

Marshall County E-911 Communications



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Marshall County Fiscal Court
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Dear Judge Neal and Marshall County Commissioners,

The Marshall County E-911 Board has long understood that the traditional landline telephone, fee based funding mechanism that is currently in place does not meet the needs of the E-911 Center and also produces a hardship when attempting to meet the Federal Mandates for NextGen 911 compliance. This on-going funding shortfall has caused the fiscal court to have to subsidize the dispatch center to allow its operations to continue; this subsidy has been provided to the dispatch center since 2010. The 911 Board has reviewed and researched the various funding options that are currently available to 911 centers and would like to request that the Fiscal Court fully explore these options as well. The 911 Board will assist and cooperate in any way possible as it is the wishes of both entities that the dispatch succeed and provide the best service possible to the citizens and emergency responders of Marshall County. Please feel free to contact me with any additional questions.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bryan S. Cutsinger".

Bryan S. Cutsinger
E-911 Board Chairman

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