

MINUTES
JUNEAU EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE (LEPC)
Wednesday March 11, 2020, - 12:00 P.M.
Mendenhall Valley Public Library, Conference Room
Juneau, Alaska (Questions Call – 586-0419)

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Dan Garcia called the meeting to order at 12pm and began introductions of attendees. Quorum Present

Members Present:

Scott Erickson, Ed Quinto, Ben Murray, Kim McDowell, Bill Legere, Warren Russell, Patricia Lamson, Dan Garcia, Nicholas Zito, Karen Wood, Ed Williams, Paul Chisholm, Tom Mattice, Michelle Brown

Members Absent:

Rob Edwardson David Campbell, Destiny Sargeant, Todd Cameron, Tonia Montez, Michael Tunley, Bryan Caffrey, Zachariah Fisher

Others Present:

Elaine Hickey – Public Health, Chip Wagoner - Red Cross, MJ Hinman RN- Red Cross, Tristen Trivett – ANC, Jennifer Mannix – CBJ Risk, Daniel Blount – CBJ Safety, Charles Wisner – FAA, Edward Liske – NWS, Megan Rinkenberger – BRH, Candice Coit – JAMHI, Jon Percy – FAA, Scott Rinkenberger – Airport, Charlee Gribbon – BRH Infection Prevention, David Pikul – AK DEC, Mike Pierson- USCG

II. AGENDA CHANGES – Remove COVID-19 TTX from agenda

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – February 12, 2020 Minutes approved unanimously

IV. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- A. Tristan Trivett – Invitation to a Welcome home party at airport for 4 ANG members returning from deployment in 2-3 weeks

V. REPORTS

- A. Southeast Rural Resilience Workshop – Update by Michelle Brown and Chip Wagoner – Well attended in Sitka by most neighboring communities, participating in a workshop on disaster preparedness and planning. National Fire Prevention Association is hosting Wildfire Community Preparedness Day, see Info Items.
- B. Elected Official Report – Rob Edwardson absent
- C. Tom Mattice – CBJ response to COVID-19 is long ramp up, with ongoing community meetings and working groups. It's a marathon, not a sprint. "High" Urban Avalanche danger, see juneau.org/avalanche.
- D. Elaine Hickey – Get a Flu shot! 6 months+. Do not show up unannounced at health care provider if you're sick.
- E. Dan Garcia – Cleaning surfaces; contact time is important, 60sec-3 min. Read labels.
- F. Kim McDowell – BRH is working through plan for inundation of patients, and monitoring entrances.
- G. Bill Legere – Any Business closures or implementing work from home? When will outbreak peak in Juneau? Charlee Gribbon – Peak may be in about 6 weeks.
- H. Karen Wood – Animal control offering webinar training on viral infections of pets.

VI. NEW BUSINESS – Help us create a calendar of Juneau’s available trainings by sending any plans to Tom or Michelle to be turned in at the Emergency Management Conference on April 14. Also let Tom know of training needs you have, now or presumptive.

VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. COVID-19 Update – TTX canceled from Agenda

B. All-Hazards Preparedness Activities

- Sub-Committee update – Did not meet this week, compiling calendar and seeking volunteers to work info tables.
- Dan Garcia update on public handout about LEPC’s mission and resources – no update
- Gold Medal Games March 22-28 (Who can man a info table w/Red Cross)
- FAA Aviation Safety Stand-down – Thur. March 26th
- Community Health Fair, Sat. March 21st 8am-1:30pm (Who can man an info table w/ Red Cross)
- Wildfire Community Preparedness Day, Sat. May 2nd (Would someone take leadership of event?)

VIII. ACTION ITEMS - None

IX. INFORMATION ITEMS – Contact Tom Mattice 586-0419

A. Census – General Communications Messaging

- January-March 11: Education/Awareness
- March 9-April 15: Take the Census
- April 15-June 30: Thank you for taking the Census

B. BRH/Community Health Fair-TMHS Saturday, March 21, 8am-1:30pm (Volunteers needed)

C. Spring Emergency Management Conference w/ LEPCA & SERC meetings – Anchorage April 14-19

D. Gold Medal Games Sunday thru Saturday March 22-28 (Volunteers needed)

E. Salmon Creek Dam 5 Year EAP Revision & Exercise-POC Christy Yearous 463-6387

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- 3/31/2020 Tuesday 9am TTX Planning Meeting at AELP Lemon Creek Office
- 07/16/20 Thursday Functional Exercise (Details TBA)

F. Wildfire Community Preparedness Day, Sat. May 2 (Details see flyer included in Agenda Items)

G. Spring Emergency Management Conference w/LEPCA & SERC meetings-Anchorage April 14-19

H. LEPC Seat & Bylaws Changes (From January 2018 LEPC meeting)

- Resolution to add new Health Seat, change Vulnerable Populations seat name to Access & Functional Needs, and update Bylaws is on hold until State SERC and LEPCA changes are announced.

I. AWR 144: Port and Vessel Security for Public Safety and Maritime Personal

- Monday, April 20, 8am-5pm, KTN Fire Dept. (Details see flyer included in Agenda items)
- Monday, April 22, 8am-5pm, Sitka Fire Dept. (Details see flyer included in Agenda items)

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

XI. NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, April 15th, 2020 – 12:00 pm, - Location Mendenhall Valley Public Library

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

XII. ADJOURNMENT at 12:50