

**Minutes of the Regular Meeting
of the
Greene County Emergency Medical Service Board
August 19, 2025**

The regular meeting of the Greene County Emergency Medical Service Board was held in the Commissioners' Room of the Greene County Courthouse on August 19, 2025, at 10:30 a.m. Present in person were Ed Michael, Troy Gaither, Brad Norton, Ron Lehman, and George Dallaire. Also present in person were the Board's attorney Marvin Abshire and GCAS Director David Simpson.

Ed Michael called the meeting to order.

There was submitted for review and approval, the minutes from the July 15, 2025, regular meeting and the July 15, 2025, executive session. Brad Norton moved, and Troy Gaither seconded, to waive the reading and approve both sets of minutes as presented. George Dallaire and Ron Lehman abstained. The motion passed 3-0-1.

Ed Michael introduced newly hired Greene County Ambulance Service Director David Simpson Jr., having filled the role of former Director Doug Hall, who resigned from the position. David Simpson shared information about himself and noted the GCAS is here to serve each and every citizen regardless of where they came from. David also noted he will be making changes in the department. The board expressed appreciation for Doug Hall's service to the department.

Director David Simpson updated the board as follows:

1. The ambulance mileage report was provided. David noted two units are out of service due to air conditioning and coolant issues. David further noted there is still a back-up unit if needed.
2. A second truck will be staffed from 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. each day for the Wagler Motor Sports weekend event.
3. No major repairs were reported.
4. GCAS had 392 calls in July 2025, with 12% not transported. David is finding not all dispatches have record, so now all dispatches will produce record even if an ambulance does not run.
5. David is working on placement of staff and continued training. The new training officer is Samantha Norton and Team 3 new supervisor will be Jeff Henico.
6. David is working on hiring a replacement for his former position with the service and in the meantime, he is still covering shifts.
7. Troy Gaither noted professionalism, training, and accountability are all at issue.

8. Revenue for July 2025 was \$151,495.75, down \$435.65 compared to last year's monthly total at this time.

George Dallaire raised the question about a dedicated transfer truck. Troy Gaither noted the hospital has 70-80 transfers every month and that timeliness is still a concern. Troy further noted the GCAS does a good job on urgent transports and having an extra truck would be beneficial.

There being no further business, George Dallaire moved, and Ron Lehman seconded, to adjourn. The motion passed 5-0.

APPROVED this 16th day of September, 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Abshire', is written above a horizontal line.

Marvin R. Abshire, Secretary