

**Rockingham County Local Emergency Planning Committee
Morehead Hospital
January 12th, 2011**

Members Present: 13 members present. Johnny Bowles-Rockingham County EM, Rock Sumner – Moses Cone Health System, Billy Parker – Rockingham County Sheriff Dept., Steve Hale – Private Citizen, Anne Mills – Morehead Hospital, Dena Reid – City of Eden, Randy Evans – RCC, Walter Romine – Williams Pipeline, Melinda Ward, City of Eden, Diane Zihal – Rockingham County Schools, Grady Paschal – Miller Coors, Doug Vick – Miller Coors, Gary Wilkins – Piedmont Natural Gas.

The meeting was called to order by Doug Vick, President at 9:00 a.m.

Minutes of the October 13th, 2010 meeting were approved as presented. (1st: S. Hale, 2nd: G. Paschal).

Training Update: Johnny Bowles, Steve Hale

- County to do Gang Bioterrorism full scale exercise in April.
- Miller Coors to do their annual spring exercise Mid April.
- NIMS 300 night time class schedule for February
- NIMS 400 night time class schedule for March
- HazMat Operational Class will be held in February, 2 weekends all day Saturday & Sunday.
- Any agency needing NIMS classes, to contact Steve Hale or Randy Evans

Emergency Management Report: Johnny Bowles for Dennis Hancock

- State EM working with the counties on “County Profiles” and VHEMP surveys to be placed in WebEoc.
- Rockingham County completed a Capabilities survey
- Licensed Care Facility plan is now available on State EM website.

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- Steve – Missing representatives from other local industries, municipal Fire/Law agencies, county fires, which were active in the past. Suggestion made that Johnny Bowles meet face to face with these agencies & other businesses and invite them back to the LEPC. Johnny request that we work on a list of partners we would like to invite to the LEPC and have this list made available at the next meeting. Walter Romine & Steve Hale volunteered to assist Johnny with going to these partners and extending an invitation. Doug suggested that when we meet with these agencies to see what the LEPC can do better to assist them.

- Johnny - County has received 2 generators 150kw & 75kw from a homeland security grant.
- Johnny - New Emergency Services website in place, with a calendar to request use of the EOC. <http://rockingham.es.org>
- Ann Mills – wanted to know if EM can do a presentation for the hospital to explain what EM does and resources available.
- Steve – If there are any grants through business to let Johnny know, there are several wants that we have. Possible use is license for WebEoc. Currently the county uses the state licenses, which is for county use only. If county had their own license, we could provide passwords to LEPC members so that can see the resources order from EM, pertaining to their respective agencies.

The next meeting is scheduled for April 13, 2011 @ 9am at Emergency Services Building.

With no further business, the meeting adjourned

Respectfully Submitted:

Johnny Bowles
Secretary