

LEPC – Local Emergency Planning Committee Meeting Minutes for July 7, 2022

Location: Frank Walterhouse Board of Commissioners Room

Zoom meeting ID 830 5388 0864

Attendees:

Rebecca Hubers – OEM/ BCD (present)

Mike Johnson – BCRC (present)

Kyle Rosa – BCSO (present)

Bobbi Scott – BLDHD (present)

Jolanda Murphy – GTB (online)

Tom King – BEMS (present)

Gary Sauer – BOC (present)

Matthew McCaul – MSP (present)

Guests: Jennifer Neal – online – Networks Northwest

Meeting called to order at 2:00pm by Rebecca Hubers.

1. **Roll Call** – R. Hubers confirmed present the participants identified on Zoom and added them to the sign in sheet for record. At least 6 members physically present to qualify a quorum.
2. **Agenda** - *Motion to approve the agenda as presented. Motion by Rosa, second by Sauer* – motion carried
3. **Minutes** - *Motion to approve the minutes from June 20, 2022, by Scott, second by King* - motion carried
4. **Public Comments** - No public comment at the time.
5. **New Business** -

A. Debris management – Rebecca discussed the last presentation to the LPT regarding debris management asked the groups opinion for locations or if she should continue with asking for debris management input from the local communities. General opinion to seek input on debris management for local communities. Rebecca to make an effort to put herself on agendas at local township meeting reference debris management.

B. List of upcoming training and exercises -

Campus Active Shooter integrated Response – Frankfort Aug 2, 3, 2022

Search and Rescue Initial Response – Honor August 26, 2022

Cherry Capital Airport full scale exercise August 10, 2022 (still looking for victims)

Leelanau County Active Shooter Response – Empire August 16, 2022

Mason County Active Assailant Response – August 25, 2022

Civilian Response to Active Shooter Events – Beulah September 8 or 9, 2022

Manistee County Law Enforcement Active Shooter Emergency Response September 6, 7, 2022

Please contact Rebecca for contacts of more details.

6. **Old Business** – Networks Northwest – progress on County Hazard Mitigation Plan

Group assisted with listings for vulnerable population areas and campgrounds to finish mapping. Networks Northwest to have partial draft ready for review in August so group can start to work on strategies.

7. **Board Member Comments -**

- Hubers - Listed trainings earlier. 911 to advertise for a new Director in later August for October hire. Two emergency Communication Specialists openings. Hubers to remain the Emergency Management Coordinator.
- Murphy- GTB - COVID vaccinations and testing by appointment. August 29-31 Run Hide Fight training for staff.
- King- Ambulance deer crashes. Nothing serious. One FT paramedic Opening.
- Rosa- Taking applications for one open corrections officer position
- Johnson- Esch Road repairs July 15- Late August.
- McCaul- Resident Troopers in place. Trooper Skorka CST covering several counties.
- Scott- Increase in outbreaks at LTC facilities over the last two weeks. Illness has been mild however some hospitalizations due to subsequent medical issues, not necessarily COVID symptoms that are admitting diagnosis.
- Antiviral and therapeutics along with high vaccination rates continue to keep systems from being overwhelmed. BLDHD daily average Munson census of 2-3 residents admitted. One death for Benzie County that will be reported out today/this week.

Covid testing POMH: Tuesdays and Fridays from 10am – 3pm and Lake Leelanau M/W/F from 10a – 2p

Covid vaccinations have vaccines for 6 months + available in both counties one day per week go to www.bldhd.org to schedule an appointment.

No other committee member comments.

8. **Public Comment** - No additional Public Comments

9. **NEXT MEEING:** August 15, 2022 at 2pm

10. **Adjournment** - *Motion to adjourn by Rosa, second by King* – motion carried.

Meeting length for in-Kind form = 1 hrs. Meeting adjourned 2:50pm

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