

CHAPTER 92
COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS COUNCIL

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92.01 CREATION OF COUNCIL. There is hereby established a County Communications Council which shall have such duties and responsibilities as hereinafter set forth.

92.02 MEMBERSHIP. Members to the Council shall be appointed by the County Administrator, subject to confirmation of the County Board, which members shall be from the following agencies, disciplines, or areas of expertise of at least twelve (12), but not to exceed a total of fourteen (14) members:

- (a) Volunteer fire departments (2);
- (b) Law enforcement–City;
- (c) Law enforcement–County;
- (d) Private ambulance services;
- (e) Public safety services;
- (f) County government;
- (g) City government;
- (h) Emergency government;
- (i) County information systems;
- (j) City information systems;
- (k) County communications and electronics technician;
- (l) Members at large (up to 2).

Such members shall be volunteers who agree to serve without pay.

92.03 COUNCIL ORGANIZATION. The officers of the Council shall be a Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, and Secretary who shall be elected by members of the Council.

92.04 DUTIES. The Council shall operate in an advisory capacity to the Law Committee and shall have the following duties:

- (a) The Council shall produce, maintain, and update a current emergency communications system plan for Sheboygan County.
- (b) The Council shall identify problems and needs of existing emergency communications systems.
- (c) The Council shall develop plans and goals for changing and upgrading emergency communications systems within Sheboygan County, as applicable.
- (d) The Council shall have responsibility for county-wide coordination of all emergency communications systems within Sheboygan County.
- (e) The Council shall carry out such other duties as may from time to time be assigned to it by the Law Committee of the County Board.

92.05 STAFF SERVICES. The Operations Division of the Sheriff's Department shall provide staff services for the Council and shall act as liaison to the Law Committee.

92.06 COUNCIL MEETINGS. The Council shall meet quarterly. Special meetings may be called pursuant to any additional rules of order as may be adopted by the Council. Meetings will be open and notices of said meetings shall be posted in advance as required by the Wisconsin Open Meetings Law (Wis. Stat. §§ 19.81 through 19.98).

92.07 RULES OF ORDER AND OPERATING PROCEDURES. The Council may, by majority vote, establish such additional rules of order and operating procedures as it determines necessary, except such rules shall not be inconsistent with the authority herein granted.

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