

FINAL MINUTES
LEPC/JUNEAU LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE
March 14, 2012

Bartlett Regional Hospital Administrative Building – Classroom 204 A- Call to Order: 12:03PM

I. Call to Order

- A. Call to order - Chairman Dan Garcia
- B. Roll Call – Secretary Chava Lee
- C. Quorum establish

Voting Members Present: Tom Mattice; Michelle Brown; Ed mercer; David Campbell; Nathan Young; Destiny Sargent; Mike Lopez; Rose Lawhorne; Bill Legere Ernie Mueller; Dan Garcia; Chava Lee

Members Absent: Ruth Danner; Johan Dybdahl; Rich Ethridge; Alison Brehmer; Joel Curtis; Bob Herman; Brad Kiefer; Ed Williams

Others Present: Daniel Brady; Geralyn Davis; Pamela Mueller-Guy; Janet Lumiansky; Matt Musslewhite; Jeremy Johnson

II. Agenda Changes - None

III. Approval of Minutes – February minutes approved.

IV. Public Participation – Non-Agenda Items (10 Minutes) – None

V. Reports

A. Welcome New LEPC Seat Volunteers

The terms for these seats are due to expire December 31, 2014

- 1. Seat 2a Alternate Law Enforcement Seat – Lt David S Campbell
- 2. Seat 4 Public Seat – Alison Brehmer
- 3. Seat 4a Alternate Public – Destiny Sargeant

The term of this seat is due to expire December 31, 2012

- 4. Seat 6 Media Seat – Bill Legere

B. Manager's Designee Report by Tom Mattice, Emergency Programs Manager

1. Report on Avalanche Mitigation Study

Tom reported on avalanche mitigation and the snowy conditions affecting Juneau this season. Avalanche mitigation was reported to the Juneau Assembly. This included but was not limited to new information about the Behrends Ave and White Subdivision avalanche and potential avalanche dangers. This presentation included information about a potential buy out plan for homes located in the Behrends avalanche zone where 22 homes could potentially be affected. The report also stated that an avalanche in this area cannot be stopped or mitigated. Mitigation could possibly work in the White Subdivision. A presentation will be made to the public on March 19th. Avalanche mitigation was reported to the Juneau Assembly. This included but was not limited to new information about the

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2. Patient Tracking System

A new patient tracking system is now available and in use in all communities. Data bases are currently being set up. Upcoming web training is scheduled for April 3rd. Let Michelle know if you would like to participate. Juneau, Sitka, Petersburg and Wrangell will have on site events with one day of training and one day exercise on the use of the equipment no date has been set for that instruction.

3. GETS Communication System

Critical facilities in Alaska communities can get a GETS card for use of land lines in an emergency when system is overloaded. Cell phone could get wireless priority service. New Business

C. Red Cross – Ernie Mueller

Ernie Mueller reported on Fires throughout Southeast. He also informed the group about training on April 19th 2012 by Christin Bomengen the International Humanitarian Law instructor for the Red Cross. The shelter operations training on March 3rd was a success.

D. Food Security Subcommittee

The last food Security Subcommittee meeting went well. The committee is promoting a project to get 150-300 word stories about emergency food preparedness from the public that will show how people are putting together their emergency food supplies or stories about the use of emergency food supplies. The contest will be in September.

VI. NEW BUSINESS

None

VII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

VIII. ACTION ITEMS

IX. INFORMATION ITEMS

A. Public Hearing-Avalanche Mitigation Study-Monday, March 19-CBJ Assembly Chambers 7 PM

B. Bi-Annual Preparedness Conference and LEPCA meeting April 9 thru April 13

C. Recent HAZMAT Team Response

D. Emergency Food Preparedness meeting – April 4th and April 25th, 6 PM at BRH

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E. CERT Kickoff meeting – March 21st, 6-7:30 PM at BRH Admin Classroom

The CERT kick off meeting will focus on all members who have been active or participated since 2002. The meeting will be March 21 6 – 7:30 at BRH. Contact Jeremy to sign up or for more information at 957-5368.

F. UAF Extension – Clucko De Mayo, May 5th

G. Avalanche Search & Rescue near Dan Moeller – near Dan Moeller, Sunday, March 18th, 8 AM – 4 PM

X. NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, April 11, 2012 – 12 PM

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

XI. ADJORNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 1:07