

Monroe County Interoperable Radio Committee

Minutes September 14, 2016

Meeting Called to Order by Sheriff Neil Rohlfing at 7:00 p.m.

No guests present

Approval of Previous meeting minutes- No Quorum present so no vote taken

Old Business:

ISSI Progress: We are waiting for St. Louis County to approve testing on links to Illinois

New Business:

STARCOM 21 upgrade to 7-16 schedule: This will be conducted at the end of the month. (Sept 26 thru Oct 7) Paul has put out the schedule to both dispatch centers.

UPS Maintenance for Sheriff: The batteries for the UPS powering the radios are needing replaced, they only have 49 minutes of back-up power. Sheriff has asked Paul to get a quote to change out and add batteries to increase time. It was brought up that this should be paid for by the 911 board to sustain dispatch operations.

25 Cities Federal Project expansion to Monroe County: The Federal Government would like to expand their capabilities to Monroe County. This would consist of putting a repeater somewhere in the county. The repeater would be purchased by the Federal Government but all maintenance cost would be

covered by Monroe County. The Committee agreed that we should work on this and report at November meeting on final proposal. Also any cost to implement and maintenance cost be presented so decision can be made at that time.

Next meeting will be November 9, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the EOC

Meeting Adjourned

Meeting Attendance:

Paul Tipton: Monroe County EMA

Dan Hannon: Monroe County Sheriff Department

Charles Kujawski: Village of Hecker

Jim Thrantham: Waterloo Police Department

Bob Elmore: County Commissioner

Neal Rohlfing: Monroe County Sheriff Department