

LEPC Meeting Minutes
Columbus Fire Hall
June 5, 2019
7:30am to 8:30 am

Attendance Record

1. Chip Kem	Sheriff
2. Carol Arkell	SC 911/DES
3. Kevin Mitchum	SML
4. Bill Pronovost	SC DES/911
5. Rich Cowger	CFR
6. Hal Wentz	Sibanye Stillwater Mine
7. Natasha Sailer	Stillwater Public Health/SBC
8. Nick Jacobs	CFR
9. Travis Hansen	CFR
10. Cliff Brophy	Citizen
11. Randy Smith	Undersheriff
12. Mark Crago	SWC Commissioner
13. Brad Kimble	CHS
14. Jacob Ward	Columbus Police
15. Josh Juarez	SC EH
16. Terry Brumfield	CFR #2
17. Nancy Rhode	SC Attorney
18. Leslie Price	Stillwater Billings Clinic
19. Charlie Hanson	MT DES
20. Annette Hart	Rapelje School Supt

Pledge to the flag

Introductions were made

Minutes approved as submitted

DES: Carol reported on the Windfarm Exercise that was May 29 stating there was about 30+ people that attended and it was a great learning exercise. Observed how quickly they can get a patient down from turbine, how long it would take Columbus to get up there and Help Flight.

Carol let everyone know that we got the Fire Department MDT grant from 911.

E-9-1-1 Randy reported the MDT project is working, still has a few bugs they are working out. They will need 4 more because the old ones after the first of the year will not work.
Bill is planning for a active shooter exercise on July 10. He will send out more info soon.

LEPC State DES is asking for upcoming trainings and exercises we have planned in the County. Please let Carol know if you have any exercised or any training that you would like.
Rapelje will be having an active shooter exercise on August 19th.

PHEP Flu season is wrapping up in the county/state. There are 960 measles cases in the state. Also watch for West Nile, the mosquitoes are out. The state did their test call exercise and it went great for the county.

Road names None at this time.

Communications Bill reported the repeaters have been serviced for all locations but Nye site.

Fire Warden Nick reported there was multi-spot fires on the side of the road on 78 closes to Absarokee. Nick felt it was from a vehicle.
Nick attended the DNRC staffing station meeting on Saturday. It will be the same as last year for our County.

Discussion Carol let everyone know there was a mud slide on Joliet Rd. State DOT removed the mud from the road.
Rich is attending the Governors briefing about upcoming Fire Season Saturday June 8th.
Hal asked about high water in the County, Bill reported that it is starting to come up but not unusual flooding.
Bill reported he has the EOC trailer ready to use.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:15 am