



Scottsville Volunteer Rescue Squad
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Dan Eggleston
Chief, ACFR
460 Stagecoach Road
Charlottesville, Va. 22902

December 9, 2018

Dear Chief Eggleston:

It is with deep regret that in my capacity as Chairman of the Board of the Scottsville Volunteer Rescue Squad I must formally request that ACFR take over the day to day operation of our squad with effect immediately. Our squad has been in existence for many years and has provided a vital service to our community; however, recently we have been unable to attract sufficient membership to be able to provide a level of service that is anywhere near the equivalent of the service received by the balance of the county.

We are hopeful that under the leadership of ACFR we can attract, train and promote a sufficient number of volunteers to be able to rebuild our squad to a standard that is acceptable, but in the short to intermediate term we cannot do so.

Our hope is that having a county employee as chief and utilizing paid staff as well as our volunteers the citizens of Southern Albemarle County will receive emergency medical service equivalent to that received by the rest of the county.

In making this request we understand and acknowledge that the county will have to make difficult decisions; your appointed chief will be the final authority on what volunteers run duty and on all other operational questions. We will make ourselves available to you to the extent you deem it worthwhile and we will cooperate in the transition in any way we can.

We would like to meet as soon as possible to begin working out the details of this transition. I am available to come to your office at any time, and I am sure my fellow board members and officers will make themselves available as well. I will contact your office shortly to determine with whom we should liaise in making this transition as quickly as possible.

Last, we have been working for some time with your organization to try and find our way through our difficulties. We thank you for your guidance, support and candor during this time.

Respectfully,

S. John Waits
Chairman of the Board



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In support:

Members of the Board:

John Smith

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Edward Payne

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Barbara Brochu

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Peter Lee

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Officers:

Phyllis Johnson- President

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Gloria Newton- Vice President

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Brian Cropp- Chief

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