

Monroe County Radio Interoperability Committee

Minutes Nov 9, 2016

Meeting called to order at 19:03 by Paul Tipton

No introductions needed.

Motion to Approve of Sept and July meeting minutes was made by Lynden and 2nd by Paul. Motion passed.

Old Business:

ISSI progress: We are still waiting on St. Louis County to be able to test the link to Chicago.

STARCOM Upgrade was completed 10-13-2016 at the dispatch centers. The cost was covered by the tower sites maintenance agreements.

UPS Batteries: They have been ordered and were \$1200 after freight. The system we have now will cover 30-40 minutes of power for the console should the power go out and the generator not work. Jim Trantham is going to see if the jail is on priority power from the city so it is one of the first placed up and running on backup power.

25 Cities Project- Not going very fast. Paul is working on it and has a meeting with the FBI to figure things out. The quote has gotten very complicated, still waiting on Motorola sales in Maryland.

New Business:

VHF Issues: County fire is patched with old VHF pagers so Fire fighters can hear the traffic for cancelled calls or to know when trucks have already left the station and the fire fighter

can proceed to the fire station or to the scene. Paul is working to fix a few bugs in that patch.

Cabling at the Sheriff's Office is being re ran due to one of the junction boxes being bad so we will be hearing radio tests for the next few weeks.

Microwave yearly maintenance will start tomorrow so you might see some brief outages.

Motorola will be here next week to check the antenna coverage into Missouri due to the ambulance service seeing a decrease in coverage at the hospitals.

Motorola will also be loading VPN's into the dispatch centers.

No Public Questions

Nest meeting will be Jan 11, 2017

Motion to adjourn was made by Bob and 2nd by Jim.

Meeting adjourned at 1945

Attendance:

Paul Tipton

Lynden Prange

Ryan Weber

Delbert Wittenauer

Jim Trantham

Bob Elmore

Dan Hannon