

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS INFORMATIONAL MEETING REGARDING EMERGENCY
MEDICAL SERVICES**

The Public Informational Meeting was called to order by Chairperson Powers on Monday, July 2, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Oceana County Services Building.

Mr. Powers led all attendees in the pledge of allegiance. All commissioners and the County Administrator were present.

Mr. Powers made an opening statement explaining why the idea of contracting for emergency medical services is under consideration.

Mr. Powers asked Mr. Sebolt to make an opening statement. Mr. Sebolt explained why contracting for services is being explored and clarified what it means to privatize a business operation, which commissioners are not considering at this time.

Mr. Powers called on each commissioner of offer opening statements. Mr. Brown, Mr. Gustafson, Mr. Byl, and Mr. Walker made a few remarks. Ms. Meyette did not have an opening statement.

Mr. Powers asked members of the public to begin sharing their remarks with the commissioners. To allow the most people to participate, Mr. Powers asked that remarks be limited to five minutes each. And, if there were any prepared statements that individuals wanted placed on file to be sure and turn them before leaving the meeting.

Approximately 21 people read prepared statements or provided oral remarks to the commissioners. Seven copies of prepared statements were turned into Mr. Powers to become part of the official record of the meeting.

There being no further business to discuss, Chairperson Powers adjourned the meeting at 8:35 p.m.

Respectfully,

Robert J. Sobie, County Administrator
for
Rebecca J. Griffin
Oceana County Clerk