

**Medina County LEPC Meeting
October 1, 2009
(Moved from September 24th)**

Members Present:	Christina Fozio	John Gotheridge
	Buck Adams	Shandra DeVoe
	Jacqui Russell	Mike Kollert
	Alliss Strogin	James Bigam
	Ed Schneider	Dave Kersten
	Ron Zambetti	Sheriff Hassinger
	Don Stewart	Chief Bob Painter
	John Holmes	Mark Albrecht
	Reggie Brown	Leland Coddling
	Ricki Gerber	

The Medina County LEPC Meeting was called to order at 8:36am.

A motion to approve the July 23, 2009 meeting minutes was made by Sheriff Hassinger, seconded by Ed Schneider and unanimously approved by all.

CORRESPONDANCE: Reported by Buck Adams and Shandra DeVoe

- Buck passed out a handout called Roll Call Release about Phosphine poisoning
- The LEPC has received our grant for \$25,000
- Shandra passed around the LEPC SERC compliance report that was submitted on September 16, 2009
- Shandra also passed around the OEMA approval of the Medina County's LEPC exercise held on April 29, 2009. Also attached was the OEMA exercise report which was submitted to SERC in August 2009
- Reggie is going to check on the number of spills that have occurred so far this year. The two discussed were the Marathon Station on Rt. 303 and the Ohio Edison on Pearl Rd.
- A truck with Toluene overturned and was responded to by hazmat, but there was no spill.

EMA: Buck reporting

- EMA is working on a communication plan with a consultant and will keep this committee up to date on its progress, as it is in the early stages
- There will be a Statewide exercise with the LEPC's in April of 2010. The State and Local EMA/LEPC will work together to meet everyone's exercise requirements
 - The scenario may be a utilities exercise as the State is working with the Army Corp of Engineers
 - Locally it will be a functional EOC with no responders in the field and it will focus on EOC, communications, public info., and resource management
 - Those LEPC's involved will include most along the I-71 corridor

H1N1: Don Stewart reporting

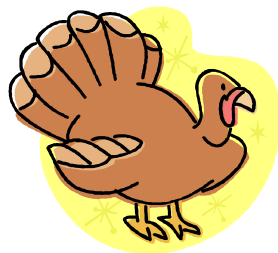
- The seasonal flu clinics have started 2-3 weeks early so as to not interfere with the H1N1 administration
- The H1N1 shipments may be here as early as next week (Oct 5th), however it may be the nasal spray and not the shot
- To learn more about priority and other information please go to medinahealth.org
- The Medina Health Dept has been asked to inspect the conditions of the receiving facilities of the H1N1 vaccine for proper storage and handling
- The Medina County Health Dept has also been working with the schools to vaccinate the children and has had good results
- As of now, people are only being tested for H1N1 if they are hospitalized
- Medina and Lodi hospitals have flu hotlines

Once Around:

- Alliss gave us a C.A.R.E. update, Christina (EMA) will be handling the money that C.A.R.E. will receive (around \$15,000), there will be a C.A.R.E. full mock disaster in Lorain County this Saturday that will include about 40 animals
- Reggie states that the EPA has decided to keep its emergency response function, however services are going to change due to job cuts
- Just a reminder that Justin Bechtel will be deployed to Afghanistan soon for a year with the National Guard. Estimated return will be December 2010.
- Ricki Gerber from Wadsworth Hospital introduction

A motion to adjourn at 9:25am was made by Mark Albrecht, seconded by John Holmes and unanimously approved by all.

The next meeting after the **November 19th** will be [January 28, 2010](#).



Have a good Thanksgiving



and Christmas