

Chief, Paul DeRaedt
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Batt. Chief, Don Davidson
Vice-President

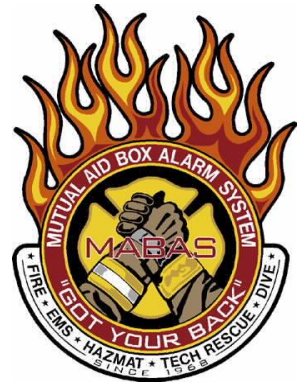
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Chief, John Kimmel
Treasurer

Mutual Aid Box Alarm System

McHenry County Division 5

mabas5.org



MABAS Division 5 Meeting
June 9, 2021 – 09:00 am
Marengo FPD
120 E. Prairie St.
Marengo, IL. 60152

The meeting was called to order by B/Chief Davidson at 0901 hours, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comment: No public comments.

Approval of the April 2021 meeting minutes. Motion by A/Chief Frazier, second by Chief R. Kreher to approve the minutes of the April 14, 2021 meeting. Motion Passed.

Treasurer's Report: B/Chief Davidson gave the report for Chief Kimmel.

<u>June 2021</u>	<u>General Funds</u>
Previous Meeting Ending Balance	\$16,924.99
Disbursements (detail below)	0.00
Deposits (detail below)	\$34,186.00
Check Account Balance	\$51,110.99
POD Funds	\$500.00
Total Available Funds	\$51,610.99

		<i>Deposits:</i>	
Deposits	Final 2020 Deposits		\$ 5,795.00
	1 st 2021 Deposits		\$ 28,391.00

Motion by Chief R. Kreher, second by Chief Hill, to approve the June 2021 Treasures Report. Motion Passed.

Executive Board: No report.

Presentation: None.

Group Reports

Box Cards: C/Deputy Ellsworth reported the recent changes to the SRT cards. The SRT cards are updated whenever department members are added or removed on the teams.

Communications: D/Chief Spraker reported that all the fire departments in the county are now on Starcom. All departments should have received their 2020 checks from ETSB. Departments just switching to Starcom will be eligible for this reimbursement next year.

National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) training continues.

Training: No report.

Prevention: No report. They continue to hold virtual meetings.

Operations: No report.

EMS/Rehab: No report. B/Chief Davidson led a discussion on utilizing the Salvation Army on MABAS calls to assist with Rehab.

IST: No report.

By-Laws: No report.

Chaplain's Group: Rev. Schalk happy to report that we have a new fire chaplain in MABAS Division 5. Deacon David Marcheschi, who is in ministry at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Huntley, will be serving as Huntley FPD's new chaplain. We look forward to meeting him and we are happy to have him on board.

Our second quarter chaplain training will be next Thursday, June 17, 0900-1130 hours, at Cary FPD, 400 Cary-Algonquin Rd. Our presenter for the morning will be J.P. "Jim" Moore, former chief at Crystal Lake and now the Assistant Director of the Illinois Fire Service Institute. He will be talking about the resiliency program which IFSI has launched.

IFSI now offers two resiliency courses as part of the Cornerstone Program— "Resiliency Development for First Responders" and "Leadership Support for First Responder Resiliency." Some of our chaplains took the "Resiliency Development for First Responders" course at Crystal Lake several years ago. IFSI has also incorporated a resiliency module into some of their other courses.

I'd like to invite you chiefs to join us for the first hour and a half of our meeting that day. I told the chaplains that it is "Bring Your Chief to Training Day." Even if you don't have a chaplain, I would invite you to join us that morning. I have had some inquiries about others joining as well for that presentation-the more the merrier.

Investigators / Photographers Groups: No report.

Logistics Group: No report.

Special Teams Leaders

Division 5 Interim Operations Chief: Chris Williams reported that they have been holding interviews for the open leadership positions, they will make recommendations to the division and then to the JAC.

SRT Coordinator: Admin. Coordinator Loomis reviewed the April and May SRT reports (see attached).

In person training continues with no issues.

Wildland team has been busy with 4 incidents so far.

Everyone should have received the 2020 SRT report, if not it is online.

Finalizing SOG's for all teams, they will be sent out soon for review, looking to approve them in July.

Finishing the SRT video project.

Starting to work on the next year's budget and a 5 year capital improvement plan.

B/Chief Davidson and Chris Williams reviewed the recent deployment of the MABAS tent to Gurnee and a few issues that need to be addressed to make it more user friendly.

