



North Georgia Region 2 Emergency Medical Services Council
Dawsonville, GA 30534
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March 16, 2026

Trampes Stancil
Chairman

Hall County Commissioners' Office
P.O. Drawer 1435
Gainesville, GA 30503

Terrell Partain
Vice-Chair

Dear Commission Chairman / County Clerk,

Spencer Masiewicz
M.D.
Regional Medical Director

On behalf of the Region 2 EMS Advisory Council, I am asking for an appointment from you for the Regional Emergency Medical Services Advisory Council to represent your county. This Council is the designated Local Coordinating Entity (LCE) to recommend to the Georgia Department of Public Health (DPH) and the manner in which the Emergency Medical Services Communications (EMSC) Program functions within the region.

Lanier Swafford
Regional EMS Director

Hall County has two (2) Representatives on this Council. Your current Representatives are **George "Mark" Arnold, term 2024-2027 and Robert "Bobby" Ogletree, term 2023-2026.**

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Council bylaws require that at least two-thirds of the voting membership be comprised of individuals selected by the County Commission; therefore, I am soliciting from you the names or reappointment of one (1) individual (Bobby Ogletree's appointment) whom you wish to represent your county on this council for the 2026-2029 term. Council By-laws require members to attend at least fifty percent (50%) of the scheduled council meetings. The Council meets once (1) per quarter.

Bobby Ogletree has participated in greater than the minimum required meetings for the previous terms and is eligible for reappointment.

Members of the Regional EMS Council should possess interest and/or expertise in the areas of Emergency Medical Services, health care, or public safety. The following is a list of categories which you may wish to consider when recommending your representative:

- Public EMS Provider
- Private EMS Provider
- EMT/Paramedic (non-supervisory)
- Authority hospital representative
- Non-authority hospital representative
- City government representative
- County government representative
- Consumer
- Emergency Physician
- General Surgeon
- Communications agency representative
- Law enforcement representative
- Emergency department nurse and/or trauma nurse
- Pediatrician

Please complete the attached form and return it to me by email before **June 1, 2026**. Your participation in this effort is important to the provision of quality Emergency Medical Services to the citizens in your community, region, and state. I appreciate your cooperation and welcome you to contact me if you have any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Lanier Swafford
Regional EMS Director – Region 2

MEMORANDUM

TO: Hall County Board of Commissioners
P.O. Drawer 1435
Gainesville, GA 30503

FROM: Lanier Swafford
Region 2 EMS Director
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(404) 859-9489

RE: Region 2 EMS Council Nomination

DATE: _____

Please nominate a *representative* for your county, please complete the following and return via email:

The following person / persons will serve on the Region 2 EMS Advisory Council for the term 2026-2029. If desired, reappointment can be made for 2026-2029 term.

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Work Phone: _____

Mobile Phone: _____

Email: _____

Brief synopsis of qualifications: _____

Chairman/County Administrator Signature: _____