

# Southwest Shiawassee Emergency Services Alliance

## Serving Residents as Perry Area Fire Rescue

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### Official Special Meeting Minutes

March 31, 2025

Perry Township Hall, 2770 W. Ellsworth Road, Perry, MI 48872

#### Call to Order

Chairman DeLau called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

#### Pledge to the Flag

#### Attendance Roll Call

**SSESA Board Officers:** Chair-Tim DeLau (City of Perry), Vice Chair – Tom Deming (Burns Township), Treasurer – Troy Parmalee (Perry Township) and Secretary-Lori Godfrey (Antrim Township)

**SSESA Trustees:** Bob Porter (City of Perry), Mark Fraser (Perry Township), Phyllis Dickerson (Village of Morrice), Janet Sprague (Vernon Township) and Bob Peterson (Village of Morrice)

**Absent:** Nick Spaniola (City of Durand), Janet Sprague (Vernon Township) and Jeff Harris-Member at Large (Perry Township).

#### Approval of the Agenda

*Motion by Mr. Parmalee to approve the agenda as presented. Second by Mr. Porter. All infavor.  
Motion carried.*

#### Public Comments (Time limit of 3 minutes)

None

#### Emergency Business

Purchase of New Ambulance – Currently down 2 ambulances. There have been too many repairs and the need for a new ambulance is imminent. Ambulance receiving new chassis won't be ready until June. Due to contract with Memorial, need a new ambulance sooner than June. A11 is at Luft's; they described that there are 3 computer modules and something burned all of them. One of the modules was difficult to get. They are going to make sure short won't happen again. Should be done by end of this week.

Chief Atkins was made aware of an ambulance in NY from MacQueen for \$188,849.00. It is a Crestline and is almost identical to current ambulance. It has an aluminum frame with shelf and is powder coated.

It meets today's safety standards. Ambulance is re-mountable and has a lifetime paint warranty. Chassis is Chevy and is brand-new.

Mr. Parmalee has been working with lender and applied for \$200,000. Payments would be \$44,000/year for 5 years. Ambulance would still need wrap (\$5,000) and radio (\$6,500).

***Mr. Fraser moved to spend up to \$200,000 for Crestline Ambulance from MacQueen. Second by Mr. Deming. A roll call vote resulted in ayes from all voting members present. Motion carried.***

***Motion by Mr. Parmalee to enter into a 5 year lease agreement with Republic Bank. Second by Mr. Fraser. A roll call vote resulted in ayes from all voting members present. Motion carried.***

**Public / Board Comments (Time limit of 3 minutes)**

None

**Motion to Adjourn**

***Motion made by Mr. Parmalee to adjourn. Second by Mrs. Dickerson. All in favor. Motion carried.***

The meeting was adjourned at 7:39 p.m.

**Regular Meeting –April 21, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. at Perry Township Hall, 2770 W. Ellsworth Road, Perry, MI 48872.**