

MINUTES
JUNEAU LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE (LEPC)
Wednesday, May 11, 2022 - 12:00 P.M.
Telephonic/Virtual-Zoom Conference
(Questions Call – 586-0371)

I. CALL TO ORDER

Co-Chair Ed Williams called the meeting to order at 12:05

Roll Call: Michelle Brown confirmed quorum present

Members Present: Destiny Sargeant, Ben Murray, Jennifer Pemberton, Britt Tonnessen, Chris Russell, Ryan Sand, Karen Wood, Jon Suk, Zachariah Fisher, Erin Walker-Tolles, Sabrina Boone, Elaine Hickey, Tom Mattice, Michelle Brown

Members Absent: Wade Bryson, Scott Erickson, David Campbell, Ed Quinto, Travis Mead, Daniel Wiersma, Tonia Montez, Warren Russell, Loren Jones, Ed Williams, Ryan Bare, Corey Padron

Others Present: Joe Zarlengo, Louisa Phillips, Phil Adams, Scott Rinkenberger, Kathy Petraborg

II. INTRODUCTIONS

III. FAREWELL & WELCOME / OPEN SEATS

Open Seat - Healthcare System Alternate Seat – Looking for nominations!

IV. AGENDA CHANGES

V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

April 13, 2022 Minutes Approved

VI. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - Non-Agenda Items

A. Louisa Phillips – National Guard – Next Saturday 21st at Armory Joint use facility UAS rec center 11am-4:30pm Wellness Expo and Resource fair – open to whole public, geared to veterans. Free lunch. Keynote speaker: combat veteran Tom Boss. Classes/information on healing from PTSD and moral injury, veteran's resources, meditation, fitness classes, yoga, dance, suicide prevention, youth mental health, first aid. Facebook schedule in the works, Flyer will be sent to Michelle

VII. REPORTS

A. Emergency Programs Report

- **All Hazard Mitigation Plan – Tom:** Almost finished
- **Emergency Management Conference/LEPCA/SERC**
 - **Tom:** Events had some great workshops and plan to bring some to the LEPC. Ironman planning meeting: thorough planning on needs for cone and sign placement, modifying traffic, getting land use permissions etc...for each leg of the race.
 - **Michelle:** Received positive feedback from other communities on Alaska Native Tribal Seat
 - **Sabrina Boone:** Felt LEPCA presentation was well received and appreciated the opportunity to present.

B. Elected Official Report – Wade – None

C. CCFR & AKANG – None

D. Other Member Reports –

- **Destiny:** HAM radio field day - Hagevig Fire Training Center, June 25&26- 10am
- **Britt:** Red Cross Alaska disaster response is very active for spring/winter breakup. Need damage assessment and mental/spiritual care volunteers
- **Elaine:** Covid case count uptick in Juneau. New vaccine eligibility 5 and under.
- **Chris Russell –** 2022 Special Olympics Sat. May 14 at 10am TMHS Torch Run
- **Karen Wood:** JAR has part time veterinary service for low income needs. Short staffed and receiving after hours emergency calls without capacity to handle them.

E. NWS Weather Update – Jon Suk – Near term – no big impact weather. Showers starting towards the end of the weekend, not significant amounts. Cooler than normal climate prediction forecast, occasional frost. Precipitation slightly low but close to normal.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

A. Return to in person LEPC meetings or blended meeting?

- No opposition to blended meetings beginning around July. Michelle will seek out information about meeting rooms with digital capabilities.

IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. COVID-19 Discussions, Information Sharing, and Updates

- CBJ COVID EOC shutting down April 28.

X. ACTION ITEMS

A. None

XI. INFORMATION ITEMS

A. COVID-19 Info

- Fire Training Center Testing – Closed
- BRH-New Name: Juneau COVID-19 Testing Hotline (907) 586-6000 (Old: Community Covid Hotline)
- Juneau COVID-19 Testing Hotline will be limited to scheduling COVID-19 tests. Other inquiries will be directed to external resources
- BRH providing COVID-19 PCR drive-thru testing across from Emergency Dept. entrance. 7 days a week from 8:15 am to 5:45 pm
- Capstone independent testing facility in the Mendenhall Mall next to NOA end. Call before entering. Number posted at door.
- Capstone/Airport offer Vaccinations and Boosters onsite 10:30 am to 7:30 pm thru June 15, 2022

B. “Ready or Not” Preparedness Expo hosted by CCTHITA – Virtual Conference

POC – Lindsey Pierce, Phone: 907.463.7188, E-mail: Lpierce@ccthita-nsn.gov

- Dates: May 17 -19
- Registration Link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2022-juneaus-virtual-disasterresiliency-expo-registration-314845700967>
- Actively seeking partners to present on Preparedness topics. Contact Lindsey

C. AVAP MVI Toolkit & Trauma Notification Training – June 14, 2022 8:30 am-5:00 pm

- June 14, 2022 8:30 am-5:00 pm
- Location: Tlingit & Haida Vocational Training Center, 3239 Hospital Drive
- Open to Whole Community

D. Training-L0489 Management of Spontaneous Volunteers

- Juneau registration details: ACADIS Training Portal
- Training – June 23 Time 8:00am to 4:00pm, Location AKANG/UAS Joint Bldg
- Space is available registration is open to those outside of Juneau

E. Airport Full Scale Exercise – July 23 2022 9am to Noon

- POC – Phil Adams, Airport Superintendent - e-mail: Phil.Adams@jnuairport.com
Office: (907) 586-0921 - Cell: (907) 321-3803
- Final Planning Meeting – June 30 (1-2pm, Airport Alaska Room & Zoom, Blended meeting)
- Exercise – July 23, 2022

F. Ironman – Organized by The IRONMAN Group www.ironman.com

- Local POC – Liz Perry, Travel Juneau - E-mail: liz.perry@traveljuneau.com Work: (907) 586-1761 Mobile: (907) 209-0149
- CCFR POC – Ed Quinto, CCFR E-mail: ed.quinto@juneau.org
- [Seeking community volunteers](#)
- Set-up: Begins Monday, August 1, 2022
- Participant Meetings: Thursday, August 4, 2022 and Friday, August 5, 2022
- Main event: Sunday, August 7, 2022

G. CERT Program – Ongoing Item – Inactive. Seeking strong partnership with CCFR & JPD

XII. NEXT MEETING/S

***Wednesday, June 08th, 2022 – 12:00 pm, - **ZOOM**

****Regular Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month***

*****Future Temporary Meeting Locations***

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, meeting adjourned at 1:00 P.M.