNMENT

- Steve Greene motioned to adjourn. George Balasko seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m.