



MARION COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS


Board Session Agenda Review Form

Meeting date: Wednesday, January 25th, 2023, 9:00AM

Department: Health & Human Services Agenda Planning Date: 1/12/23 Time required: 5

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Contact: Sara Taylor Phone: 503-585-4903

Department Head Signature: 

TITLE Ambulance Service Area (ASA) Advisory Committee Appointments

Issue, Description & Background The Ambulance Service Area Advisory Committee represents a cross-section of entities including but not limited to public, private, rural, and urban. Additional members from various stakeholder groups such as healthcare consumers, hospital/health systems, health professionals, and 9-1-1 centers may be sought for appointment from time to time as the committee or board identifies a need. The purpose of the ASA Advisory Committee is to review and make recommendations to the Board of Commissioners regarding the selection criteria for determining a franchise to provide emergency ambulance service and to periodically review the Ambulance Service Area Plan.
Daniel Freitag of Santiam Hospital, Frank Ehrmantraut of Polk County Fire District, and Kyle Amsberry of Salem Fire Department would like to be appointed as members of the ASA Advisory Committee. Sherry Bensema of Lyons Rural Fire Department would like to be reappointed as a member of the ASA Advisory Committee.

Financial Impacts: None

Impacts to Department & External Agencies None

Options for Consideration:
1. Appoint Daniel Freitag of Santiam Hospital, Frank Ehrmantraut of Polk County Fire District, Kyle Amsberry of Salem Fire Department, and reappoint Sherry Bensema of Lyons Rural Fire Department to the Ambulance Service Area Committee for a three-year term ending January 25, 2025.
2. Do not appoint Daniel Freitag of Santiam Hospital, Frank Ehrmantraut of Polk County Fire District, Kyle Amsberry, and do not reappoint Sherry Bensema of Lyons Rural Fire Department of Salem Fire Department to the Ambulance Service Area Committee for a three-year term ending January 25, 2025.

Recommendation: The ASA bylaws allow for up to 12 members. These three appointments will bring the membership count to 12. We recommend to appoint Daniel Freitag, Frank Ehrmantraut, Kyle Amsberry, and reappoint Sherry Bensema to the Ambulance Service Area Committee for a three-year term ending January 25, 2025.

List of attachments: ASA Advisory Committee Membership Roster; Daniel Freitag, Frank Ehrmantraut, Kyle Amsberry, and Sherry Bensema's ASA applications; Board Orders

Presenter: Katrina Griffith



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Copies of completed paperwork sent to the following: (Include names and e-mail addresses.)

Copies to:

Note: Information on this page is considered public record and may be made available upon request.

Name: Daniel Freitag

City of residence: Stayton, Oregon

Business information:

Occupation/business AMbulance Manager, Santiam Hospital

Business address 1401 N 10th Ave

City Stayton, Oregon Zip code 97383 Business telephone 503-769-2175

Business e-mail dfreitag@santiamhospital.org Business fax 503-769-3472

I would like to be considered for the Ambulnace Service Area #7 position on
(lay or representative designation)

the Ambulance Service Area Advisory Committee
(name of committee, board, council, task force or commission)

The reason I am applying for this appointment is

I am the Ambulance Manager for Santiam Hospital and responsible for ASA #7 in Marion County

The personal and professional interests that prompted me to apply for this appointment are

Providing representation for ASA #7. Insuring compliance with the Marion County ASA plan. To provide exceptional prehospital care to residents and visitors of Marion County.

Have you served on any other Marion County board, commission, committee, council, or task force? (If yes, please list)

1. Jefferson Rural Fire Protection District 2.

Please list qualifications and skills you have which you believe would be valuable if you are appointed to this position (include relevant skills, activities, training, and education)

Emergency Medical Technology AAS, 10 years as a paramedic, current Ambulance Manager overseeing daily operations, policy and procedures, and compliance.

What community or school activities, committees or special activities have you participated in?

Jefferson Rural Fire Protection District board member, Nestucca Rural Fire Protection District board member, OHA Trauma Rules Advisory Committee member.

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Application Rcd by: S. Lintner Dept: HR/VS Date: Nov. 17, 2022

Note: Information on this page is considered public record and may be made available upon request.

Name: Frank Ehrmantraut

City of residence: Independence

Business information:

Occupation/business EMS Chief for Polk County Fire District No. 1

Business address 1800 Monmouth St

City Independence , Oregon Zip code 97351 Business telephone 503.838.1510

Business e-mail ehрманtraut.frank@polk1.org Business fax 503.838.1235

I would like to be considered for the Board Member position on
(lay or representative designation)
the Marion County ASA

(name of committee, board, council, task force or commission)

The reason I am applying for this appointment is

I am the EMS Chief for Polk County Fire District No. 1 and responsible for managing our ambulance service. Marion County includes 5.5 square miles that are designated a part of PCFD's ambulance service area.

