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January Advisory Board Notes 01/02/2020.

DES Report:

- Would like to have more CCFCA attendance at the Communication Meeting. Gerry is going to try to make sure there is a rep there.
- Verified Responder: Still working on some issues before rolling it out
- Paging: Waiting on samples back from Locution.
- Windows 10 MDC Upgrades are almost complete. John Cocchi is following up on some remaining agencies.
- Fire Training – The Spring 2020 course calendar is out. Please make sure it is displayed in your fire house. Each station gets a copy sent to them. Leadership classes are running this Winter.

Districts:

North- Meet next week. North had positive feedback to the Duty/Staffed Apparatus proposed designation. Would like to see a time limit set that requires the status to be renewed or time out. This is to help with if a crew leaves the station and forgets to mark the apparatus as no longer staffed.

South – Nothing

East – Working on Staffed/Duty Engines

Central- Nothing

West- Not Present

Fire Police – Meet this Sunday at PTSC

EMS Council- Emergency Hospital Transfers should be self-initiated through the MDC.

Rescue TF: Nothing new. Reviewing the auto dispatch criteria. County had a more simplified version from the 911 center that they are reviewing.

Old Business:

- Staffed/Duty Apparatus Status needs a policy and criteria drafted. The Operations Committee is going to draft up a policy.
- Nozzle Forward class and co-sponsorship with Lancaster County is progressing. Representatives met with the Executive board to go over the training program.

New Business:

- FD1 and FIRE-D1. Make sure your personnel know the difference between the 2 channels and can identify them in the radio to avoid confusion on scene.