

Minutes

Quad City Emergency Planning Committee

Friday, April 28, 2017

8:30 AM

Scott Emergency Communications Center

Emergency Operations Center (EOC)

1100 E 46th Street

Davenport

Meeting called by:

Dennis Coon

Type of meeting:

Regular Monthly Meeting

Agenda topics

Call to Order-Introductions

Minutes of the March 31 Meeting

QC Disaster Readiness Conference-Recap

Homeland Security/EMA/IMT Report

Exercise/Drill Calendar Update

SECC Update

Healthcare Coalition Report

Other Hospital/Healthcare Reports

EMS/PAB Report

Fire Service Report

Law Enforcement/TSA/Intel Reports

Education Report

Other Public/Private Sector/COAD Reports

Other Items of Interest

Next Meeting Friday, May 26 at 8:30 + LEPC

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QC Disaster Readiness Conference Review After QCEPC

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Attendees:

Laura Berkley, Jeff Bladel, Mike Brown, Joe Caffery, Beth Cetanyan, Bethaney Conklin, Terry Conklin, Heidi Conner, Dave Donovan, Linda Frederiksen, Dennis Frisch, Chuck Gipson, Bob Graff, Randy Heisch, Dan Howard, Kenneth Jefferson, Chance Kness, Steve Knorrek, Kevin Lange, Al Loeffelholz, Doris Moreno, Sean O'Neal, Ed Rivers, Jordan Schneider, Brenda Schwarz, Scott Starns, Chris Varnes, Richard Vermeer, Lynn Washburn-Livingston, Todd Whitchelo, Melody Williams

Agenda topics

Call to Order-Introductions

Discussion:

Everyone introduced themselves.

Minutes of the March 31 Meeting

Discussion:

Dave Donovan motioned to approve the March 31, 2017 meeting minutes and Lynn Washburn-Livingston seconded, the motion passed.

Quad Cities Disaster Readiness Conference-Followup

Discussion:

A group discussion was held on the Disaster Readiness Conference. There were 315 preregistered attendees, 10 – 12 walk-in's and 58 no shows. There were many positive comments on the speakers and the setup.

Homeland Security/EMA/IMT Report

Discussion:

Dave Donovan reminded everyone of the ICS Logistics Section Chief Course scheduled for May 1-5, 2017. Operation Section Chief will be offered January 8-12, 2018. Dave will be adding it to the training calendar. The multi-site, multi-jurisdiction Area Maritime Exercise is planned for May 10, 2017. The scenario includes active shooters at multiple sites and a hazardous material release into the river.

Randy Heisch reported they had good participation in the T-Cards and Salamander training in April. There will be Salamander training on May 24, 2017 at SECC.

Dave added May 31, 2017 there will be Volunteer Management Training at SECC with a Volunteer Registration Center Exercise on June 21, 2017.

Exercise/Drill Calendar Update

Discussion:

The calendar link has been distributed and is now live.

SECC Update

Discussion:

Denise Pavlik reported they continue to meet to work on the protocols and determining the level of response required and resources needed to achieve the appropriate response. She noted that May 24, 2017 they are asking for police representation as the protocols they will be covering will need police input. Lastly, they continue to work thru the radio study to create a footprint on how they envision the system. Once that is completed they will be creating a RFP.

Healthcare Coalition Report

Discussion:

Bethaney Conklin reported the Gateway Area Healthcare Coalition partnered with Jackson County Healthcare Coalition to have a discussion based tabletop exercise on April 18th in conjunction with the Clinton County Emergency Planning committee meeting. Bethaney added they are in the process of finishing up the 5th year of a five year project period and finalizing the budget for the new project period.

Other Hospital/Healthcare Reports

Discussion:

Al Loeffelholz shared they are planning to use the Salamander in the medical tent during the BIX. Al has been busy planning drills and exercises they have upcoming in May.

EMS Report

Discussion:

Kevin Lange reported at the SCEMSA meeting discussion was held on the HEARTsafe Coalition and their activities in the community to increase hands only CPR in the Quad Cities and picnic plans. Linda Frederiksen added there has been discussion on the recent changes to the Naloxone/Narcan protocols at the State level as well as some of the pricing concerns associated with its administration. There is concern that the price of Narcan would increase similarly to Epi-Pens. Response services will be giving the intranasal version of the Narcan. Currently the public is able to purchase Narcan at CVS Pharmacies without a prescription.

Todd Whitchelo reported the week of May 15-19, 2017 they will be hosting at the Davenport Fire Department Training Center a class for any EMS agency that would like to receive their Annual CPR Skills. Anyone that would like to participate should email Chuck Gipson.

Dr. Vermeer added the PAB Board strongly supports the community CPR initiative.

Fire Service Report

Discussion:

Lynn Washburn-Livingston shared they have been actively participating in the Priority Dispatch meetings. WQAD has agreed to do a drone classroom presentation on May 2, 2017 at 11 a.m. at the Central Station classroom with a demonstration to follow.

Law Enforcement/TSA/Intel Reports

Discussion:

Jeff Bladel reported the Quad Cities is experiencing an increase in stolen vehicles. He explained that prior to vehicles being stolen, the vehicles are left running unattended; or, with keys left inside the vehicles with the doors unlocked. He noted the most prevalent age group for the suspects of the stolen vehicles is 12-18 years of age. Once having possession of the stolen vehicle, suspects are driving recklessly endangering lives, committing thefts and burglaries, involved in shootings, committing hit and run crashes and fleeing from police. When recovered, many stolen vehicles are found to have significant damage. A public campaign is being released to increase public awareness.

Joe Caffery reported they are making the transition into the new Scott County Sheriff's Patrol Headquarters. The ribbon cutting ceremony is May 16, 2017 with an open house and tours to follow.

Education Report

Discussion:

EMT Practical Exam – May 13, 2017

Paramedic Practical Exam – June 10, 2017

Other Public/Private Sector/COAD Reports

Discussion:

Dave Donovan reported at the COAD meeting they had presentations from Ben Cleveland, Shelter and Transitional Housing Council and Bob Davis, Community Healthcare. The COAD is currently working on strengthening their subcommittee groups.

Other Items of Interest

Discussion:

Laura Berkley shared that Iowa Draft Flood Hazard Maps are available for Clinton and Scott counties on IowaFloodCenter.org. The Iowa Statewide Floodplain Mapping Project is collaboration between the Iowa Department of Natural Resources and the Iowa Flood Center at the University of Iowa. The partnership will lead to the creation of Iowa Draft Flood Hazard Products for 85 counties that were declared Presidential Disaster Areas following the 2008 floods. The maps will designate flood boundaries for the 1-percent annual chance (100-year) and 0.2-percent annual chance (500-year) flood.

Steve Knorrek shared the 9th Annual First Responders Fund Golf Outing is scheduled for Friday, June 16, 2017 at the Indian Bluff Golf Course, Milan, IL. It is presented by 1-800-BoardUp and Werner Restoration Services, Inc. The proceeds to benefit St Florian Fire & Burn Foundation and other area first responders.

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