Alarms: After the meeting was adjourned, Chief Kimmel discussed communication problems on recent calls in Marengo. Director Kern reviewed past and recent issues with the VHF system in the county, the possibility of using Starcom, and a patch between communication channels/talkgroups. There are some options however it may take up to 6 months, and the cost is unknown.

Old Business:

Integrated Emergency Management Course (IEMC) Update: Director Christensen reported the training for the course will be held in 2 locations, Elgin Community College and Plainfield Fire Department. There will be 3 ½ days of classes and the last day will be an exercise. The IEMC will include all of IEMA Region 3 (9 counties and 3 communities). The event will be based in Chicago, and the counties in Region 3 would need to support and receive survivors, and coordinate resources. We will be testing an incident software that is being updated by the state. If you are interested in participating let us know.

Group Leadership Openings-Operations, Liaison/Logistics, and Investigators/Photographers: B/Chief Davidson asked that anyone interested in any of these openings or if you have a candidate in mind to please contact C/Deputy Ellsworth reellswo@mchenrycountyil.gov.

MABAS 5 SRT Operations Chief Opening: B/Chief Davidson asked that anyone interested in any of these openings or if you have a candidate in mind to please contact C/Deputy Ellsworth reellswo@mchenrycountyil.gov .

MABAS-IL Staff Assistance Visit (SAV): B/Chief Davidson will reach out to Al Vrshek from MABAS-IL to get further information.

MABAS Dues Update: C/Deputy Ellsworth explained for Chief Kimmel (not present at the time) that the entry of the 2020 final deposit was to clear the books and record keeping.

New Business:

Meeting Locations for the Remainder of the year: B/Chief Davidson asked departments to host the remainder of this year's meetings. The following agreed to host:

August 11, 2021	Cary FPD
October 13, 2021	Woodstock FRD
December 8, 2021	McHenry Township FPD

Updates to Equipment/Apparatus/Personnel: C/Deputy Ellsworth asked all departments to please review and update their information.

Approve Annual Radio Equipment and Tower Maintenance Payment: B/Chief Davidson asked for a motion for this bill. **Motion by D/Chief Spraker, second by Chief Linneman to pay the Annual Radio Equipment and Tower Maintenance at McHenry County. Roll Call vote conducted 13 yes, 2 absent. Motion Passed.**

Approve the 1st Installment Payment of MABAS 4 & 5 SRT Dues: B/Chief Davidson asked for a motion for this bill. **Motion by D/Chief Abernathy, second by D/Chief Spraker to pay the 1st Installment of the MABAS 4 & 5 SRT Dues for 2021. Roll Call vote conducted 13 yes, 2 absent. Motion Passed.**

Any other business not on the Agenda: D/Chief Bush stated the fire investigators are working on a box card.

Chief Ravagnie introduced Pat Fortunato as Huntley's new Deputy Chief of Operations.

Next meeting will be on Wednesday, August 11, 2021, 9am at Cary FPD at 400 Cary-Algonquin Rd.

Motion by Chief Hill, second by Chief R. Kreher to adjourn at 0930 hours. Passed.

Respectfully submitted,

R. Ellsworth Jr. (ES)

R. Ellsworth, Jr.

Attendance

Name

Don Davidson
John Kimmel
Steve Frazier
Chris Williams
Bob Kreher
Gerald Schalk
Mike Hill
Brendan Parker
Mike Paige
Mark Abernathy
Christina Loomis
Larry Kane
Tom Linneman
David Christensen
Bob Ellsworth

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Name

John Knebl
Mike Weber
Jeremy Morris
Jenny Synek
Jason Kern
Don Burr
Brad Delatorre
Mark Pelletreau
Karen Bush
Steve Spraker
Paul Klicker
Scott Ravagnie
John Levendoski
Pat Fortunato

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**M.A.B.A.S. Division 5
Meeting Agenda
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Marengo Fire Prot. Dist.
120 E. Prairie St
Marengo, IL 60152**

