

## Publications Committee Report

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### ***InCommand* Staff**

Mary Pat Helvey, Editor  
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### Issue Themes 2016

Jan/Feb/Mar – EMS Response to the Changing Landscape of Heroin Addiction  
Apr/May/Jun – House Bill 64: What Does it Mean to You, Chief?  
Jul/Aug/Sept – Navigating Community Paramedicine, Part II  
Oct/Nov/Dec – Leading in Dangerous Times

### Publication Committee Report to Board

The Publications Committee continues to strive to provide membership with timely information regarding issues facing today's fire service as is evidenced in our 2016 issues (heroin epidemic, community paramedicine, and active shooters/terrorism). We encourage anyone interested to join the Publications Committee. We meet regularly throughout the year to exchange ideas, establish themes, make assignments, etc. Meetings are held well in advance of editorial deadlines to allow committee members enough time to brainstorm ideas and engage in lively discussion. If you'd like to join us or have a particular item/issue you'd like us to address, please contact Committee Chair, Chief Tom Stewart at [tstewart6749@gmail.com](mailto:tstewart6749@gmail.com) or ***InCommand*** Editor, Mary Pat Helvey at [mphelvey@ohiofirechiefs.org](mailto:mphelvey@ohiofirechiefs.org) or 614-410-6322.

Two new regular additions were made to the magazine in 2016:

- News from the State Fire Marshal's Office
- OFE Spotlight

We would like to thank our committee members for their hard work and dedication to this committee. Their efforts in tackling the latest thinking and current issues in the fire service make ***InCommand*** one of the country's best fire organization membership publications.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Ret. Chief Tom Stewart, Publications Committee Chair  
Mary Pat Helvey, *InCommand* Editor