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C/O RIDGE FIRE COMPANY
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September Advisory Board Notes 9/17/2015.

DES Report:

- Voice Radio: Testing with the County, ACD, and Harris has completed. Only 6 failed grids out of 3600. System cutover scheduled for January and to phase in installs through April. John Haynes asked if the Fire Service wanted to roll out on 1/4/2016 on Portables only on the new Digital Harris system while the mobiles are being installed up until April? EF Johnson system would still be up if it was to get used by a responder. Each station would get all of their portables up front. This is being done to avoid the audio distortion created by the EFJohnson patch.
- West Grove would like to return their Rehab trailer. Looking for a new home for the trailer and DES would like to keep it in the South.

Districts:

North- Brian Gallagher's passing and the North is planning a Beef n Beer Benefit for him at Station 68 on 11/7.

South- None

East- None.

West- None.

Central- None

Fire Police- Had a meeting last Sunday and met with the CERT team.

EMS Council- No Present.

New Business:

- MICU 84 is looking to pull their Montco MDC out and install a Chester MDC in their rig.
- Had a meeting with CATO. They are looking to move forward with identifying and understanding the difficulties facing the fire services. They ask for the local fire officials to open up dialogue with their local officials. CCFCA to meet in the Fall with CATO and do a round table in the Spring.
- Digger's retirement party is set for 10/25 at Station 47.