



National EMS Safety Council Conference Call
Wednesday, March 16, 2016, 11:00 am CT
1-800-250-2600, pin 645243#

Notes

In attendance: Rick Sherlock, Greg Lynskey, Dr. Craig Manifold, Rick Murray, Lee Varner, John Todaro, Allison Bloom, Robb Rehberg, JerrieLynn Kind, Pat Elmes, Deanna Harper, and Lisa Lindsay

1. Developing a framework for categorizing resources – The Council was provided with a list of sample categories for review and consideration. The Council discussed the sample list. It was clarified that the items in each column were not correlated, and that each topic might have multiple resources. It was also clarified that the end product will be a clearinghouse of EMS Safety resources to be posted on a webpage. There was a question about where the web page would reside. Lisa checked the notes from previous meetings and confirmed the following: *“The Council agreed that one of the Council projects would be the “Development of resource list that would live on the web sites of all Council organizations.”* Rick asked for council members to submit their resources. It was suggested that a drop box be set up with folders for each topic. Council members will be asked to post their resource documents into the folder that it pertains to. The filenames for documents submitted should include the topic, document name and date.
2. Template EMS safety program for EMS agencies –Allison reported that NEMSMA would submit content for Mental Health. Rick asked that all Council members submit topics that their organization will cover by the first of next week. Responses should be sent to the list serve.
3. Review of proposed EMS safety officer’s workshop at EMS World Expo – The committee reviewed the proposed workshop program. A motion was made by John Todaro and seconded by Allison Bloom to approve the program as submitted for the EMS safety officer’s workshop at EMS World Expo. The Council approved the motion.
4. Subject of just culture – The Council continued its discussion on this subject from the February call. At that time, Pam had suggested that the Council put together a statement on just culture. The statement would not endorse any particular program, but would support the philosophy of just culture. Lee said that he sent an email to the Council in an attempt to begin this statement. Lee will resend his email.
5. The meeting adjourned at 11:40 am CDT.