

# Minutes

# Quad City Emergency Planning Committee

Friday, October 31, 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 October (Spooktacular) Meeting

## Agenda topics

Call to Order-Introductions

Minutes of the September 26 Meeting

Homeland Security/EMA/IMT Report

SECC Report

Hazard Vulnerability/Risk Assessment Training  
12/3-4, 2014

QCERC Planning

Hospital/Healthcare Report

Public Health Report-Ebola Update

EMS Reports-PAB

Fire Service Reports

Law Enforcement/Intel/TSA Reports

Education Report

Public/Private Sector/Community/VOAD Reports

Other Items of Interest

Next Meeting December 5 at 8:30 AM

Adjourn

QC Emergency Response Conference meeting after QCEC

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**Attendees:**

Leslie Arquilla, Shawn Belk, Ross Bergen, Laura Berkley, Terry Conklin, Denny Coon, Linda Frederiksen, Thomas Gibbs, Chuck Gipson, Dave Kelly, Chance Kness, Steve Knorrek, Kevin Lange, Dave Layton, Brian Leonard, Al Loeffelholz, Amber MacGrath, Trent Mull, Pam Paulsen, Denise Pavlik, Phil Redington, Ed Rivers, Jerry Shirk, Jordan Schneider, Brenda Schwarz, Scott Starns, Jamie Temple, Richard Vermeer, Lynn Washburn-Livingston

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Call to Order-Introductions

Minutes of the September 26 Meeting

**Discussion:**

Lynn Washburn-Livingston moved to approve the minutes of the September 26, 2014 meeting. Motion was seconded by Ross Bergen. Motion carried unanimously.

### Homeland Security/EMA/IMT Report

#### Discussion:

Ross shared Genesis and MEDIC EMS underwent their training evaluation for the Nuclear Power Plant Exercise. After doing further investigation on whether Bakken Oil is traveling thru Scott County, Ross has been told that it does not. Ross was told that the Bakken Oil does travel down the Illinois side of the river. He was provided with a list of commodities that do travel thru Scott County. If anyone would like a copy, they should contact Ross. Ross shared Alert Iowa, the statewide mass notification and emergency messaging system, is an active program. Lastly, he shared he attended the Iowa Homeland Security Conference.

Jerry shared the Canadian Pacific Railroad met with the local hazmat teams and the Rock Island and Scott County EMA. They would like to build a consortium as part of a response to any type of rail or water hazard material spill.

Chance reported they are signing up for Alert Iowa and are currently looking at the possibility of an inter-county alert agreement.

Scott shared they are looking at doing a full scale train derailment with Bakken Oil exercise scenario in 2016 with emergency response.

### SECC Report

#### Discussion:

Denise reported they had a staff member bring useful information back from the Annual Iowa Homeland Security Conference. She also shared they had dignitaries visit the facility recently.

### Hazard Vulnerability/Risk Assessment Training

#### Discussion:

Denny shared the registration link for the Enhanced Risk & Threat Assessment Training presented by Texas A & M Engineering Extension Services on December 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> is <https://safeguardiowa.wildapricot.org/event-1751640>. He also announced that Jami Haberl of Safeguard Iowa Partnership will be leaving at the end of November.

Jordan distributed a flyer on the Iowa Chapter of InfraGard Chemical Sector Eastern Iowa meeting being held on November 4<sup>th</sup> at the Linn County Emergency Operations Center.

### QCERC Planning

#### Discussion:

Trent reported they are continuing to brainstorm and plan the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quad Cities Disaster Readiness Conference. The date has not been set.

### Hospital/Healthcare Report

#### Discussion:

Both Trent and AI updated the group on their Ebola preparation and training efforts at UnityPoint and Genesis.

### Public Health Report-Ebola Update

Discussion:

The group shared information regarding Ebola response efforts. Ed summarized the anticipated course of public health action should a traveler return to the area. He explained the terms isolation, quarantine, as well as voluntary/mandatory self-monitoring.

### EMS Reports-PAB

Discussion:

Kevin reported in lieu of the regular monthly meeting they had a strategic planning session. Denny shared that the process for approving protocols to meet the Bureau of EMS expectations was discussed at the last PAB meeting.

### Fire Service Reports

Discussion:

Steve reported the next SCFCA meeting will be November 20<sup>th</sup>.

### Law Enforcement/Intel/TSA Reports

Discussion:

No report.

### Education Report

Discussion:

Jamie reported:

- Advanced Refresher: January 16, 17, 18, 2015 and February 20,21,22, 2015 (February date change)
- EMT Practical Exam: December 20
- Basic Class: January 5<sup>th</sup> thru March.

### Public/Private Sector/Community/VOAD Reports

Discussion:

Laura shared they will be holding individual community update meetings to share the Rock Island County Mitigation Plan.

### Other Items of Interest

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Steffan Nass will be presenting at the December 5<sup>th</sup> meeting.

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