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House Education and the Workforce Committee Unanimously Passes Rep. Wild's EMS Counts Act

This week, the House Education and the Workforce Committee unanimously passed my bill, the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Counts Act. EMS personnel in our community do invaluable work to save lives and respond to emergencies, but they can struggle to get the resources they need.

Due to an antiquated system for classifying first responders, many firefighters in our community who have been trained to provide EMS care are not technically counted as EMS personnel, resulting in inadequate resources being designated to support them in their critical work. My bill would address this problem, accurately counting our EMS personnel which will allow them to receive the adequate tools and resources they need. I'm grateful for my colleagues' bipartisan support passing this bill out of committee and I'll continue to push for this bill to be passed by the full House.



