The following is a list of important initials that you will hear spoken of frequently in the 911 Community. I have listed websites to correspond with the organization. These websites provide a wealth of information pertaining to 911. I encourage you to utilize each one. While learning about each one it prepares us to make educated decisions for the forward movement of Sequatchie County ECD-911.

General topics:

PSAP-Public Safety Access Point (911 Center)

SCECB-Sequatchie County Emergency Communications Board

policies

TECB-Tennessee Emergency Communications Board www.tn.gov/emergency
Listed under Dept of Commerce and Insurance at www.tn.gov

TENA-Tennessee Emergency Numbers Association www.tena911.org

NENA-National Emergency Numbers Association www.nena.org

APCO-Association of Public Safety Communications Officials www.apcointl.org APCO does dispatcher training required by TECB.

FCC-Federal Communications Commission www.fcc.com The 911 Center works with the FCC to license radios.

NG911- Next Gen 911- Next Generation 911

TBI related topics:

TBI- Tennessee Bureau of Investigation www.tbi.state.tn.us

TAC-Terminal Agency Coordinator This person serves as main point of contact (liaison) between SCECD and TBI. Also the TAC oversees NCIC and TIES for SCECD.

ALT TAC- This person serves as an alternate point of contact for SCECD and TBI.

NCIC-National Crime Information Center Used for the 911 Center's work with Law Enforcement

TIES-Tennessee Information Enforcement System Used for the 911 Center's work with Law Enforcement

Mapping related topics:

OIR-Office Information Resources State level mapping.

GIS-Global Information System Sub department of the state

ALI-Automatic Location Identifier

ANI-Automatic Number Identifier

GEO COMM-Mediator between OIR and SCECD. They maintain mapping database for SCECD. Jon Greene is the Regional contact.

TCS-TeleCommunications Systems They will be maintaining the NET TN ALI database (Next Generation 911).

Thank you,

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