

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND
LEGISLATIVE SESSION DAY 2024-16**

RESOLUTION NO. 42-2024

Title of Resolution: Appointments—Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board

Synopsis: A Resolution to confirm the appointment by the County Executive of Deanna Sakers, Randall McLennan, Tracy Streets, Michele Ewing, Leslie Cheyney, Alexander Galien, Chelsea McKinney, Jeffrey Hennemuth, Kimberly Roland, Kelly Frey, Melissa Kinsler, August Pierson, Jr., Charlotte Meck, Deborah Kurtz, and Nathan Stewart; and Ex-Officio Members Wayne Tome, Morganne Castiglione and Robert Muller, to the Cecil County Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board for a three (3) year term to expire June 1, 2027.

Introduced by: Council President at the request of the County Executive

Introduced and ordered posted on: September 3, 2024

Scheduled for consideration on: September 17, 2024

By: _____
Council Manager

Notice and title of Resolution having been posted by September 3, 2024 at the County Administration Building, 200 Chesapeake Blvd., Elkton and consideration by the County Council of Cecil County having been scheduled on September 17, 2024.

By: _____
Council Manager

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1 **WHEREAS**, pursuant to Chapter 34. Emergency Services, Department of; Section 34-4. Emergency
2 Medical Services of the Code of Cecil County, the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board provides
3 oversight of Cecil County’s career EMS Supplement Services; and

4 **WHEREAS**, pursuant to Chapter 16. Boards, Committees, and Commissions; Section Article V.
5 Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board, the Board provides oversight of Cecil County’s career EMS
6 Supplement Services, which are supported by the Department of Emergency Services; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the Board shall function as an advisory role and render recommendations to the
8 County Administration through the Director of Emergency Services on operational issues, which will
9 sustain the career/volunteer relationship that renders the best delivery of Emergency Medical Services to
10 meet the needs of Cecil County; and

11 **WHEREAS**, the Board consists of fifteen (15) voting members, which include nine (9) members
12 representing the nine-volunteer fire/EMS companies; five (5) members representing each of the five
13 councilmanic districts; and one (1) member representing the IAFF Local; and three (3) non-voting
14 Ex-Officio members that include the Director of the Department of Emergency Services; Local Physician
15 EMS Medical Director; and one (1) representative of the Cecil County Firemen’s Association; and

16 **WHEREAS**, Article 4, Section 412 (b) of the Charter of Cecil County provides, except as provided in
17 Section 412(c) or prescribed by State law or other provisions, that the County Executive shall appoint all
18 members of boards and commissions and that such membership shall be subject to confirmation by the
19 Council; and

20 **WHEREAS**, the Board shall continue to serve until their reappointment or until the successors are
21 appointed; and

22 **WHEREAS**, the Board vacancies, except those at the expiration of a term, shall be filled in the same
23 manner as the original appointments and for the rest of the unexpired term; and

24 **WHEREAS**, the County Executive is recommending the following members to the Emergency
25 Medical Services Advisory Board for a three (3) year term, which is to expire on June 1, 2027:

26 Deanna Sakers, representing Cecilton Volunteer Fire Company;

27 Tracy Streets, representing Chesapeake City Volunteer Fire Company;

28 Michele Ewing, representing Singerly Fire Company;

29 Leslie Cheyney, representing North East Fire Company;

30 Alexander Galien, representing Charlestown Fire Company;

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- 31 Chelsea McKinney, representing Community Fire Company of Perryville;
- 32 Jeffrey Hennemuth, representing Water Witch Fire Company of Port Deposit;
- 33 Kimberly Roland, representing Community Fire Company of Rising Sun;
- 34 Kelly Frey, representing Hacks Point Volunteer Fire Company;
- 35 Randall McLennan, representing Councilmanic District 1;
- 36 Melissa Kinsler, representing Councilmanic District 2;
- 37 August Pierson, Jr., representing Councilmanic District 3;
- 38 Charlotte Meck, representing Councilmanic District 4;
- 39 Deborah Kurtz, representing Councilmanic District 5;
- 40 Nathan Stewart, representing IAFF Local 4645;
- 41 Wayne Tome, Director of Emergency Services (Ex-Officio);
- 42 Morganne Castiglione, representing local physician EMS Medical Director (Ex-Officio);
- 43 and Robert Muller, Cecil County Firemen’s Association (Ex-Officio).

44 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY,**
 45 **MARYLAND,** confirms the appointment by the County Executive of Deanna Sakers, Randall McLennan,
 46 Tracy Streets, Michele Ewing, Leslie Cheyney, Alexander Galien, Chelsea McKinney, Jeffrey Hennemuth,
 47 Kimberly Roland, Kelly Frey, Melissa Kinsler, August Pierson, Jr., Charlotte Meck, Deborah Kurtz, and
 48 Nathan Stewart; and Ex-Officio Members Wayne Tome, Morganne Castiglione and Robert Muller for
 49 appointment to the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board for a three (3) year term, which is to
 50 expire on June 1, 2027.

51 **AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF CECIL COUNTY, MARYLAND,** that
 52 this Resolution shall take effect on the date of its passage by the County Council of Cecil County,
 53 Maryland.

INTRODUCED: September 3, 2024

ADOPTED:

President of the Council

ATTEST:

Council Manager