

**Medina County LEPC Meeting
September 6, 2012**

Members Present:	Shandra DeVoe - EMA	Alliss Strogin – C.A.R.E.
	Justin Bechtel – MC Health Dept	Ron Fodo- Ohio EPA
	Jeff Harraman - EMA	Mike Salamone-MC Public Transit
	Dennis Miller – EMA	Chief Bob Painter-Medina City FD
	Neil Hassinger- MC Sheriff	Mark Albrecht – Albrecht Trucking
	Christina Fozio-EMA	Don Stewart –MC Health Dept
	Mike Kollert – WRH EMS Coord	Greg Smith – Medina Hospital
	Vikki Bunting – OEMA	Jim Bigam-Medina Hospital
	Ron Zambetti – Westfield Group	Joe Cavaretta-Red Cross

The Medina County LEPC Meeting was called to order at 8:30am.

A motion to approve the July 5, 2012 meeting minutes was made by Justin Bechtel, seconded by Mike Kollert, and unanimously approved by all.

A motion to approve Resolution 2012-019 allowing the Medina County EMA to review Annex 1 of the Medina County EOP, as read by Chairperson Jim Bigam, was made by Chief Painter, seconded by Mike Kollert and unanimously approved by the remaining members.

The Medina County Hazardous Materials Plan has been updated, sent to and received by the Ohio EMA for their review and acceptance. Vikki Bunting from the Ohio EMA received the plan on August 22, 2012. She stated in an email she will begin review of the plan “on or about September 24th”.

Dennis Miller from the EMA has no incidents to report from the last LEPC meeting until today.

All members of the EMA along with other County first responders will be attending the Planning Section Chief course that will be held September 10-13, 2012. This course was made possible by a grant acquired from the PUCO. This course goes along with the other two (Resource Unit and Situation Unit Leader) that will be beneficial in the formation of the County Incident Management Team (IMT).

The EMA is in the process of creating and handing out public relation items for the County Mass Notification System. You may sign up by going to www.ema.medinaco.org and clicking on the link at the bottom of the front page. This is the Citizen Sign-up page.

Once Around

Alliss from C.A.R.E. reports the annual Doggy Pool Party debuted the new (used) vehicle named Twila and the fundraiser brought in approximately \$900. C.A.R.E. would like to schedule some large animal training for their members.

Joe Cavaretta from the Red Cross reports the Red Cross will be doing fire safety walks and handing out fire prevention material as October is Fire Prevention month.

Ron Zambetti from Westfield Group stated there will be an all facility full scale evacuation drill at Westfield on October 4th.

Mark Albrecht from Albrecht Trucking was concerned about the progress of the railroad tracks on Columbia Rd., and there is no progress as of yet according to EMA Director Christina Fozio.

Justin Bechtel from the Medina Co. Health Dept. reports the Health Dept has received an 87 this year on its CRI as compared to a 60 last year. Justin, Greg Smith, and Buck Adams will be instructing an ICS 300 course Sept. 24-26, 2012 and ICS 400 Oct. 3-4, 2012 at the Medina Co. Health Dept. and both classes are full at this time. The next NECO SNS drill will be in October or November of this year.

Dennis Miller from EMA reports the County HazMat Team has completed the Typing process and will formally be a Type II Team after September 18th.

Greg Smith from Medina Hospital would like to announce the next NECO Regional exercise will be on April 25, 2013.

Jim Bigam would like to report that one of the founding EMA/LEPC members and former Medina Hospital EMS Coordinator, Ann Cripps has passed away.

Mark Albrecht made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Greg Smith and approved by all members at 8:55 am.

Remainder of 2012 Schedule:

November 1st

2013 Schedule

1st Thursday of every other month

January 3rd

March 7th

May 2nd

July 11th – Second Thursday due to Holiday

September 5th

November 7th