

SERVICES PROGRAM

**County of Santa Cruz** 

## HEALTH SERVICES AGENCY

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## EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE COMMISSION

DATE:	March 18, 2019 <u>TIME</u> : 8:30 AM	
PLACE:	Health Services Agency, 1080 Emeline Avenue, Santa Cruz, CA, Large Auditorium	

## AGENDA

## ITEM:

- 1. Call to Order/Establish Quorum, Review/Correct Agenda, Minutes- [8:30 am]
- 2. Written Correspondence Listing

The Written Correspondence Listing is established to act as a report of materials received by the Commission as a whole but may also include items requested for inclusion by individual Commissioners. Upon completion of any actions deemed necessary (i.e., acknowledgment, referral, etc.), these items are included in the Written Correspondence Listing. While these items are not part of the official record of meetings of the Emergency Medical Care Commission they will be maintained by the Santa Cruz County Emergency Medical Services Agency for a period of two years.

3. Oral Communications

Oral Communications for items not on the agenda will be presented for discussion purposes only and may be brought to the Commission by Commissioners or members of the public.

4. EMS Administrator Report

The Administrator will report on issues of interest such as the implementation of the ambulance contract, challenges, progress, concerns, for the Commission to consider for action if necessary.

5. Prehospital Advisory Committee

The Emergency Medical Services Medical Director will provide an update of discussions and/or actions taken by the Prehospital Advisory Committee.

6. Resource Utilization for Lower Acuity Calls

EMS Medical Director will provide update of progress made towards reducing responses to some calls, improving efficiency of EMS system.

- 7. Camp Ross update Commissioners will discuss current situation at Camp Ross and impact on EMS response. Commissioners may take action.
- 8. Helicopter/HEMS Update

The Administrator will report on progress made towards establishing/updating a GPS approach to the air ambulance landing zone at Dominican Hospital.

9. Psychiatric Health Facility Update

An update will be provided on utilization of the Psychiatric Health Facility and impact on EMS.

- 10. HIE Grant Application Update The Administrator will provide an update on progress made towards applying for a grant to link medical records issued by EMS provides to those of hospitals and clinics.
- 11. Nomination for Chair -Commissioners will make nominations for chair of Emergency Medical Care Commission. Commission may take action to appoint chair.
- 12. Items for April Agenda Items for April Agenda will be proposed.
- 13. Adjournment

Commissioner attendance requested:

Dan Quinto Marcus Kwan, MD Robyn McIntyre Chris Jones <u>Christopher Johnston, RN</u> <u>Eric Conrad, RN</u> <u>Ian Larkin</u> David Hermosillo Kent Benedict, MD Marc Yellin, MD Celia Barry Craig Kunzler