

Rockingham County Local Emergency Planning Committee
Rockingham Community College
April 21, 2010

Members Present:

The meeting was called to order by Doug Vick at 8:45 a.m.

Minutes of the meeting were approved as presented. (1st: L.Ellington, 2nd: Hall).

Training Update: Steve Hale

- Miller Coors annual drill deliberate terrorism anhydrous ammonia with GSW. LEO cannot secure scene due to hazardous materials. Regional Response Team called for diking & damming to secure leak run-off.
- Steve challenged other industry to have a drill.
- MMH looking at drill with active shooter.
- ICS 300/400 class possibly in May/June
- Tabletop in May @ EOC Gang/Bioterrorism, Multi-county.
- Functional exercise in June with all 3 counties Gang/Bioterrorism
- Full Scale in Oct/Nov. testing communications with 800 MHz –VIPER system. Grady Paschal questioned inter-operability with neighboring VA. Counties.
- Will do more Hazmat Training @ Training Ctr.
- Let Steve know if there is a class industry is interested in.
- Want to have moulage class in Rockingham Co., PIO Class & Grant writing

Emergency Management Report: Steve Hale for Dennis Hancock

- State EOC on National Guard Site
- Moving forward with Hazard Mitigation Plan and Hazard Mitigation Preparedness Grant.
- Due next month – just out last week.
- Positions – 2 area coordinators due to retirement Paul Demmison & Woody Mashburn.
- Next (600') Tower going up in Sandy Ridge and Welcome Ctr. In Caswell County.

Old Business:

- Going forward with transfer switch grant (10 county grant, 27 shelters) Rockingham County is the lead on this grant
- Generator for transfer switches located at the Governmental Center, Shiloh Community Center (Special needs Shelter) Madison Mayodan Rec. Center.
- This year Guilford County handling generator grant.

New Business:

- Meeting time 9:00 am
- EM Coordinator position, by next meeting hopes to announce a new coordinator after Don left for a new position.
- Health Department exercise – Pan Flue & Hurr X- Hurricane.
- Red Cross Aisha Gwinn new Disaster Coordinator, Janna Nowell Interim Director for now.
- Grady remarked on class on anhydrous ammonia in Sampson County. Our LEPC should be thankful – others do not have this benefit.
- Steve spoke about benefits of LEPC

The next meeting is scheduled for July 21, 2010 @ 9am at Emergency Services Building EOC.

With no further business, the meeting adjourned

Submitted by:
Secretary