1. Call to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance / Introduction of guests
3. Public Comment
4. Approval of the April 2021 meeting minutes.
5. Treasurer's Report: Chief Kimmel
6. Executive Board Report: None
7. Presentation: None
8. Group Reports:
 - A. Box Cards: Chief Deputy Ellsworth
 - B. Communications: DC Spraker
 - C. Training: Chief Kimmel
 - D. Prevention: FM Burns / FM Innes
 - E. Operations: None
 - F. EMS / Rehab: Chief Gruba
 - G. IST: None
 - H. By-Laws: AC Frazier
 - I. Chaplain Group: Rev. Schalk
 - J. Investigators/Photographers Groups: None
 - K. Logistics Group: BC Davidson
 - L. Special Teams Leaders: Interim Operations Chief Williams, Administrative Coordinator Loomis
9. Alarms: Marengo fatal fire (Chief Kimmel)
10. Old Business:
 - A. Integrated Emergency Management Course Update (Director Christensen)
 - B. Group Leader Openings-Operations, Liaison/Logistics, and Investigators/Photographers (BC Davidson)
 - C. MABAS 5 SRT Operations Chief Opening (BC Davidson)
 - D. MABAS-IL Staff Assistance Visit (SAV) (BC Davidson)
 - E. MABAS Dues Update (Chief Kimmel)
11. New Business:
 - A. Meeting Locations for Remainder of the Year (BC Davidson)
 - B. Update to Equipment/Apparatus/Personnel on MABAS 5 Website (Chief Deputy Ellsworth)
 - C. Approve Annual Radio Equipment and Tower Maintenance Payment (BC Davidson)
 - D. Approve 1st Installment Payment of MABAS 4 & 5 SRT Dues (BC Davidson)

12. Any other business not on the Agenda.

13. Next Meeting / August 11, 2021 location is TBD.

14. Adjournment

MABAS Division 5
Treasurer's Report
June 2021

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\$ -

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Respectfully submitted:
Chief John Kimmel
Treasurer, MABAS Division 5



MABAS DIVISIONS 4 & 5 SPECIALIZED RESPONSE TEAMS

JOINT ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR'S REPORT

Submitted April 26, 2021 by Christina Loomis

New Team Members

- Hazardous Materials Team
 - Anthony Campbell (Lake Zurich Fire/Rescue Department)
 - Jacob Ellegood (Mundelein Fire Department)
 - Peter Penkava (Lake Zurich Fire/Rescue Department)
- Technical Rescue Team
 - Justin Dusek (Algonquin-Lake in the Hills Fire Protection District)
 - Jim Goodwin (Barrington Fire Department)
- Water Rescue & Recovery Team – Sonar (**effective April 21, 2021**)
 - Michael Baumgart (Cart Fire Protection District)
 - Sean Bergstrom (Grayslake Fire Protection District)
 - Scott Burkemper (Algonquin-Lake in the Hills Fire Protection District)
 - Joshua Cokefair (Grayslake Fire Protection District)
 - Damian Iskra (Mundelein Fire Department)
 - Bryan Kauke (Crystal Lake Fire Rescue Department)
 - Christopher Kelly (Barrington Fire Department)
 - Justin Kenyon (Barrington Countryside Fire Protection District)
 - Jamie Kuebker (Greater Round Lake Fire Protection District)
 - Nick Lienhardt (Antioch Fire Department)
 - Scott Nemeth (Lake Zurich Fire/Rescue Department)
 - Joshua Shaw (Countryside Fire Protection District)
 - Cory Whipple (Lake Villa Fire Protection District)
 - Austin Yarc (Lake Fore Fire Department)

Training

- Hazardous Materials Team
 - March 2 via Zoom – Explosives (15 attendees)
 - March 9, 30 & 31 in Barrington – Midland Kit (26 attendees)
 - March 18 at Woodstock – Inventory (10 attendees)
- Mechanics Team
 - February On-Line Training – Ring Saw (5 participants as of 4/12/21)
 - March 6 at KTSI – Quad 2 Crash Truck Service (6 attendees)
 - March 11 at Fox River Grove – Rescue One Boats (3 attendees)
 - March 13 at SRT Office – Wildland Engine Service (2 attendees)

- Technical Rescue Team
 - March 10, 11 & 12 at Libertyville – Rope Rescue/Structural Collapse (44 attendees)
 - March 30 at Libertyville – Confined Space/Rope Rescue/Structural Collapse (14 attendees)
- Water Rescue and Recovery Team
 - Dive: None
 - Sonar
 - March 17 at Wauconda (11 attendees)
 - Swiftwater
 - March 24 & 25 at McHenry Township (8 attendees)
- Wildland Task Force
 - March 2 at SRT Office
 - March 13 at SRT Office – Wildland Engine Service (4 attendees)
 - March 30 at Libertyville – Prescribed Burn