The personal and professional interests that prompted me to apply for this appointment are
Please see above.

Have you served on any other Marion County board, commission, committee, council, or task force? (If yes, please list)

1. n/a 2. n/a

Please list qualifications and skills you have which you believe would be valuable if you are appointed to this position (include relevant skills, activities, training, and education)

17 years in fire and EMS services at all levels of an organization, BS EMS Administration, MPA

What community or school activities, committees or special activities have you participated in?

I am active in local, regional and state organizations for the purposes of advancing EMS.

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Note: Information on this page is considered public record and may be made available upon request.

Name: Kyle Amsberry

City of residence: Sublimity

Business information:

Occupation/business Salem Fire Department

Business address 370 Trade ST SE

City Salem, Oregon Zip code 97301 Business telephone (503) 588-6245

Business e-mail kamsberry@cityofsalem.net

Business fax

I would like to be considered for the ASA Board Appointed position on
(lay or representative designation)
the Marion County ASA

(name of committee, board, council, task force or commission)

The reason I am applying for this appointment is

I am currently the Deputy Chief of Training & EMS for the Salem Fire Department. In this position I work closely with the ASA members and local EMS agencies.

The personal and professional interests that prompted me to apply for this appointment are
As the EMS training representative for the Fire Department, it is important to be involved in the current issues and updates within the EMS community and ASA.

Have you served on any other Marion County board, commission, committee, council, or task force? (If yes, please list)

1. Sublimity Fire Dept Board of Directors

2. _____

Please list qualifications and skills you have which you believe would be valuable if you are appointed to this position (include relevant skills, activities, training, and education)

Currently the Deputy Chief of Training & EMS for the Salem Fire Department. I have been Paramedic for over 25 years within the Salem area.

What community or school activities, committees or special activities have you participated in?

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Note: Information on this page is considered public record and may be made available upon request.

Name: Sherry A Bensema

City of residence: non incorpearted area

Business information:

Occupation/business EMS Coordinator / Lyons Rural Fire Protection District

Business address 1114 Main Street

City Lyons , Oregon Zip code 97358 Business telephone 503-859-2012

Business e-mail lyonsambulance@gmail.com Business fax 503-859-2340

I would like to be considered for the Member position on
the Marion County ASA Committee (lay or representative designation)

(name of committee, board, council, task force or commission)

The reason I am applying for this appointment is

I have served on the ASA Committee formany years and have found that it is essential to operations of ambulance providers in Maion County. And as a way to provide input into a system.

The personal and professional interests that prompted me to apply for this appointment are

I work in EMS in Marion and Linn Counties and live in the service area that these committes provide recommendations to the County Commissioners with. It is important to me to be engaged in the process and to provide my time to improve the service in Marion County.

Have you served on any other Marion County board, commission, committee, council, or task force? (If yes, please list)

1. MTAC Radio Committee 2. Justice Reinvestmetn Council

Please list qualifications and skills you have which you believe would be valuable if you are appointed to this position (include relevant skills, activities, training, and education)

I have worked in EMS for for 27 years, and provide oversite and supervision to a large portion of Marion County. I am familiar with State requirements and rules that regulate ambulance providers.

What community or school activities, committees or special activities have you participated in?

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ASA Roster

ASA BOC Appointed Administrator: Katrina Griffith	Marion County Health & Human Services Deputy Director	KGriffith@co.marion.or.us
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APPOINTED MEMBERS	CITY	AMBULANCE SERVICE AREA	AGENCY	EMAIL	ASSIGNMENT START DATE	ASSIGNMENT END DATE
Baird, Shawn	Woodburn	ASA 5	Woodburn Ambulance Service	shawnb@woodburnamb.com	3/3/21	1/31/24
Bensema, Sherry	Stayton	ASA 6	Lyons Rural FPD	lyonsambulance@gmail.com	2/5/20	1/31/23
Bjorklund, Mark	Salem	ASA 4	Marion County Fire District #1	markb@mcfd1.com	3/3/21	1/31/24
Butler, Brian	Keizer	ASA 2	Keizer Fire District	bbutler@keizerfire.com	12/9/20	1/31/24
Hall, Loren	Woodburn	N/A - PSAP	Metcom	lorenmichelehall@live.com	3/3/21	1/31/24
Heesacker, Scott	Woodburn		Woodburn Fire District	scott.heesacker@woodburnfire.com	2/5/22	1/31/25
McClung, Stephanie	Jefferson	ASA 8	Jefferson Rural Fire District	smcclung@jeffersonfire.org	1/26/22	1/31/25
Mullen, Daniel	St. Paul	ASA 3	St. Paul Rural Fire Protection District	danman_82@yahoo.com	1/26/22	1/31/25
Shivers, Rebecca	Turner	ASA 9	Turner Rural Fire Protection District	rebeccas@turnerfire.com	1/26/22	1/31/25

