

**DOWNRIVER MUTUAL AID
REGULAR MEETING – October 10, 2024**

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<u>Present:</u>	Allen Park	Mayor Gail McLeod
	Brownstown Twp.	Supervisor Edward Smith
	Dearborn	
	Ecorse	
	Flat Rock	Mayor Steven Beller
	Gibraltar	Councilman Patrick Valentine
	Grosse Ile Twp.	Supervisor Jim Budny
	Huron Twp.	Supervisor David A. Glaab
	Lincoln Park	
	Melvindale	
	River Rouge	Alternate Karl Laub, Community Development Director
	Riverview	Mayor Andy Swift
	Rockwood	
	Southgate	Mayor Joseph Kuspa
	Taylor	Mayor Tim Woolley
	Trenton	
	Woodhaven	Councilman Robert Toth
	Wyandotte	City Clerk Larry Stec

Others Present: Chief Jeff Watson, Police Chair and Chief Jeff Drouillard, Fire Chair

The meeting was opened by the Board Chair, Supervisor David Glaab, at 6:02 p.m., followed by roll call and introductions.

Agenda: Motion by Mayor Kuspa, supported by Supervisor Budny, to approve the agenda as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

Minutes of 9/5/2024: Motion by Mayor Woolley, supported by supported by Supervisor Smith, to approve the minutes of 9/5/24 as written. The motion passed unanimously.

Executive-Finance Committee Report:

Executive-Finance Committee Minutes: Motion by Mayor McLeod, supported by Mayor Kuspa, to approve the Executive-Finance Committee minutes of 10/1/2024 as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

FY2024-25 Budget:

Motion by Mayor Swift, supported by Supervisor Budny, to approve the DMA Budget as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

FY2024-25 Assessment Dues: Motion by Supervisor Smith, supported by Supervisor Budny, to approve the DMA Assessment Dues as presented (no change from last year). The motion passed unanimously.

Downriver Mutual Aid Reports:

Police Team Report: Chief Jeff Watson reported.

- The DMA Police Chiefs meeting was held on 10/02/24 at Wyandotte PD.
- Dispatch consolidation is going well with nothing new to report. Work continues on the planning of the new DMA/DCC building with regards to the dispatch work area
- Training:
 - DMA Active shooter training has been taking place in Trenton and is open to all DMA Police Officers. The training has been on the LSU federal model of active shooter response.

- SWAT/CNT Team Activity for September 2024:
 - Callouts for September 2024
 - Assisted MNET in 5 high risk search warrants for narcotics cases with Downriver nexus.
 - 09/05/24 Narcotics search warrant in Taylor
 - 09/11/24 Narcotics search warrant in Taylor
 - 09/18/24 Barricaded subject in Southgate, thanks to Dearborn SWAT for assisting.
 - 09/24/24 Assisted with a Taylor PD Search warrant in Bloomfield Hills.
 - 09/29/24 Barricaded subject in Ecorse.
 - SWAT Public Relation
 - 09/11/24 Riverview's 9-11 memorial service.
 - 09/21/24 Huron Metroparks for Boy Scout jamboree.
 - Attended annual SWAT training the week of September 16th
- The DMA Crash team responded to the following incidents throughout the DMA area:
 - Callouts for September 2024
 - 2 For Lincoln Park; 1 for Allen Park; 1 for Huron Twp; 1 for Riverview.
- DMA Major Crimes Task Force
 - No activations.
- The DMA 911/Radio System refresh RFP:
 - Wayne County's cyber shut down is affecting DMA's LEIN/NCIC Access, the SINC Consortium IT consultant Brent Perry has been working with the State to get SINC Agencies access to LEIN through the DMA/SINC Networks.

Motion by Mayor McLeod, supported by Supervisor Budny, to accept the Police Chief's report as presented.. The motion passed unanimously.

Fire Chief Report: Chief Jeff Drouillard reported.

- At the September DMA Fire Chiefs meeting, the two-year executive officer seat nominations and appointments were held which take effect October 1, 2024, through September 30, 2026. The new chairman is Mike Prinz, Chief of Lincoln Park Fire; Vice Chair Jeremy Moline, Chief of Wyandotte Fire; and Keith Anderson, Chief of Trenton Fire Department. Congratulations!
- Team Reports:
 - DERT TEAM (Haz-Mat Team) (17)
 - No Call outs; On-going training
 - FITF TEAM (Fire Investigation Team) (28)
 - Call out to Huron Twp. Fire for Barn Fire Investigation; On-going training
 - DIVE TEAM (Dive Team) (13)
 - Continued monthly training
 - LOGISTICS TEAM (13)
 - Continued training on the DRONE
 - HEMS (Medical Control Authority Western & Downriver). No updates.

Supervisor Glaab and Jim Perry thanked Chief Jeff Drouillard and presented him with a Certificate of Recognition for his many years of service as DMA's Fire Chair. Supervisor Smith of Brownstown also thanked Chief Drouillard for his service as Brownstown's Fire Chief and for his support as DMA's Fire Chair. All applauded.

Motion by Mayor Kuspa, supported by Mayor Swift, to accept the Fire Chief's report as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

The next regular board meeting is scheduled for Thursday, December 5th at 5:00pm.

Motion by Mayor McLeod, supported by Supervisor Budny, to adjourn at 6:14 pm. The motion passed unanimously.