

NORTEX Regional EMS Provider's Association
Minutes 12-07-2017

Call to order @ 16:15 by M.W. Stripling

*Motion to approve minutes by Bruce Sutton, 2nd by Foster Simmons.

*Financial report by Foster

\$45,329.77in the checking account.

Five EMS providers have still not paid their 2017 dues. 2018 Dues are coming up in February. If anyone needs an invoice please e-mail Foster and he will get one to you. Collected Burkburnett Fire department dues.

Motion made to accept financial report by Kelly Hudson, 2nd by Rusty Sheppard.

DSHS- none

NTRAC- none

GETAC- 2 new work groups are being put together- 1. Response Standards 2. Code 3 response to disasters. If an EMS providers is able to do intubations, they are required to have ETCO2 detectors by Jan 1st. All ALS providers will be required to have 12 lead by the 1st of 2019.

TETAF- May meetings are moving to June and the August meeting will move to September.

EMTF- None

Old Business- None

New Business-

Chris Kelly w/ TEEX provided hand outs and went over the process of applying for TEEX education grants. These courses will have to be completed by Aug. 15, 2018. Mr. Kelly is going to be getting into contact with Kenny Hoffman in the hopes of TEEX helping our area put together a Paramedic course in the near future. Mr. Kelly also advised that TEEX provides an outreach program to local high schools and he passed on the information on how to go about that process.

Bill Sokora has advised that he will not be able remain in the EMS providers Secretary role due to scheduling conflicts. However he will still be willing to make sure that the

State and Federal funds are kept up to date. We will need to add the possibility of replacing him on the February agenda.

Open Forum- None

Motion to adjourn by Rusty Sheppard , 2nd by Kelly Hudson. Meeting adjourned at 17:05.
Next meeting will be February 1st, 2017.

M. W. Stripling