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR MARION COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of Appointing)
Daniel Freitag to the Ambulance)
Service Area Advisory Committee)

ORDER No. ____

This matter came before the Marion County Board of Commissioners at its regularly scheduled public meeting on January 25th, 2023, to consider the appointment of a new member to the Ambulance Service Area (ASA) Advisory Committee;

WHEREAS, Marion County code 5.20.200 establishes an ASA Advisory Committee to review and ensure compliance with the ASA plan and make recommendations to the ASA Plan Administrator; and

WHEREAS, Marion County Code 5.20.200 requires that members of the ASA Advisory Committee be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the board for a term not to exceed three years; and

WHEREAS, the board finds that Daniel Freitag is qualified and willing to serve on the ASA Committee; now, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Daniel Freitag is appointed to the ASA Advisory Committee for a term ending January 25, 2026.

DATED this 25th day of January 2023.

Marion County Board of Commissioners

Chair

Commissioner

Commissioner

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR MARION COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of Appointing)
Frank Ehrmantraut to the Ambulance)
Service Area Advisory Committee)

ORDER No. ____

This matter came before the Marion County Board of Commissioners at its regularly scheduled public meeting on January 25th, 2023, to consider the appointment of a new member to the Ambulance Service Area (ASA) Advisory Committee;

WHEREAS, Marion County code 5.20.200 establishes an ASA Advisory Committee to review and ensure compliance with the ASA plan and make recommendations to the ASA Plan Administrator; and

WHEREAS, Marion County Code 5.20.200 requires that members of the ASA Advisory Committee be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the board for a term not to exceed three years; and

WHEREAS, the board finds that Frank Ehrmantraut is qualified and willing to serve on the ASA Committee; now, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Frank Ehrmantraut is appointed to the ASA Advisory Committee for a term ending January 25, 2026.

DATED this 25th day of January 2023.

Marion County Board of Commissioners

Chair

Commissioner

Commissioner

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR MARION COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of Appointing)
Kyle Amsberry to the Ambulance)
Service Area Advisory Committee)

ORDER No. ____

This matter came before the Marion County Board of Commissioners at its regularly scheduled public meeting on January 25th, 2023, to consider the appointment of a new member to the Ambulance Service Area (ASA) Advisory Committee;

WHEREAS, Marion County code 5.20.200 establishes an ASA Advisory Committee to review and ensure compliance with the ASA plan and make recommendations to the ASA Plan Administrator; and

WHEREAS, Marion County Code 5.20.200 requires that members of the ASA Advisory Committee be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the board for a term not to exceed three years; and

WHEREAS, the board finds that Kyle Amsberry is qualified and willing to serve on the ASA Committee; now, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Kyle Amsberry is appointed to the ASA Advisory Committee for a term ending January 25, 2026.

DATED this 25th day of January 2023.

Marion County Board of Commissioners

Chair

Commissioner

Commissioner

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR MARION COUNTY, OREGON

In the matter of Reappointing)
Sherry Bensema to the Ambulance)
Service Area Advisory Committee)

ORDER No. ____

This matter came before the Marion County Board of Commissioners at its regularly scheduled public meeting on January 25th, 2023, to consider the reappointment of a member to the Ambulance Service Area (ASA) Advisory Committee;

WHEREAS, Marion County code 5.20.200 establishes an ASA Advisory Committee to review and ensure compliance with the ASA plan and make recommendations to the ASA Plan Administrator; and

WHEREAS, Marion County Code 5.20.200 requires that members of the ASA Advisory Committee be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the board for a term not to exceed three years; and

WHEREAS, the board finds that Sherry Bensema is qualified and willing to serve on the ASA Committee; now, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Sherry Bensema is reappointed to the ASA Advisory Committee for a term ending January 25, 2026.

DATED this 25th day of January 2023.

Marion County Board of Commissioners

Chair

Commissioner

Commissioner