

**NOTICE AND CALL OF PUBLIC MEETING**

Governmental Body: Bremer County EMS Advisory Council

Date of Meeting: December 4, 2025

Time of Meeting: 6:00 p.m.

Place of Meeting: Tripoli EMS

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the above-mentioned governmental body will meet at the date, time, and place above. The meeting is open to the public. Items on the agenda may include discussion, information, and/or action items as determined by the chairperson. Please note that audio recordings of the meeting may be made for the purpose of ensuring accurate meeting minutes, documentation, or public transparency. Recordings will be maintained in accordance with applicable retention and public records policies.

**MEMBERS**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Beaufore, Mike	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brunkhorst	<input type="checkbox"/> Dierks, Rod	<input type="checkbox"/> Everding, Dawn
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Geise, Tom	<input type="checkbox"/> Happel, Dennis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ladage, Kip	<input type="checkbox"/> Scanlan, Jason
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Scharnhorst, Andy	<input type="checkbox"/> Schnadt, Deb	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Schutte, Jim	<input type="checkbox"/> Schumacher, Marv
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wedemeier, Dan	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wygle, Derrick	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**GUESTS**

Dan Kalkbrenner			

**AGENDA**

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**(\*) Represents need for Council vote**

1. Meeting Called to Order at 6:00 p.m.- determination that quorum requirements met.
  - a. Motion by Andy Scharnhorst, second by Kip Ledage to approve minutes from November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2025, meeting minutes. Motion carried.
  - b. Motion by Kip Ledage, seconded by Any Scharnhorst to approve agenda. Bob Brunkorst requested we add the discussion of Jason Scanlan’s recent resignation from the committee, and the need to discuss replacement or not. Motion carried following adjustment to agenda added.
  - c. Public Input- none.
2. Old Business
  - a. Summary of discussion from the subcommittee work was read aloud by Derrick Wygle. Jim Schutte, Mike Beaufore, Kip Ledage, and Derrick Wygle all discussed the information obtained from various Counties and Organizations who have passed 422B, the

successes, and the opportunities through the process and outcome once 422B was passed.

3. New Business

- a. Discuss next steps for 422B
  - i. Discussed the need to hold on any forward movement with 422B until we were better prepared, with the understanding that it was going to be our best option. Each present member of the committee voiced their support for this.
- b. Review code 357F and 357G and define next steps (See attachments)
  - i. These were reviewed and discussed as a group. Discussion on whether 357F and 357G was a workable option. Kip Ledage requested help from the board of Supervisors on whether other counties and communities within those counties would entertain even a discussion.
- c. Collaboration between agencies
  - i. Kip Ledage brought forward a plan and recommendation regarding county EMS coordinator. This discussion is about creating more collaboration and support by bringing in a fresh perspective and position to help support Bremer County through a Bremer County EMS coordinator position. Kip reviewed with all members in attendance the proposal. A request was made to Bob Brunhorst by Kip Ledage to review the option of funding said position and present it to the Bremer County Board of Supervisors. Bob Brunhorst requested that we provide a more detailed and accurate proposal. A motion to approve moving forward and presenting Bremer County EMS Coordinator was made by Bob Brunhorst, seconded by Mike Beaufore. This motion was passed. Kip Ledage mentioned bringing together the Bremer County EMS Association to ensure they were aware of the proposal and provide opportunities to discuss prior to bringing anything to the board of supervisors.
- d. Jason Scanlan replacement
  - i. The group discussed having appropriate representation and the need to replace Jason Scanlan was tabled until further review as we reset with the direction and changes discussed.

4. Summary of meeting action items:

- a. Present updated proposal to Bremer County EMS Association.
- b. Present updated proposal to Bremer County Board of Supervisors

5. \*Adjourn

- a. Next meeting set for 01/08/2026 at 6:00p.m.
- b. Motion to adjourn by Jim Schutte, seconded by Derrick Wygle.