

Georgia Department of Public Health – Office of EMS and Trauma

PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Date: **Friday, 1/27/2023**

The Georgia Office of EMS and Trauma (OEMST) has received notice from the current 911 Zone Provider for Richmond County Emergency Response Zone of surrender and OEMST has directed the **Region 06 EMS Council** (“Council”) to open the Richmond Emergency Response Zone. The Council is issuing this notice to request proposals from EMS agencies for designation as the zoned ambulance provider to respond to “public calls” for EMS within the designated zone, pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 31-11-3 and DPH Rule 511-9-2-.04.

Name of Zone:	Richmond County ERZ
Proposals will start being accepted:	Wednesday, February 1, 2023 @ 7:00 a.m. (Eastern)
Proposals will no longer be accepted after:	Friday, February 10, 2023 @ 4:00 p.m. (Eastern)
Upcoming Meetings:	Dates/Times/Location and Webex information listed below (next page).

NOTES:

Proposals will **not** be accepted prior to the start date/time or after the end date/time outlined above.

Proposals **must be** submitted through the OEMST License Management System:

- Only Authorized Agents for currently licensed EMS Agencies (Ground Ambulance only) will be able to submit the application.
- Steps:
 - Authorized Agent login to LMS (www.mygemsis.org/lms)
 - Click on **Applications** → **Agency Applications**
 - Look for = “**Emergency Response Zone Proposal Submission**” application and click **Apply Now**
 - Follow the instructions on the applications – you must complete ALL sections and upload ALL requested documents and click Submit (and confirm) prior to 4:00 p.m. on Friday, February 10, 2023.

All agencies who submit proposals should be present for each meeting in order to answer any questions posed by the Zoning Committee or the Council.

*The applicant is solely responsible for ensuring that its proposal is submitted in the timeframe specified above. Failure of a third-party (such as the applicant’s internet service provider) that causes an applicant to not be able to **submit** an application within the timeframe as outlined above **will not** constitute a reason for late acceptance of proposal.*

Response zone data for the county from 1/1/2022 – 12/31/2022 is being sent with this notice in separate attachments.

Upcoming Meetings Regarding Zoning – Richmond County ERZ:

NOTE: All agencies who submit proposals should be present for each meeting to answer any questions posed by the Zoning Committee or the Council.

Region 6 Zoning Committee Meeting #1 (Richmond County ERZ)

- **Wednesday, Feb 15, 2023** 10:00am | 3 hours | (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)
- **Location:** 1916 North Leg Augusta, GA in Building D.
- **Webex:**
Link: <https://gapublichealth.webex.com/gapublichealth/j.php?MTID=m357b77ec13f4f0472241b23820860c3a>
Meeting number: 2530 470 2809 Password: taNsd7vp25
Join by video system
Dial [25304702809@gapublichealth.webex.com](tel:25304702809)
You can also dial 173.243.2.68 and enter your meeting number.
Join by phone +1-415-655-0001 US Toll Access code: 253 047 02809

Region 6 Zoning Committee Meeting #2 (Richmond County ERZ)*

- *this meeting will be canceled if not needed
- **Friday, Feb 17, 2023 10:00 am** | 3 hours | (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)
- **Location:** 1916 North Leg Augusta, GA in Building D.
- **Webex:**
Link: <https://gapublichealth.webex.com/gapublichealth/j.php?MTID=m07aa7f3480d57bdec153e17e2a83966c>
Meeting number: 2531 913 1581 Password: diQxAMR8V66
Join by video system
Dial [25319131581@gapublichealth.webex.com](tel:25319131581)
You can also dial 173.243.2.68 and enter your meeting number.
Join by phone +1-415-655-0001 US Toll Access code: 253 191 31581

Region 6 Council Meeting to vote on recommendations provided by Zoning Committee (Re: Richmond County ERZ)

- **Monday, Feb 20, 2023 1:00 pm** | 2 hours | (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)
- **Location:** 1916 North Leg Augusta, GA in Building D.
- **Webex:**
Link: <https://gapublichealth.webex.com/gapublichealth/j.php?MTID=mf2389f7f1df4dd21f0283c85cffc25c5>
Meeting number: 2536 492 2886 Password: xEbaWdq3m52
Join by video system
Dial [25364922886@gapublichealth.webex.com](tel:25364922886)
You can also dial 173.243.2.68 and enter your meeting number.
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