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October Advisory Board Notes 10-16-2014

DES Report: Beau Crowding

- New Radio System: System acceptance pushed back a couple of months due to issues with tower leasing.
- Training Facility: Moving along. Construction to be completed by end of the year. Village to be up and running by spring at this time. Will have the Village open November Meeting. Firing range looks to start by second quarter of 2015.
- New CAD: New update is being released. It is currently under review an may push back the launch date by a few months.
- Training: Saturday 1/24 Fire House Software training at PSTC. Annual DES/Chief officer meeting planned for early February.

Districts:

North- Meet next month, been busy with fire prevention

South- Denis had questions on the new radio system. Station base station radios are being replaced. Can two channels be monitored to alleviate the need to carry two radios? Why are ATV's not issued portables? Theory was it would use the radio from the tow vehicle. Captain's and Lieutenants don't get radios, because some stations have multiple Capts and Lt and would be hard to estimate.

East- Nothing.

West- Not Present

Central- Nothing.

Fire Police- 17 graduates from recent trainings. Next meeting is on November 2nd. Beau said he will have the tactical village open for tours.

EMS Council- Not Present.

New Business:

- The County needs to know how to handle relocates for the new CAD. The County would like to have one set of procedure for the CAD to follow. Need to talk to each district prior to the November AB meeting when Mike Murphy will be present to answer questions.
    o Possible Options:
        - Dispatcher Discretion
        - Specified Units
        - Specified Companies
- Police Chief's Association is holding a meeting on 10/30 at 4pm to go over plans for a memorial statue at the PTSC would like input and attendance from CCFCA.

Old Business:

- None