

Sandoval County Amateur Radio Emergency Service



Regular Meeting

September 21, 2020

Meeting held at Rio Rancho Fire Admin Bldg. (due to covid-19, met outside, social distant, wear face masks)

Meeting call to order by Ben-KD5DCN at 7:00 pm.

10 members and 1 visitor were present.

Treasurers report was not available.

Tom-W5THS reminded that with election of officers at the January 2021 meeting, dues must be paid by the end of November so you can vote.

Ben-KD5DCN reported that the spectrum analyzer belonging to Sandoval county is missing. If anyone knows where it is contact Ben.

David-N6SIK relived a serious accident he and his wife were in the first part of this month.

TRAILER: Ben-KD5DCN built 2 sets of portable steps. Gary-K5BIQ painted and applied a non-slip strip to each step. Brian-KI5JOP has sealed the center seam of the outside roof. He has started to put a coat of reflective coating to the roof. Tom-W5THS reported he has installed (3) antenna mounting plates on the curb side. He requested that we purchase (3) NMO mounts and coax. Gary-K5BIQ will order.

Ryan Slota-KG5NXX Communications Administrator Sandoval County OEM spoke on the new Sandoval County OEM Communications Support Team (OEMCST). Which is a reboot of the program that Mike Scales was working on. The County is also starting a CERT program. The people on the OEMCST will have other duties beside comms. A pandemic vaccine distribution is unknown as the current vaccine currently talked about is deep frozen version so a distribution method is unknown. The County EOC will be moving from Station 43 to the former transportation building at the county complex off of Idalia Rd.

Meeting was adjourned.

Tom – W5THS

Secretary