

**Medina County LEPC Meeting
January 28, 2010**

Members Present:	Christina Fozio-EMA	John Gotheridge-Retired
	Shandra DeVoe-EMA	Alliss Strogan-C.A.R.E.
	Ed Schneider-Retired	Mike Salamone-Medina Co. Public Transit
	Dave Kersten-Red Cross	Jacqui Russell-Medina Hospital
	Buck Adams-EMA	Don Stewart-MC Health Dept
	Vikki Bunting-OEMA	Jean Daniel-MC Health Dept
	Reggie Brown-OEPA	Mark Albrecht-Albrecht Trucking
	Ron Fodo-OEPA	Sheriff Hassinger-Medina Co. Sheriff
	Jim Bigam-Medina Hospital	

The Medina County LEPC Meeting was called to order at 8:32am.

A motion to approve the November 19, 2009 meeting minutes was made by Ed Schneider, seconded by Dave Kersten and unanimously approved by all.

Introduction of members

Correspondence: Buck Adams

- ❖ We have received the HMEP Grant for approximately \$6,400.

Budget Update: Buck Adams

- ❖ Commissioners have allotted \$8,000 to the LEPC.
- ❖ The EMA would like to take on the Tier 2 project this year if the hospitals are not interested.

Exercise Update: Buck Adams

- ❖ EMA participation will be on March 18th.
- ❖ Invitations will be going out this week of next (January 29th or the week of February 1st).
- ❖ It will be a functional EOC dealing with snow, ice, wind and an overturned tanker
- ❖ Red Cross will be the simulators
- ❖ EMA will exercise emergency notification, EOC Operations, Communication, Resource Management, Traffic access and control, and PIO
- ❖ Handout on exercise status

Hospital Updates: Jim Bigam

- ❖ There was an unexpected loss of phones (Code Yellow) at the hospital on Friday, January 22nd and Saturday, January 23rd.
- ❖ The cause is unknown at this time
- ❖ Alliss recommends AT&T

- ❖ Vikki from OEMA would like a copy of the debriefing (AAR) on the loss of phones to share with other hospitals in other counties

EMA: Buck Adams

- ❖ EMA will be planning another exercise with the accountability equipment recently purchased
- ❖ Buck has made a motion to approve Resolution 2010-003 seconded by Sheriff Hassinger and unanimously approved by all.
- ❖ The monies from the above resolution will arrive around August or September of 2010.
- ❖ The meeting dates for the LEPC will be changed, starting in July 2010 from the 4th Thursday to the 1st Thursday and they will remain every other month.

Once Around: All members

- ❖ Alliss (C.A.R.E.) There have been several trainings for all members
 - Next training is Feb. 6th –Swift Water animal rescue course in Medina
 - FEMA has awarded a grant in the amount of \$15,000 for equipment
- ❖ Ed (retired) would like to see the members affiliation added with their name on the minutes
- ❖ John (retired) would like to recognize and thank the Medina Co. Health Dept for all their hard work and a successful flu clinic on Brunswick
- ❖ Dave K (Red Cross) Feb. 5th is the Chocolate Fair, and the Red Cross assisted two families after fires destroyed their homes or a portion of.
- ❖ Reggie (OEPA) has a handout on the spills in Medina County, and he would like to add spills to the agenda to be more proactive in getting the information to EMA and LEPC
- ❖ Don and Jean (MC Health Dept) the Health Dept has given 25,000 vaccinations so far and are now taking appointments (approx 60/day)
 - They are done with the schools and will be at Job & Family services
- ❖ EMA has a new intern from the University of Akron that will be working on and completing a new Hazmat traffic corridor study

A motion to adjourn at 9:41am was made by Dave Kersten, seconded by Mark Albrecht and unanimously approved by all.

***The meeting following the March 25th meeting will be on May 27th.