

WHATCOM COUNTY EMS/TC COUNCIL
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EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES
July 09, 2009

PRESENT: Denise Christensen, WCFD #14, Chair; Leslie Pederson, WCFD #4; Duncan McLane, WCFD #11; Therese Williams, BTC; Keri Snodgrass, council manager

ABSENT: Justin Thompson, Dist 8; Jerry Martin, WCFD #7; Randy VanderHeiden, BFD; Howard Adams, WCFD #9; Kim Cook, Dist #16; John Swobody, NWFRS; Sean Farnand, BFD; Gary Baar, Lynden;

CALL TO ORDER: Denise Christensen called the regularly scheduled July meeting of the Education Committee to order at 1:15.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Meeting minutes from the June meeting were accepted as written.

ACTIVITY REPORTS:

North Region Education Committee: no report

Funding: Keri

Communications: The helmet grant has been received by North Region

WCTOA report: A meeting will be held in September. A Hazmat IQ is scheduled for Sept 12th.

QI committee: They are still working on the draft. It will be presented at the next EMS council meeting. The hospital is involved and is working to get form online to get the info straight to the department involved.

OLD BUSINESS:

Protocols and transport guidelines: Changes made by Duncan will be added. Motion (Leslie/Duncan) to approve the addendum with the changes and post after Dr. Wayne's approval. Justin will have the test to Denise in the next few days.

NEW BUSINESS:

EMT's: Leslie has developed a form for EMT's to be evaluated in the field that requires everyone to take a lead. She will bring to the September meeting.

GOOD OF THE ORDER: With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 1:56. The next meeting will be on September 10th.
