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The Ida County EMS Advisory Council (EMSAC) met on October 1, 2024 at 5:30pm at Horn Memorial Hospital in Conference Room 3 for a regularly scheduled meeting. The meeting was called to order at 5:31pm with the following members present: Larry Folk, Deb Ulrich, Ken Langel, Shelby Ellis, Gary Wanberg, Beth Schossow, Megan Wellendorf and Joyce Schnabel. Secretary/Ida County EMS Director Corey Trucke was present as well as Ida County Auditor Charlys Folk.

Motion to approve the agenda by Beth Schossow, seconded by Gary Wanberg, all voting aye.

Minutes from the September 3rd meeting were read. One spelling mistake on page two was corrected. Motion to approve the agenda by Megan Wellendorf, seconded by Deb Ulrich, all voting aye.

Chair Larry Folk opened the meeting to public comments. No public comments were heard.

There was no new business.

The Council considered a revised proposal from Western Iowa Technical Community College to provide an EMT class in January, 2025. The new proposal was reduced to \$14,700. Motion by Gary Wanberg, seconded by Beth Schossow to approve the proposal, all voting aye. Corey Trucke reported that there are 8 people on the class sign-up list as of now.

The Council was given an update on the status of response vehicles. No action was taken.

The Council discussed an update on the building. Bid specifications have not been received at this time. No action was taken.

The group discussed leasing/renting from a local business for overnight staff on nights that Horn Memorial is unable to house our staff. The consensus of the group was that this is acceptable and does not require action by the Council.

The group discussed medical director replacement options. Corey Trucke reported that he has looked at three different options for medical direction. After discussion, motion by Beth Schossow, seconded by Shelby Ellis to appoint Dr Veltri as the Ida County EMS

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Medical Director with a \$1000 per month salary. Joyce Schnabel voting nay, all other members voting aye.

The Council discussed the hiring process and hiring sub committee members. Joyce Schnabel recused herself from the hiring subcommittee. Previously appointed alternate hiring committee member Rachel Burns will fill Joyce's spot.

Chair Larry Folk reminded the Council that the Missouri River Historical Society Grant recipients will be announced on Friday October 4.

Motion to adjourn by Megan Wellendorf, seconded by Deb Ulrich, all voting aye. Meeting adjourned at 1809 hours.

/s/ Larry Folk, Chair

/s/ Corey Trucke, Secretary