

Charles County Department of Emergency Services

JEDI Council

Location: Emergency Operations Center (EOC)

Date: November 30, 2023

Time: 9:08 am

Attendance

Kathryn Knott, Caitland Kelshaw (had to get off due to a response call), Robert Phillips, Britney Wallace (had to get off due to a response call), James Garner, Kellie Maske, Edward Schultz, and Myra Tayman

Renesha Miles was present.

Discussion Items

1. We need to follow up with Brent on the status of the video.
 - Rob – I think the JEDI video should be mandatory for all employees.
2. Budget – forms are to be submitted by Monday. The committee agreed to ask for \$20,000.
3. Rob – Where are we at with the shirts?
4. There's a rumor that some of the personnel from the previous academy are not being released because of their race.
 - Renesha suggested that Katie as the Chair approach Chief Cherry about the rumor. This rumor is definitely under JEDI scope. They will need details and names to investigate. The committee should be notified that this incident was reviewed and taken care of. They are not to receive detail information about it.
 - Kellie – We will need to advise employees upfront that information will be disclosed.

Action Items

1. Myra introduced herself. She is representing Animal Control.
2. Minutes of September 25, 2023, and October 26, 2023, were approved. James motioned and Ed seconded.
3. Next meeting will be December 28, 2023, at 9:00 am.

Other Notes

Meeting adjourned at 9:48 am.