



Greene County
Local Emergency
Planning Committee

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LEPC GENERAL COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Date: Thursday, February 28, 2008

Time: 11:30 a.m.

Location: Office of Emergency Management - 833 Boonville

The February LEPC General Membership meeting was called to order by Vice-Chair, J. R. Webb at 11:35 am.

Introductions were made by all in attendance.

Ryan Nicholls made a motion to approve the General Committee meeting minutes of October, 2007. Randy Tucker seconded the motion. Motion was voted on and passed.

OLD BUSINESS

Ryan Nicholls gave the Financial Statement Report for the LEPC. The LEPC has spend \$737 leaving a balance of \$31,000

The LEPC Executive Committee has recently approved funding for Springfield and Logan-Rogersville Fire Departments to attend training to better serve the community. Ryan also asked that if other members have training needs to bring them to the LEPC's attention.

David Hall gave the regional HAZMAT and WMD Planning Update. David explained that there has been continued movement toward improving regionalization implementation in SW Missouri. There are specific focus areas and some were exercised here locally in September and November.

Ryan gave an update on training, which has experienced cancellations due to low attendance sign-up. The February OPS classes were one of the most recent class cancellations. He also asked if there are classes any members need to get with Carolyn to help set them up.

Ryan gave the update on HomeTown Ready Update program which had the web site go active today. Ryan passed out a flier on the program which encourages businesses to participate. Businesses that successfully complete the HTR program will be certified and the program will

educate, train, and help warn employees of potential disasters and aims at through this information making more individuals and groups better prepared.

Ryan discussed the LEPC survey results which got 20 responses and efforts will be made to improve meetings and provide better LEPC understanding to the group.

Ryan informed the general membership about the LEPC Guide Book which the Executive Committee is currently re-working to better reflect the current LEPC operation. When the Exec. Committee has a draft it will be sent to the General Membership for comments before printing or placement on the web site.

J R called for any other Old Business and none was brought forth.

NEW BUSINESS

J R asked for member feedback on the web site. Karen will send the web address to the members for reviewing.

Karen put forth the names of members that were nominated prior to the meeting for 2008 LEPC officers. Those people were: Lisa Cardone – Chair, Linda Shipman and Ralph Siccama – members at large.

Each position is a two-year term.

J R asked 3 times for other nominations from the floor. None were brought forth.

Ryan made a motion to accept the nominated members and vote the ballot slate in by acclamation. J D Landon seconded the motion. A vote was made and passed.

Lisa is the LEPC Chair and Linda and Ralph are both Members-at-Large.

J R asked for other new business.

David Hall introduced Eddie Delp to the group and explained that the Springfield Fire Dept. had restructured some of it's' organization which resulted in HAZMAT teams being in designated fire stations. Eddie will be the lead contact on HAZMAT actions. Plans are for the teams to be getting out in the community more and also working with the 7th Civil Support Team (CST) out of Fort Leonard Wood. David offered to host a show and tell day on a future meeting date so the LEPC can see and ask questions about the HAZMAT response capability.

With no additional new business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:40.

Respectfully Submitted,
Karen McKinnis, LEPC Secretary

Attendees

Michael Bennett	3M
Dennis Clinton	Logan-Rogersville Fire
J. R. Webb	911
Keith Taylor	Associated Wholesale Grocers (AWG)
Daniel Paulson	Regal-Beloit
Randy Tucker	DFA
Bruce Biorge	EMR
Jason Henry	Cox Hospital
Eddie Delp	Springfield Fire
Randy Gibson	Greene County Sheriff's Office
Richard Myers	The Salvation Army
Wendell Hall	Missouri Department of Natural Resources (DNR)
Larry Woods	Office of Emergency Management (OEM)
Ty Davisson	Office of Emergency Management (OEM)
Ryan Nicholls	Office of Emergency Management (OEM)
Becky Jungmann	911
JD Landon	Ozarks Technical Community College (OTC)
Karen McKinnis	Springfield/Greene County Health Dept.
Chuck Kroeger	The Forrester Group
David Hall	Springfield Fire Department
Harlan Cavin	Erickson
J D Slaughter	Springfield/Greene County Health Department
Doyle Oxley	WFD UCM
Lisa Cardone	Kraft
Ralph Siccama	DFA
Mike Mulhall	NSC
Larry D Clutter	BPS
Darryl Cooley	NSCO
Scott Barton	The Forrester Group
D. L. Magers	BNSF
Linda Shipman	Regal-Beloit