Deployments/Incidents

- April 6, 2021 – Wildland Task Force Incident in Long Grove (Mechanics Team also responded)

Correspondence: None

Administrative Update

- Sonar Team New Member Training (April 20 – 21, 2021)
- 2020 Annual Report



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JOINT ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR'S REPORT

Submitted May 17, 2021 by Christina Loomis

New Team Members

- Water Rescue & Recovery Team – Dive
 - Thomas Clasen (Waukegan Fire Department)
- Wildland Task Force
 - Daniel Lainio (Lake Forest Fire Department)
 - Andy Skalski (Lake Zurich Fire/Rescue Department)

Training

- Hazardous Materials Team
 - April 3 at Countryside – Countywide Drill & Inventory (28 attendees)
 - April 6, 13 & 20 at Crystal Lake – Monitors (38 attendees)
- Mechanics Team
 - April 10 at SRT Office (4 attendees)
- Technical Rescue Team
 - April 6, 7 & 8 at Waukegan – Rope Rescue (23 attendees)
 - April 14, 15 & 16 at McHenry Township – Trench (30 attendees)
 - April 22 at Libertyville – Rope Rescue (12 attendees)
- Water Rescue and Recovery Team
 - Dive: None
 - Sonar
 - April 21 at Libertyville – New Member Class (19 attendees)
 - April 22 at Wauconda – New Member Class (19 attendees)
 - April 27 in Round Lake Heights (19 attendees)
 - Swiftwater
 - April 26 at Algonquin-Lake in the Hills (11 attendees)
- Wildland Task Force
 - April 7 & 10 at McHenry Township – Equipment Servicing
 - April 13 at Illinois Beach State Park – Prescribed Burn (1 attendee)

Deployments/Incidents

- April 26, 2021 – Wildland Task Force Incident in Lake Zurich
- April 26, 2021 – Wildland Task Force Incident in Barrington Hills (Barrington Countryside Fire Protection District)
- May 12, 2021 – Wildland Task Force Incident in Round Lake

Correspondence: None

Administrative Update

- 2020 Annual Report
- 2022 Budget Preparations

DAVID A. CHRISTENSEN
DIRECTOR

ROBERT E. ELLSWORTH, JR.
CHIEF DEPUTY



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ema@mchenrycountyil.gov

May 1, 2021

Chief Paul DeRaedt
Crystal Lake Fire Rescue Department
100 W Woodstock Street
Crystal Lake, IL 60014

Dear Chief DeRaedt,

Annual billing for radio equipment and tower maintenance for fire radio 154.250 and 154.265 MHz is as listed:

\$825.00 – Radio Equipment & Tower Maintenance (July 1, 2021 thru June 30, 2022
\$68.75 per month x 12 months)

Please make check payable to **Treasurer, McHenry County** and mail to our office at the address below.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "David A. Christensen".

David A. Christensen
Director

MABAS Divisions 4 & 5 SRT JAC

20 W. North Street
Hainesville, IL 60030

Invoice

Date	Invoice #
3/3/2021	88

Bill To
MABAS Division 5 c/o Crystal Lake Fire Rescue Department 100 W. Woodstock Street Crystal Lake, IL 60014

Description	Amount
2021 Member Assessments/Dues for MABAS Divisions 4 & 5 SRT Joint Administrative Council (First Installment) ** Payment is due by June 30, 2021	48,674.39
Please contact Christina Loomis at (847) 587-8012 or cloomis@srillinois.org with any questions.	Total \$48,674.39

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Roll Call Votes Division 5 (15 Primary Members)

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Cary FPD	Y N A	Nunda Rural FPD	Y N A
Crystal Lake Fire Rescue	Y N A	Richmond Twp FPD	Y N A
Fox River Grove FPD	Y N A	Spring Grove FPD	Y N A
Harvard FPD	Y N A	Union FPD	Y N A
Hebron FPD	Y N A	Wonder Lake FPD	Y N A
Huntley FPD	Y N A	Woodstock FRD	Y N A
Marengo FRD	Y N A		

Vote called for:

Approve the annual payment of the Radio Equipment and Tower

Maintenance at McHenry County for 2021

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Huntley FPD	Y N A	Woodstock FRD	Y N A
Marengo FRD	Y N A		

Vote called for:

Approve the 1st Installment payment of the MABAS 4 & 5 SRT Dues

for 2021.
