

## Madeline Island Ambulance Service Report

December 15, 2020

In November we had two runs. One was a transport and one was a non-transport.

On-line classes have started with our students and they should be ready to take their exams before spring. We have a candidate that is an RN. All she needs to do is fill out an application with the state and she can join the service. I am working with her to complete her paperwork, get a CPR refresher scheduled and get her paperwork done with the town. She has extensive experience as a trauma and emergency room nurse. I think she will make a great addition to the crew.

We held our regular monthly meeting at the town garage. The training meeting this month will be individual meetings with each member to go over their service award and good standing status. It will give them each a chance to let us know what we can do better at and what they would like the service to do in addition or differently.

We continue to hold the monthly council meetings on Zoom. the rise in cases in our area of COVID-19 has been the main topic of discussion. I feel we are prepared as we can be at this point. We have a good stock of PPE and good protocols in place. Our Medical Director is right in the thick of things in Duluth and continues to encourage to stay at home, distanced and masked.

I have had phone calls from the Dorothy Tank with EMS to determine how many doses of vaccine our crew will require. We are doing a poll to see who may not want the vaccine. We are hoping to hear of the arrival of our doses and how, where and when they will be administered.

We are still working on details for the ESB. We will remain at the County Garage until we can move in completely. We do not want to be separated from our supplies, offices, etc. I want to thank everyone who has helped and approved our choices for the ESB. We are counting the days until we can move and settle in.

Respectfully Submitted,

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