

Central Emergency Dispatch Policy Board

May 16, 2023
Bloomington Police Department
Training Room
220 E. 3rd Street

Members present: Shannon Bunger, Dustin Dillard, Jayme Washel, Phil Parker

Attendees:

Sarah Taylor
Russell Brummett

Karin Davis

Eli Eccles

Meeting was called to order at 10:02 a.m. by Shannon Bunger, acting Chair in the absence of Captain Ryan Pedigo.

AGENDA

- I. Approval of Minutes: Motion from Dillard for approval of the minutes from March 21, 2023. Seconded by Washel. Motion passed unanimously.
- II. Personnel Update: (Taylor) Dispatch currently has 15 openings that include 3 supervisors, 1 social worker, and 11 dispatchers. Five dispatchers were hired in February and should be released to work on their own by the end of July. Six more will be hired in July and another hiring process will be started in October.
- III. Committee Reports: None - no active committees.
- IV. Statistics: (Davis) There was a slight increase in fire calls from March to April, due to an increase in city fire calls. Law calls jumped by 687 due to an increase of 524 BPD calls. EMS calls saw a decrease of 76. Dispatch is being asked to make more outgoing calls and that number increased from March to April by 458 calls.
- V. Old Business - None.
- VI. New Business:

Claims – motion made by Washel and seconded by Dillard to accept the claims as presented by City and County. Passed unanimously.

Special Budget Session to review and approve the Central Dispatch 2024 Budget will be held on Tuesday, June 27, 2023 at 10am.

Training is ongoing for dispatchers for EPD. The Go Live date is set for July 18, 2023. Material will be coming for disbursement to officers prior to the go live date.

VII. Police/Sheriff/Fire/EMS –

VIII. Public Comment: None

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, July 18, 2023 and will be held in the Bloomington Police Department Training Room at 10am.

Meeting adjourned at 10:15 am.