

LEPC Meeting Minutes
Stillwater County Courthouse
May 3, 2017
7:30am to 9:00 am

Attendance Record

1. Cliff Brophy	Sheriff
2. Carol Arkell	SC DES
3. Rich Cowger	CRFD
4. Nancy Rohde	County Attorney
5. Bill Pronovost	Deputy DES
6. Randy Smith	Columbus
7. Natasha Sailer	SBC
8. Jerry Friend	Treasurer
9. Kevin Mitchum	Stillwater Mining
10.Dennis Shupak	Commissioner
11.Leslie Price	SBC Health
12.Steve Woodard	LIFTT
13.Jennifer Siegfried	Dispatch
14.Hal Went	Stillwater Mine
15.Tom Frieders	NWS-Billings
16.Charlie Hanson	MT DES
17.Terry Brumfield	CFR Station 2
18.Jim Hicks	Columbus
19.Chip Kem	SCSO
20.David Johnson	Stillwater Mining Co

Pledge to the flag

Introductions were made

Minutes were approved as submitted

DES: Dave Johnson from Stillwater Mining Co was here to invite the players to an upcoming 8hr exercise that they will be hosting.

Bill reported he has been working on the Mutual Aid Agreement. Yellowstone County Legal is reviewing it.

The Shane Ridge Remote equipment has been installed. It emails back every 2day with a report and Bill is checking the sight.

Carol reported that Ken Mesch one of the previous DES coordinator has passed away.

E-9-1-1

Jen reported Emergency calls Works install went well. They are still working out a few of the details. One thing they are aware of is the volume of the headset.

We had our first live text to 911, it was a miss dial.

Cliff is still working on the Code Red.

LEPC Leslie said she tried the text to 911 on April 11. The area she was in it wouldn't go through.

PHEP

Natasha reported that there is a concern about tick bites.

Road names

none at this time.

Communications

Tom Frieders was here to pass out information and do a presentation about IPAWS. Tom is the chair of the IPAWS committee.

Fire Warden

none at this time.

Discussion

Charlie reported First New is now nationwide and AT&T got the contract for that. First net is the first Nation Wide public safety Broadband Network. Charlie will be doing the rural areas.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:30 AM