

**2011-2012  
Mid-Year  
Committee Report**

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Committee Name: Vernon College Emergency Medical Services and Basic Fire Academy  
Advisory Committee

Chairperson: Kenny Hoffman

List of members:

Earl Foster	Fire Chief	City of Wichita Falls
William Weske	Assistant Fire Chief	City of Wichita Falls
Don Groves	Battalion Chief	City of Wichita Falls
Kent Smead	Fire Chief	City of Vernon
Adam Scott	EMS Training Coordinator	City of Vernon
Charles Grady	Director	American Medical Response
Kenny Hoffman	Operations Supervisor	American Medical Response
Robert Parkey	Medical Director	Self-employed
Kim Stringfellow	Emergency Room Manager	United Regional Health Care
Roger Ritchie	Air Evac Director	Air-Evac
Cory Nava	EMS Instructor	American Medical Response

Dates of meetings: 10-26-2011

Accomplishments: Members approved the program objectives and workplace competencies

Recommendations: Members recommended that students be required to take the Accuplacer for admission to both programs, EMS and Fire Academy. Members also recommended that the program have biannual Advisory Committee meetings in September and February.

Membership suggestions: Membership needs to reflect the race/ethnicity of the service area

Agendas, exhibits and minutes posted to Vernon College web site address: Advisory  
Committee meeting agenda and minutes

Submitted by: Al Garcia

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