

**Northwest Central
Joint Emergency Management System
Board Meeting Minutes**



Meeting Minutes
March 11, 2021
Remote via Go-To-Meeting

1) Call to Order

Mr. Bragg called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

2) Roll Call

Dane Bragg – Village of Buffalo Grove
Randall Recklaus - Village of Arlington Heights
Ray Rummel – Elk Grove Village
Eric Palm – Village of Hoffman Estates
Sam Trakas – Village of Inverness
Mike Cassady – Village of Mount Prospect
Reid Ottesen – Village of Palatine
Barry Krumstok – City of Rolling Meadows
Brian Townsend – Village of Schaumburg
Sharon Caddigan – Village of Streamwood
Jon Sfondilis – Village of Wheeling
John Ferraro - NWCDS
Mick Fleming – JEMS

3) Public Comment

- No Public Comment

4) New Business

• COVID-19 Vaccination Effort

- Mr. Fleming explained to the JEMS Executive Board that we were set to have a clinic on March 17th and that we would be receiving 5,000 doses of the Pfizer vaccine. At this point we have secured the doses needed to open a clinic but we have not identified adequate space for a clinic. Our biggest need right now is space.
- Board Members suggested the use of a number of spaces including vacant local big box stores, high school gymnasiums, and the local arenas/convention centers.
- The group had a discussion on how best get the message out to the 65 and older population. The discussion focused on partnerships that exist with the library, townships, and the senior centers to assist in getting the message out to the targeted age groups.
- The JEMS board discussed the progress related to staffing the needed positions for the clinic as well as what supplies would need to be purchased for the clinic.

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Adjournment

Motion to adjourn the meeting by Mr. Townsend
Seconded by Ms. Caddigan
Voice vote: All Ayes
Meeting Adjourned.