

IDAPA 16 - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE

16.01.07 - EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS) -- PERSONNEL LICENSING REQUIREMENTS

DOCKET NO. 16-0107-1502

NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROMULGATE RULES - NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING

AUTHORITY: In compliance with Sections 67-5220(1) and 67-5220(2), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency intends to promulgate rules and desires public comment prior to initiating formal rulemaking procedures. This negotiated rulemaking action is authorized pursuant to Section 56-1023, Idaho Code.

MEETING SCHEDULE: Public meetings for negotiated rulemaking will be held as follows.:

ALL MEETINGS BEGIN AT 7 P.M., LOCAL TIME

Tuesday, April 7, 2015
Vendome Events Center
309 State St.
Weiser, ID

Tuesday, April 7, 2015
Bonner Co. Administration Bldg.
1500 Hwy 2, 1st Floor
Sandpoint, ID

Wednesday, April 8, 2015
Marsing Rural Fire Dept
303 Main St.
Marsing, ID

Wednesday, April 8, 2015
Kootenai County Emergency
Medical Services
4381 W. Seltice Way
Coeur d'Alene, ID

Thursday, April 9, 2015
Saint Maries Fire Protection Dist.
220 S. 9th Street
Saint Maries, ID

Monday, April 13, 2015
Mud Lake Ambulance
1068 E. 1500 N.
Terreton, ID

Tuesday, April 14, 2015
Rexburg City Hall
35 N. 1st E.
Rexburg, ID

Wednesday, April 15, 2015
Armory
555 N. Hwy 33
Driggs, ID

Thursday, April 16, 2015
Greater Swan Valley Fire Protection
District #2
15 Highway 31
Swan Valley, ID

Tuesday, April 21, 2015
Elmore County Services Facility
2257 E. 8th N.
Mountain Home, ID

Tuesday, April 21, 2015
Gritman Medical Center
700 South Main St.
Moscow, ID

Wednesday, April 22, 2015
Idaho State Historical Society
2205 Old Penitentiary Rd.
Boise, ID

Wednesday, April 22, 2015
Syringa Hospital
Community Education Center
600 W. Main St.
Grangeville, ID 83530

Thursday, April 23, 2015
Riggins City Hall
126 N. Main St.
Riggins, ID

Monday, April 27, 2015
Bear Lake County Ambulance
17 Cemetery Rd.
Montpelier, ID

Tuesday, April 28, 2015
Oneida County Ambulance
85 E. 505
Malad, ID

Wednesday, April 29, 2015
Idaho Falls City Hall
680 Park Ave.
Idaho Falls, ID

Tuesday, May 5, 2015
McCall Fire Department
201 Deinhard Ln.
McCall, ID

ALL MEETINGS BEGIN AT 7 P.M., LOCAL TIME

Monday, May 11, 2015
Life Run Ambulance
1235 Miller Rd.
Burley, ID

Tuesday, May 12, 2015
South Custer Fire District
105 Cedar St.
Mackay, ID

Wednesday, May 13, 2015
Brooklyn Annex Building
200 Fulton St., Suite 102
Salmon, ID

Thursday, May 14, 2015
Stanley Fire and
EMS Training Center
510 Eva Falls Rd.
Stanley, ID

Each meeting site will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Requests for accommodation must be made not later than five (5) days prior to the meeting, to the agency address below.

METHOD OF PARTICIPATION: Persons wishing to participate in the negotiated rulemaking may do any of the following:

1. Attend the negotiated rulemaking meetings and participate in the negotiation process;
2. Provide oral or written recommendations, or both, at the negotiated rulemaking meetings;
3. Submit written recommendations and comments to the following, on or before May 15, 2015:

Bruce Cheeseman
Idaho Department of Health & Welfare
Bureau of Emergency Medical Services
PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0036
FAX: (208) 334-4015

Hand Deliver to:
2224 Old Penitentiary Rd.
Boise, ID 83712

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: The following is a nontechnical explanation of the substance and purpose of the rulemaking:

These rules are being amended to update continuing education and personnel licensing requirements to meet the ever-changing technology and techniques used to protect the health and safety of the public in the provision of emergency medical services (EMS).

The negotiated rulemaking meetings listed above will allow stakeholders to provide their input concerning "EMS Personnel Licensing" rules that will need to be revised and updated to align with a new chapter of rule that is being negotiated for education.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS, SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: For assistance on technical questions concerning the negotiated rulemaking, contact Bruce Cheeseman at (208) 334-4004. A preliminary draft of these rules will be available online April 3, 2015 at www.IdahoEMS.org.

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this negotiated rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before Friday, May 15, 2015.

DATED this 6th Day of March, 2015.

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