

Rockingham County Local Emergency Planning Committee
Miller Coors
October 9th, 2013

Members Present: 20 members present; Melinda Ward – City of Eden, Randy Evans – RCC, Gary Wilkins – Piedmont Natural Gas, Pam Parsons – Amcor Packaging, Glen Martin – Rockingham Co. Public Health, Luke Carter – Rockingham Co. Planning, Edwin Stott – Rockingham Co. Environmental Health, Charles Perkins – Rockingham Co. School System, Butch Fiatt – Shamrock Environmental, Danielle Battaglia – Reidsville Review, Katie Mann – Reidsville Review, Marc Bumgarner – Dystar LP, Tyres Tatum – NCEM, Jay Brooks – Rockingham Co. Fire Marshal Office, Susan Hall – Rockingham Co. 9-1-1, Rodney Stewart – Rockingham Co. EMS, Robert Cardwell – Rockingham Co. Fire Marshal, Doug Vick – Miller Coors, Grady Paschal – Miller Coors, Johnny Bowles – Rockingham Co. Emergency Management

The meeting was called to order by Doug Vick, President at 09:03

Motion made by G. Wilkins to approve the July minutes, 2nd by G. Paschal, minutes of the meeting were approved as presented.

Fire Marshal's Report: Robert D. Cardwell

- Nothing to report

Emergency Management Report: Johnny Bowles

- Oct 1st had a train de-railment in Ruffin, total of 13 cars that come off the track. No hazmat or injuries
- Moving forward with our regional hazard mitigation grant

EMS Report: Rodney Stewart

- Western EMS base is moving along well, should be completed by end of this month no later than 1st week of November
- Been evaluating cardiac monitors, Commissioners approved to replace 9 monitors this year. Already evaluated Zoll, finished up Philips Monitors and will start evaluating Physio
- Began rolling out new protocols, and started rolling out Community CPR at local festivals
- Team focus CPR, EMS will run the CPR on scene for at least 30 minutes or 1st round of drugs, if no change then they will call it. Study of shown that you have a better survival rate with less interruption of compression. Stokes Co. has been doing it for two (2) years now.

9-1-1 Communications: Susan Hall

- Ground for the new consolidated center was in July. Weather permitting project completion date is scheduled for June 2014
- This past Saturday had an overwhelming amount of DOA's.

- At state APCO/NENA conference, Jerri Bowles was awarded Telecommunicator of the year for the state.
- B-Shift was awarded Shift of the year for the state.

RCC Report: Randy Evans

- Nov 5th – 7th will be offering Pipeline Emergency, Fracking, Natural / LP Gas emergency class at the EOC

Public Health: Glen Martin, Edwin Stott

- Consolidated with Social Services, now Rockingham County Health and Human Services
- Struggling with issues from the Federal shutdown, starting midday the WIC program will be on hold until some resolution at a federal level is reached
- Transition team from DSS & Public Health has been formed and has been meeting to work on disaster preparedness
- Central permitting construction phase has begun in June about 85% complete. Waiting on software.
- Rabies clinic looking a changing how it is advertised

NC Emergency Management: Tyres Tatum

- EM / Homeland Security received their money before the Federal shutdown, waiting on state level approval. Looking at \$ 200,000 per DPR
- Looking for proposal and projects to fund this year – UTV's, light towers, message board projects
- DHS cutting back to a 2yr grant cycle. We have been blessed in DPR 5 receiving these grants and spending these monies

NCDOT:

- Emailed updated road (project) list

City of Eden: Sam Shelton

- No Report from the PD

City of Reidsville:

- No Report

Rockingham County School System: Charles Perkins

- Stephanie Austin is the new crisis coordinator
- New legislation passed allows school to apply for additional grants, such as SRO's
- Local Sheriff & Police Departments have applied for COP grants also for SRO's
- Completed updating the Emergency Response Plan, going for adoption in November.
- All schools completed lockdown drills with in the first 2 weeks.
- Started a new safety and crisis program for principals

Hospitals:

- No Report

Industry: Grady Paschal

- Doug Vick & Grady Paschal had opportunity to go to the Guilford County LEPC seminar. They had great speakers and is recommended if anyone has a chance to go they should.
- There are 4 fully staffed and funded Haz-mat teams within Guilford County

Training Updates:

- None

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- Send a welcome to Stern Ruger from the LEPC and offer any assistance to them from our group and invite them to join our group in January
- Luke Carter – County adopted New 9-1-1 addressing ordinance which consolidated all old addressing ordinance into one (1). Went into effect October 1st.

Thanks to Miller Coors for hosting.

Next Meeting will be January 8th, 2014 9a.m. @ Emergency Services Building

Motion to adjourn made by Gary Wilkins, 2nd by Rodney Stewart

Meeting adjourned at 10:31am

New Members to the LEPC: (4)

Charles Perkins	Pam Parsons
Katie Mann	Butch Fiatt

Welcome to all new members.