

Minutes

Quad City Emergency Planning Committee

Friday, March 28, 2014

8:30 AM

Scott Emergency Communications Center

Emergency Operations Center (EOC)

1100 E 46th Street

Davenport

Meeting called by:

Decker Ploehn, Chairman

Type of meeting:

Regular Monthly Meeting

Agenda topics

Call to Order-Introductions

Minutes of the Feb. 28 Meeting

Homeland Security/EMA/IMT Report

Quad City Emergency Response Conference

2014 Exercise Update-all

Community Resilience/VOAD Report

Hospital/Healthcare Planning Report

Public Health Planning Report

EMS/PAB Report

Fire Service Report

Law Enforcement/Intel/TSA Report

Education Report

Public/Private Sector/Community Report

Other Items of Interest-EMS Study Report

Next Meeting April 25, 2014 at 8:30 AM

Adjourn

EMS Study Report to follow QCEPC-Harold Cohen, TriData Div, CPC

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Attendees:

Paul Andorf, Shawn Belk, Mary Briones, Mike Brown, Amy Cannady, Jonathan Clinton, Harold Cohen, Terry Conklin, Denny Coon, Dave Donovan, Tilford Flowers, Linda Frederiksen, Dennis Frisch, Chuck Gipson, Bob Gonzales Sr., Steve Knorrek, Kevin Lange, Brian Leonard, Roger Loesch, Nita Ludwig, George Miller, Trent Mull, Steffan Nass, Marty O'Boyle, Pam Paulsen, Decker Ploehn, Phil Redington, Ed Rivers, Brenda Schwarz, Jerry Shirk, Scott Starns, Richard Vermeer, Todd Whitchelo, Jeffrey Yerkey

Agenda topics

Call to Order-Introductions

Discussion:

Everyone introduced themselves.

Minutes of the 2-28-14 Meeting

Discussion:

Trent Mull moved to approve the minutes of the February 28, 2014 meeting. Motion seconded by Mary Briones. Motion carried unanimously.

Homeland Security/EMA/IMT Report

Discussion:

Jerry Shirk shared the IMT was called out for the ice jams. He updated the group on the Quad City Healthcare Coalition's half day preparedness conference on May 21st at the Isle of Capri Convention Center, for first responders, law enforcement, government officials, schools, faith-based organizations, and private and public community partners. The group has secured speakers from Joplin, MO and Washington, IL. The conference will be free to all participants, and he hopes to have CEUs available to those for a nominal fee of \$10. Jerry shared the Rock Island Arsenal will be holding their hazmat full-scale exercise on May 14th and the Quad Cities Airport mass casualty drill will begin in August. He also explained that Davenport Fire will be holding a Weapons of Mass Destruction drill April 22nd -24th at the Modern Woodman Park. Lastly, Jerry announced that Exelon will be holding a radiological hostile takeover tabletop in June, the functional exercise in July, and their full-scale exercise in August.

Community Resilience/VOAD Report

Discussion:

Roger Loesch shared they continue to struggle getting involvement from faith-based organizations.

Hospital/Healthcare Planning Report

Discussion:

Trent Mull reported he has been busy prepping for upcoming exercises.

Public Health Planning Report

Discussion:

Nita Ludwig announced their upcoming Volunteer Reception Center Exercise on April 21st and shared that they continue to work on open enrollment for the ACA. Nita stated that the deadline for enrollment is March 31st.

Denny Coon explained that the Scott County Health Department participated in a Grant Roll-out Webinar hosted by IDPH to provide information for the upcoming grant RFP and the funding allocation.

SECC Report

Discussion:

Dave Donovan reported the SECC Board will be voting on the appointment of Denise Pavlik as the Director of SECC on March 31st. Dave also shared they continue to work on ProQA process improvements and preparation for upcoming exercises.

EMS/PAB Report

Discussion:

Kevin Lange shared the needs assessments are in for the spring grant and the application is in progress.

They continue to work on the EMS Week event activities and have met with the facilitators of their strategic plan to begin moving it forward.

Chuck Gipson reported the next PAB meeting is April 2nd. The Board will be voting on the acceptance of the revised protocols.

Fire Service Report

Discussion:

Steve Knorrek updated the group on upcoming investigation training events. Todd Whitchelo stated Hazmat training will be coming up in April. A four day NIMS training course has just been completed thru the National Fire Academy. Jeff Yerkey shared they are working on a grant funding opportunity thru ITTF.

Law Enforcement/Intel/TSA Report

Discussion:

Steffan Nass updated the group on intel information.

Bob Gonzales Sr. shared the Iowa LEIN Region 6 office will be closing April 30th. They will continue to send out information sharing for the amount of time the budget allows. Bob will update the group further next meeting.

Education Report

Discussion:

Mary Briones:

National First Responder Practical - April 10th

EMT National Practical - May 16th

National Advanced Practical - TBA

2nd Annual EMS Instructor Development Conference – April 5th

Public/Private Sector/Community Report

Discussion:

Tilford Flowers from John Deere introduced himself. He explained that he is in charge of security for John Deere globally and is interested in how they can help the community.

Other Items of Interest-EMS Study Report

Discussion:

Harold Cohen, TriData Division, SPC presented the findings from the Comprehensive Scott County EMS Study completed by TriData. In the report, there were 29 recommendations for improvement to the EMS system.

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