

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL EMERGENCY MEETING OF  
ARKANSAS 911 BOARD SPECIAL MEETING  
July 31, 2020**

A special meeting of the Arkansas 911 Board was held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, July 31, 2020 for the primary purpose of reviewing the applications received from the job postings placed via the Arkansas Democrat-Gazette, the career boards on both the APCO and NENA websites.

The following were in attendance:

**Board**

AJ Gary	Director, AR Division of Emergency Management
Skot Covert	Office of Auditor of State
Shelby Johnson	Director, AR GIS Office
Rusty McMillon	Judge, Greene County
Jamie Pafford-Gresham	Pafford EMS
Robert McGowen	Administrator of Public Safety, Benton County
Brian Presley	911/Dispatch Coordinator, Independence County
Chadwick Henson	Police Chief, City of Trumann PD
Tommy Sizemore	Fire Chief, Barling Voluntary Fire Department
Keith Edmonds	Madison County, OEM
Doug Sprouse	Mayor, City of Springdale
Rodney Wright	Sheriff, Saline County

**Administrator**

Renee Hoover

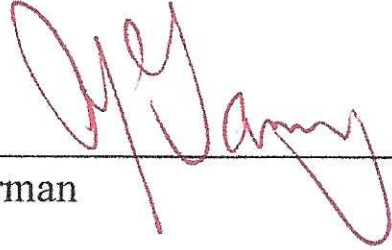
A quorum was declared, and Chairman Gary called the special emergency meeting to order and presided over the meeting.

After careful review of the applications and resumes and after much discussion and deliberation, a motion was presented and passed as presented confirming CJ Engel, Sandra Dyer, and Becky Bacon as the top three candidates for the position of executive director for the Arkansas 911 Board with interviews to be coordinated for the afternoons of Wednesday, August 8, 2020 and Thursday, August 9, 2020.

A motion was presented and passed as presented to schedule a special meeting on Monday, August 10, 2020 for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the position of executive director upon completion of the interview process.

**FROM THE FLOOR**

There being no further business to come before the Board, a motion to adjourn the special emergency meeting carried.

  
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Chairman