



Regional Collaboration & Emergency Preparedness Meeting Minutes

November 11, 2022

In attendance: Kate Coupe, Laurie D'Aquila, Kevin Ferrarotti, Bill Fitzmaurice, David Koscuk, Paul Rabeuf, Ben Zura (guest)

The meeting was called to order at 9:15am.

The previous meeting minutes were sent prior to the meeting without any changes or omissions.

Old Business:

K. Ferrarotti noted for committee members to please submit their components of the leadership Manual.

K. Ferrarotti also spoke about the positive feedback from the Regional EMS Roundtable at EMS Pro in October. There were positive takeaways including finalizing regional roundtables in Q1-Q2.

New Business:

Ben Zura, a manager with ERM presented on his detailed report on the "Recruitment, Retention and Attrition of CT EMTs". The data reflects the true current state of CT EMS, noting although the state OEMS website shows a large number of EMS personnel, most are expired or inactive. Ben was asked to share the deck with his findings with the committee as it can absolutely help in state regional collaboration discussions, education and training focus and regional areas of risk.

Information Sharing

Upcoming recruitment / retention CME (attached flyer).

The next meeting will be held via zoom on December 9th.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kevin Ferrarotti", written in a cursive style.

Kevin Ferrarotti, Chair