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Dispatch Technical Advisory Council (TAC) Meeting Minutes

August 16, 2010

1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Blaine County Public Safety Facility

**Attendees:** Beth English, Robin Stellers, Mike Elle, Bart Lassman, Jeff Nevins, Gene Ramsey, Chuck Turner, Mike Chapman, Greg Beaver, Chuck Turner

**Absent:** Ketchum PD, Bellevue Marshal, Sun Valley FD, Sun Valley PD, Carey FD, Hailey PD

**Agenda:**

- Beth English gave an overview of APCO conference and vendors visited. Various CAD systems are being researched. Group discussed the current CAD system and some of the system deficiencies related to CAD and RMS. Group also discussed the importance of thorough research related to future CAD/RMS software purchases and the importance of getting the complete package.
- CAD functionality and education of system along with consistent dispatching techniques were discussed as part of the issue. Fire commented that cross streets are still not being dispatched. Fire Departments are still looking for a software program which automatically transfers CFS information to their reporting system.
- New MDT software and the current MDT units were discussed and the pro and cons of using MobilCOP through Verizon or the 4.9 and 19.2 radio technology.
- Beth English relayed that the FY 2011 was presented to the Commissioners which includes a position for an IT position for the Center.
- Next generation recording systems are being reviewed. These recording systems are complete with text, video, screen capture and QA review for supervisors.
- Emergency notifications systems are being reviewed to consolidate the two current systems in place. Fire would like geographical zones put in as a template for potential emergencies such as avalanches
- Emergency Medical Dispatch software is being reviewed. This will be added to the current CAD system as the interface was already purchased.
- Fire requested call to be reviewed pertaining to (air crash tones) being used for a missing person. Discussion of appropriate times that south county tones should be used.