

11.15.23 HCC Meeting Notes

- Meeting Opening
 - Call to order/ Identify Meeting Quorum – 10:01am
 - Welcome
 - Round of introductions – new faces
 - Approval of previous Meeting Minutes (9/20/23)
 - Motion: Amanda Crop(?)
 - Second: Tony Lamb (Mulvane EMS)
 - Approval of today's Agenda
 - Motion: Chris Palmberg
 - Second: Chelsea Jackson
- Four Core & Healthcare Report
 - Public Health
 - Skip: not too much; flu clinics; exercises; CRI & SCMR spring exercise – Mass Fatality.
 - Hospitals
 - None
 - EMS
 - Tony Lamb – nothing to report.
 - Emergency Management
 - Cody Charvat - nothing specific
 - Communications – new radios
 - Clinical Advisor
 - None
- Business Session
 - KDHE (Peter Raferty)
 - none
 - KDEM
 - none
 - KHA (Ron Marshall)
 - none
- Office of the State Fire Marshal (Gregg Bollella)
 - Introduction and Review of the Fire Marshals Office
 - Career EMS; some fire; 3rd HCC meeting
 - Incident command and disaster at EMS
 - Two state programs: regional hazardous materials response teams & search and rescue
 - Organizational chart – Doug Jorgensen retired as state fire marshal.
 - Mark Engholm – new fire marshal
 - All programs managed locally.
 - They provide resources, equipment, and training.
 - Hazmat teams distributed across state.
 - Simplified
 - Spill or release somewhere.
 - Spiller/responsible party calls 911.
 - Local responders respond and assess the situation.
 - Local responders call for more help.

- What is more help?
 - Who gets called?
 - How long will it take to get to the scene?
- KS Regional HAZ Mat Teams are emergency responders.
 - They do not clean up.
 - Assess problem.
 - Rescue injured or effected as needed.
 - Provide decontamination for responders or others effected.
 - Research the chemicals.
 - Call for more help as needed.
 - Can find someone to do cleanup.
 - Spiller required to pay for cleanup. Most have insurance to cover.
 - Toll free number: 1-866-542-9628
- 73rd Civil Support Team
 - National Guard asset in Topeka
 - Cover hazardous materials, WMDs, and emergency response.
 - Ultimate subject matter experts
 - Must meet criteria in order to call on them.
 - Locals can call; KDEM can call; fire marshals office can call.
- Kansas Search and Rescue Program
 - Have teams across the state.
 - Task force 1 is out of state team.
 - Moved to fire marshal office in 2015.
 - Response reimbursement
 - Will bill states for the deployment of task force 1.
 - Have responded to Greensburg Tornado, Hurricane Harvey, Chapman Tornado, Hurricane Dorian, Andover Tornado, etc.
 - Request
 - Contact county EM who will contact KDEM duty officer, who will contact the office of fire marshal
 - Can do:
 - Integration into local ICS/IMT
 - Taskforce command and planning
 - Recon
 - Search Operations
 - Physical, technical, canine
 - Rescue operations
 - Damage assessment and structural integrity
 - GPS mapping
 - SAR Teams can
 - Initial medical care for victims and TF members
 - Initial hazmat assessment
 - Liaison with heavy equipment/crane operators
 - SAR in flood/water environment
- SCKS HCC Updates (Jaime)

- DMSU Field Exercise (10/5/23)
 - Successfully tested equipment. Opened and deployed hospital tents. Got water running. Field exercise to use equipment. Fire district used drones. Radios tested as well. Maintenance conducted on prime mover.
- NDMS/ICT functional exercise (10/26/2023)
 - Airport functional exercise. Full scale next year – real airplanes with fake patients. IDed communication issues.
- R7 HCC Meeting (11/7 – 11/8)
 - First time meeting in person. Overland park. Consists of KS, Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri. Presentations and networking with HCC in other states.
- Consultant update for MRSE and Chemical Annex
 - Hired for exercise coming up. Making exercise into one consistent exercise for across the state and regions. Identifying different companies to go with.
- New RRC phone number information 1-855-HCC-KSR1 or 1-855-422-5771 – Jaime Anderson extension 8 and 9
- Upcoming HCC Meeting trainings: bloodborne pathogen and HCC 101 module #1
- Executive Committee secretary vacancy
- County Round Table Report
 - Barber
 - Amanda Crop – TTX for disaster for next year. Found gaps.
 - Barton
 - Brooke White with (?) - LEPC meetings
 - Butler
 - Broderick – finishing vaccine clinics; vaccine fatigue; statewide campaign for MRC; will be shooting videos; push; seeking all medical roles.
 - Comanche
 - Chelseas Jackson – LEPC meeting for TTX planning
 - Cowley
 - Candi – IPPW/LEPC; active violence TTX discussion; emergency preparedness weather brief with local businesses
 - Edwards
 - none
 - Harper
 - Jan Harding - LEPC meeting; disaster drill with fire districts
 - Harvey
 - Skip – flu clinics; revamping preparedness trailer; PODs for dispensing; co-running with EM; EM – tornado exercise at long term care; tested new staff; tested plan. Full scale exercise with Kansas Christian Home – gas leak – evacuate 1-2 wings; test plans to transport to sister facilities.
 - Kingman
 - none
 - Kiowa
 - none
 - Marion

- Krista schneider- Hillsboro and St. Luke hospitals present as well. LEPC meeting tomorrow. ESF-8 meeting getting together; working with LE EMS Fire – consequences day with high school – cyber problems, drugs and alcohol, texting and driving. Fire prevention week; vaccine clinics
 - Scott brasil – St. Luke – LEPC meetings; railroads coming to talk about safety; state fire marshal came by
 - McPherson
 - none
 - Pawnee
 - Cheryl Holbright – health dept – vaccines; lots of demand; LEPC meeting before end of the year.
 - Jewel Davis - hospital – next year’s exercises; vaccines.
 - Pratt
 - Sherry Messer – LEPC meeting; NWS winter storm ice storm plan
 - Reno
 - none
 - Rice
 - Channer McCalles – updating entire disaster plan; hazmat plan; working with local EMS and local plants to discuss EOPs and their protocols.
 - Sedgwick
 - Stephanie health department – carbon monoxide detectors – 7 campers with high levels – fire dept found leaks – 40 carbon monoxide detectors given out. Hosting regional MRC for a commercial in January. All medical roles being accepted. Testing health EOC in radio call down drill in February.
 - Cody Charvat – LEPC meeting tomorrow; opened hurt city - heavy urban rescue training – got donations – full size tanker car – 3 old school buses. EM had IPPW; pushing COOP update.
 - Stafford
 - none
 - Sumner
 - Cheryl wright health department – vaccine clinics; mental health first aid training to staff; esf8 team being built.
 - Red Cross
 - Sara Magnasco – can do ESF-6 sheltering training for health departments; can train about red cross integration into sheltering plans; anyone who wants to learn how to set up a shelter can be trained by red cross.
 - NWS
 - Any exercises, if weather related – go to NWS offices and they will provide information as well as participate in any weather-related exercises.
- Adjourn – 11:00am
 - Next meeting: January 17, 2024