

Grant Local Emergency Planning Committee

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LEPC March 17, 2016

Don Button called the meeting to order at 11:40am on March 17, 2016 with six members present. Those present were Don Button, Vivian Button, Jerry Jo Deckert, Richard Everett, Toni Irvin and Cathy Hernandez.

Richard Everett made a "Motion to Approve the Minutes of the February Meeting". Jerry Jo Deckert seconded. Motion passed.

Several Tier IIs have been received since the last meeting. We have received Tier IIs for 83 locations in Grant County.

The Commissioners approved and signed the new bylaws for the LEPC. These bylaws have been submitted to the state as required.

The committee discussed Emergency Support Function 1 and 3. Randy had talked to Don and said they looked OK to him. The web site for the Emergency Response book needs to be updated when the 2016 version comes out and a few spelling issues and spell out some acronyms. Also the State Animal Response Team and the Regional Animal Response teams need to be inserted.

Jeff Hutton from the Dodge City National Weather Service conducted Storm Identification training at Legacy @ Parkview which 45 attended on Tuesday March 1st in the afternoon. He also conducted the Storm Identification and Spotter Training at 7PM at the Civic Center which was attended by 61 citizens and responders. Don Button conducted a weather class for the bus drivers. Jerry Jo Deckert thought it would be a good idea to share the weather information at the Senior Center.

The Health Department closed on February 18 and all attended the 73rd Civil Support Donning and doffing class in Dodge City..

Richard Everett and the Health Departments have been working on a Mass Fatality Standard Operating Guide. They are asking departments to look at what their training needs are and they hope to bring some training to assist the counties. Jerry Deckert asked questions about the guide. The Guide has been approved by Dr. Peterson the District Corner.

Jerry Deckert stated EMS held Pediatric Emergency Care class on March 5th and 6th. 15 were certified and several attended for continuing education. Those attending were nurses, EMTs and Paramedics.

Toni Irvin was welcomed to the group as the interim Health Department Administrator.

Don Button gave an update on the Regional Council. The council will meet in Ulysses on March 28 to go over the Fiscal year 16 funding proposals and projects.

The Paradigm meeting will be March 22 at Grant County Civic Center at 11:30am for the Kansas Pipeline Association.

The Local Emergency Planning Committee Tech Hazards Conference will be July 20 and 21 in Manhattan. This is the same week as fair.

Garden City Community College will be hosting an Active Shooter Response Training Instructor Course from the ALiCE Training Institute. It will be April 13 and 14th. The cost is \$595.00 per person.

Kansas Division of Emergency Management will be conducting MGT414 Advanced Critical Infrastructure Protection Training on April 21, PER 304 Social Media for Natural Disaster Response and Recovery Training on April 25 and Emergency Operations Plan Workshop June 1-2 all in Garden City.

Don talked about the Regional County Exercises. The Lane-Scott Exercise will be held on April 21 the date of our next meeting. Jerry Jo recommended we change the date of the LEPC so Don can attend this exercise. The committee decided to change the meeting date to Tuesday April 19 at 11:30am.

The next meeting will be Tuesday April 19 at 11:30am at Grant County Courthouse Basement training room.

Jerry Deckert made a motion to adjourn and Toni Irvin seconded. Motion carried and meeting was adjourned at 12:47pm.

Meeting dates other items at same time

May 19

June 16

July 21 Fair is 16 to 23 -LEPC Tech Conference is 20-21

August 18

September 15 KEMA Conference 13 - 16

October 20

November 17