

TOWN OF WOODBRIDGE
EMS COMMISSION MEETING
CENTER BUILDING, ROOM 16
MONDAY, August 15, 2022
7PM

In attendance: Mr. Roy Ivins, Dr. Alan Davidson, Dr. Ben Cherry, Dr. Marvin Arons, Tim Craven,
Operations Manager for GMR, & Cathy Trzaski, Clerk for EMS Commission
Not in attendance: Oliver Hulland, Ellen Scaletter and Chief of Police Frank Cappiello

Roy Ivins called the meeting to order at 07:02PM.

A **MOTION** was made to waive the reading of the minutes from May 2, 2022. Dr. Alan Davidson made the **MOTION** to Waive the minutes and Dr. Ben Cherry **SECONDED**. The vote was **UNANIMOUS**.

The Commission reviewed the Key Performance Reports from April 2022 – July 2022.

In April 2022, the paramedic Priority 1 was 100% and Priority 2 was 100%.
Transport for Priority 1 was 91% and Priority 2 was 100%.
In May 2022, the paramedic Priority 1 was 100% and Priority 2 was 100%.
Transport for Priority 1 was 95% and Priority 2 was 100%.
In June 2022, the paramedic Priority 1 was 100% and Priority 2 was 100%.
Transport for Priority 1 was 100% and Priority 2 was 100%.
In July 2022, the paramedic Priority 1 was 100% and Priority 2 was 100%.
Transport for Priority 1 was 94% and Priority 2 was 100%.

A **MOTION** was made to accept the Key Performance Reports from April 2022-July2022. Dr. Marvin Arons made the **MOTION** to **ACCEPT** and Dr. Alan Davidson **SECONDED**. The vote was **UNANIMOUS**.

OLD BUSINESS

Discussion was made on the safety of the LUKAS machine compared to human compressions. It was stated that this is a very hard study to conduct.
Tim talked about the shortage of EMTs and Paramedics. GMR has 50 ambulances and 43 are always on the road.

NEW BUSINESS

Dr. Alan Davidson brought an article for the Commission to discuss. "Securing the future of our EMS Services", by State Senator Saud Anwar. This was published in the New Haven Register on August 6, 2022.

Dr. Alan Davidson made the **MOTION** to adjourn the meeting. Dr. Marvin Arons **SECONDED**. The vote was **UNANIMOUS**.

The next EMS Commission meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 7, 2022, at 7:00PM.

The meeting **ADJOURNED** at 0733PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Cathy Trzaski
Clerk to the EMS Commission