



Board of Governors
Wednesday - April 15, 2026
Noon

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Meeting Agenda

- Noon** I. **Call to Order and Introduction of Guests** - *Ryan Southworth, DO*
- 12:05 pm** II. **Approval of Minutes** **Action**
- 12:10 pm** III. **Executive Director's Report**
A. Monthly Activities
B. AZDHS Contract FY26 **Status**
- 12:15 pm** IV. **Board Officer's Report**
A. Treasurer's Report - *Roy Ryals*
1. Financial Reports **Action**
2. 2026 Membership Campaign <https://aems.org/membership>
B. Chair's Report - *Ryan Southworth, DO*
1. Executive Committee Report
a. Survey/Outreach/Strategic Plan
2. Regional Update Report
a. Central Region EMS Medical Directors Consortium
1. Central Regional EMS Guidelines Updates - *Ryan Southworth, MD*
b. ROCC - *Cori Hayes*
c. Rural
1. County Reports - Gila, Pinal, and Maricopa
2. Arizona Fire District Association
3. Open Forum
AEMS is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that serves as a Regional EMS Coordinating Council on behalf of the Arizona Department of Health Services, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services & Trauma System. AEMS is bound by Arizona State Statute to represent all participants in the EMS system in Maricopa, Pinal and Gila Counties. As such, AEMS provides a platform for communications among all agencies involved that are active in the management of patients across the broader AEMS region. We seek to improve patient outcomes and are grateful for any ideas from any agency, individual, or member of public to be brought forward at this time.
C. Board Transitions
1. Elections **Action**
2. Vacancies
- 12:45 pm** V. **State Report**
A. BEMSTS Activities and Updates - *Chris Hale*
B. SHARE Update
C. The Arizona Pre-Hospital Information & EMS Registry System (AZ-PIERS)
D. Pediatric - *Savanah Sandlin*
E. State Committees - *Designated AEMS Representatives*

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VI. Functional Group Review

- A. Planning & Outreach
 - 1. Education Committee
 - a. New Chairs
 - b. EMS Odyssey Conference - June 11, 2026 <https://aems.org/odyssey>
 - c. EMS CE Fall Forum - December 10, 2026
 - 2. Outreach
 - a. Contact Updates ALL Agencies/Hospitals
- B. Patient Management - *Ryan Southworth, DO*
 - 1. Categorization - *Marty Murphy*
 - a. Status Change Form: <https://aems.org/categorization>
 - 2. Transfer of Care
 - a. Sector Reports
 - 3. RED Book Update
 - 4. Phoenix Stroke Center Coalition - *Garth Gemar, MD*
 - 5. Trauma
 - 6. Additional Reports

1:50 pm VII. Program and Committee Reports

VIII. Old Business

IX. New Business

X. Call to Public

2:00 pm XI. Adjournment

<p>Next AEMS Board of Governors Meeting:</p> <p>June 17, 2026 Noon Zoom</p> <p>https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/jBR4_vXNRQSiZK_XGdWdWg</p>	<p>Next AEMS Functional Group Meetings:</p> <p>May 20, 2026 10:00 am Zoom</p> <p>https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/QA5rdLwJSYC8or-3Uk7-mA</p>
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During the Board meeting, we request that all Board Members and Guests keep your devices on mute. If you desire to ask a question, you may unmute, raise your hand, or send a question via chat. Thank you.