

STATE OF ILLINOIS
DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE

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| Kankakee County ETSB | : | |
| | : | Case No. 20-M-266 |
| Application for 9-1-1 | : | |
| Modification Plan | : | |

ORDER OF THE STATEWIDE 9-1-1 ADMINISTRATOR

I. Introduction

On April 29, 2020, the Kankakee County ETSB (“Applicant”) filed a Plan Modification Application with the Department of the Illinois State Police (“Department”) pursuant to the Emergency Telephone System Act (“ETSA”) 50 ILCS 750/ and 83 Ill. Admin. Code 1325 “Standards of Service Applicable to 9-1-1 Emergency Systems” (“Part 1325”). Applicant seeks authorization to close a PSAP and to change its backup PSAP.

The Kankakee County ETSB supported the Plan Modification with documentary materials, including a narrative statement explaining the purpose for modifying the Applicant’s existing 9-1-1 plan and a network diagram.

The Office of the 9-1-1 Administrator is authorized to coordinate the modification of systems established under the ETSA. In order to secure compliance with the technical and operational standards for the development of local agency systems, the ETSA empowers the Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator to approve or disapprove plans submitted by the public agencies. Standards of service applicable to 9-1-1 emergency systems, as adopted by the Department, are set forth in 83 Ill. Adm. Code Part 1325.

II. Description of Applicant

Applicant operates the 9-1-1 emergency services program in Kankakee County, Illinois. The Office of the Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator (“Administrator”) approved Applicant’s 9-1-1 system in Consolidation No. 16-C-107. The system became operational in November 2016 and operates with two Public Safety Answering Points, located at the Kankakee County Communication Center (KanComm) located at 2380 West Station Street, Kankakee, Illinois 60901 and the Bradley PSAP located at 147 South Michigan Avenue, Bradley, Illinois 60915.

III. Purposed and Description of Proposed Modification

Applicant is requesting to close the Bradley PSAP and is seeking to change their backup PSAP to the Grundy County Consolidated 911 Center.

On May 26, 2020, Marci Elliott, 911 Manager, Statewide 9-1-1 Bureau filed a Technical Review to the Application. The Technical Review met the requirements of 83 Illinois Administrative Code Part 1325.

The Plan Modification was filed pursuant to the Emergency Telephone System Act ("ETSA"), 50 ILCS 750, *et seq.* The purpose of the Act is "to establish the number "9-1-1" as the primary emergency telephone number for use in this State and to encourage units of local government and a combination of such units to develop and improve emergency communication procedures and facilities in such a manner as to be able to quickly respond to any person calling the telephone number "9-1-1" seeking police, fire, medical, rescue and other emergency services." 50 ILCS 750/1

IV. Findings and Ordering Paragraphs

WHEREAS, the Kankakee County ETSB submitted a modification plan with the Department of the Illinois State Police on April 29, 2020, seeking to close a PSAP and to change their backup PSAP.

WHEREAS the modification plan has been read and reviewed by the Department and the Administrator; and

WHEREAS the modification plan seeks to close the Bradley PSAP; and

WHEREAS the modification plan seeks to change their backup PSAP to the Grundy County Consolidated 911 Center; and

WHEREAS the Grundy County Consolidated 911 Center, located at 78 West Lowery Road, Morris, Illinois 60450, meets all the requirements for a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) as prescribed in Section 1325.415 of the Illinois Administrative Code Part 1325 – Standards of Service Applicable to 9-1-1 Emergency Systems as it is currently a Primary PSAP.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator that the Kankakee County ETSB's request for approval of its modification plan as follows:

Kankakee County ETSB will be closing the Bradley PSAP and will be changing their backup PSAP from the Bradley PSAP to the Grundy County Consolidated 911 Center located at 78 West Lowry Road, Morris, Illinois 60450 pursuant to 83 Ill. Admin. Code 1325 "Standards of Service Applicable to 9-1-1 Emergency Systems" ("Part 1325"), is hereby approved subject to the requirements of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Kankakee County ETSB modifications can be completed within 10 days from the date of this Order.

This Order is a final administrative decision of the Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator subject to review under the Administrative Review Law, 735 ILCS

5/3-101. In the event you wish to seek review of or appeal this Order, you are advised:

1. Every action seeking review of such final decision shall be commenced by the filing of a Complaint and the issuance of Summons in the Circuit Court within 35 days from the date a copy of the decision was served upon the parties.
2. In your action seeking review you must name in the Complaint, and issue a Summons for, each party of record to the case other than yourself.
3. Attached below is a list of all parties of record to this case, including the name and address of the agency or officer entering the Order, and the addresses of each party where the parties may be served with pleadings, notices, or service of process for any review or further proceedings.
4. You are not required to file any motion or request for reconsideration with the Department or the Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator before filing your action for review in the Circuit Court. The administrative rules of the Department do not require or allow for any further proceedings before the Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator.

Name of Officer who entered the final Order:

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ENTERED: This 28th day of May 2020.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cindy Barbera-Brelle". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Cindy Barbera-Brelle
Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing document were served upon all parties listed below by electronic mail on May 28, 2020.



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