MONTEREY COUNTY FIRE CHIEF ASSOCIATION
ORGANIZATION CHART – Revised January 16, 2017

Monterey County Board of Supervisors

California State Fire Chief's Association

Elected Boards & Councils for each jurisdiction

COUNTY APPOINTMENTS

MONTEREY COUNTY FIRE CHIEF'S ASSOCIATION

Gaudenz Panholzer – President

Doug McCoun– Vice President

Brennan Blue- Sec/Tres.

SECTIONS

Cal Chiefs

Ed Rodriguez – NorCal #7 Dir
Scott Houchin – EMS Section
Joe Pastore – Mechanics Section
Gaudenz Panholzer -- STEAC

Fire Warden

Brennan Blue

MCECC-Operations

Gaudenz Panholzer – Cities
Brian Dempsey – Member At Large

GAA / UASI

Rodriguez – GAA City Fire Rep

Orman – GAA Fire District Rep

Dempsey/McCoun – Joint Fire/Law Chiefs' Approval Group

Chris Vaughn – UASI/CBRNE T&E

Rodriguez/Dempsey – UASI – Hub/Advisory Sub-Comm.

Panholzer – UASI Risk Management

Dempsey – GAA City Fire Alternate

Area Fire Coord.

Brennan Blue
Brett Loomis- Alternate
Ron Lemos- Alternate

Training

Pres. – Doug Dirksen
V.P. – Dave Wilcox
Sec.– Michael Smith
Tres – Tammera Badano

Develop program of training to meet the mission and goals of the fire service in Monterey County

Fire and Arson Investigators

Pres. – Robert Foxworthy
V.P. – Paul Blaha
Sec.– Art Black
Tres – Jennifer Valdez

Work to decrease loss of life & property by identifying the cause and origin of fires.

Fire Prevention

Pres. – Sichel Young
V.P. – Dorothy Priolo
Sec.– Art Black
Tres – Art Black

Develop & Review fire prevention and public education programs to decrease loss of life & property

SUB COMITTEES

EMS

- EMS OPERS – Scott Houchin, Eric Ulwelling
- EMCC (ALS) – Edmond Rodriguez
- EMCC (BLS) – Martha Karstens
- EMS MAC – Scott Houchin

Composed of the Chief's reps to EMS Agency Committees. Working to enhance EMS provision in the County and enhance the role of fire service in EMS.

EMS LIAISON

Pres - Scott Houchin
V.P. – Don Harvey
Sec – Blake Sardina

Monitors and addresses EMS needs of field units.

Operations

Paul Blaha - Chair

Haz-Mat Plan
High Rise Plan
Fire Ground Safety
Special Ops Plan

Maintain updated:
Operations Manual
Mutual Aid Plan
Communications Plan
MCI Plan
Disaster Planning

DFD

David Sargenti - Chair

Composed of agency reps to to maintain and improve CAD and dispatch operations