



MINUTES

Calcasieu Parish Local Planning Committee

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Scripted Minutes

June 18, 2013, – 10:00AM – 901 Lakeshore Dr., 2nd Floor - Lake Charles, LA 70601
Members in Attendance

Atherton, Charlie - LEPC	P	LaFleur, Sean - LSP	X	Satterfield, Greg - Basell	X
Daughdril, Rob - At Large Member	P	Lindsay, Mason - Chairman	P	Savoie, Jude - CFD	X
Danny Dupre - SFD	P	Little, Jim – At Large Member	X	- At Large Member	
Franklin, Ben - CPSB	X	Martin, Robin - 911	P	Tower, Ron – Phillips 66	P
Gremillion, Dick– Treasurer	P	Merchant, Jerry– Transportation Rep	P	Wittler Megan – OEP Secretary	P
Griggs, Joy– DDH /OPH	X	Picou, Jacques - WLFD	P	Gaytan, Hugo - USCG	X
Murray, Keith - LCFD	P	Porter, John (LSP-ESU Tech Superv)	X	SIEC (vacant)	
Johnson, Ron - CPSO	X	Pullin, Gerald – Vice Chairman	P	NG – (vacant)	
Jouett, Angela - CERT	P	Rhodes, Lt. Robert - LCPD	P	Visual Media (vacant)	
Kingham, Bobby - DEQ	X	Richardson, P. - Organized Labor	P	Media (vacant)	

P = Present X = Absent

Called in Absent:

Called to order: Mason Lindsay

Sign in Sheet: All members sign in on the sign-in sheet

Pledge: Pat Richardson

Make Motion to accept the minutes: Pat Richardson

2nd Motion to accept the minutes: Robin Martin

Old Business:

Treasury Report: \$86,301.23

- ✓ Have a copy of the Annex H of the LEPC plan sent by email to the group for review and comments and report on it next meeting

I. New Business:

Treasury Report: \$86,456.78

1. Have a few members of the committee go to each council meeting and meet and greet with the municipals, and get them aware of what LEPC is

2. Keith Murray - LCFD will be doing their second round of pre plans of the Lake Charles area, each year they do and complete them twice.
2. **Communications Update:**
3. **Siren: Jerry Merchant –**
 - Programming to be complete through 911 so they will be able to set off the siren system, for now the Vinton Police Department has the other console and has been doing the testing of the sirens each time
 - Really getting a good feedback from the citizens and want to get with the other organizations to send out a letter or something of important to let everyone know what it's for.
4. **Drills: Rob –**
 - Will be a tabletop exercise tomorrow June 19, 2013 @ 9:00AM here in the EOC
 - Everyone that can come and be observer can
 - It is a Sulphur area drill
 - Next month on July 13, 2013 will be the full scale functional drill, and will also need observer for that also
5. **Incidents: Geismar Chemical plant explosion –**
 - Hazmat crew and emergency responders to the scene of a powerful explosion and fire at a petro chemical plant up river. 1 killed, 77 injured
 - the name of the facility is Williams Olefins, one of the many petro chemical plants that line the Mississippi River between New Orleans and Baton Rouge
 - Mid-afternoon, crews stabilized the situation at the plant. They determined the explosion happened in a unit that produces a highly flammable gas known as propylene – one of the basic building blocks used in the petro chemical industry.
 - Local residents were asked to shelter in place and some of the neighboring plants evacuated.
 - Investigators believe most of the propylene burned off before leaving the 25-acre plant site.
6. **Tier II:**
7. **Training: Keith Murray –**
 - Training is on Monday and Fridays, below are the following dates it will be held @ LCFD training building
 - June 7th and 10th - NIMS 300
 - June 14th and 17th – NIMS 300
 - June 21st and 24th – NIMS 300
 - June 28th and 30th – NIMS 300
 - July 12th and 15th – NIMS 400
 - July 19th and 22nd – NIMS 400
 - July 26th and 29th- NIMS 400
 - August 2nd and 5th – NIMS 400
 - August 9th and 12th – NIMS 400
 - August 16th and 19th – NIMS 400
8. **Survey with Dr. Wyman –**
 - Still waiting on Dr. Wyman to get back with a scope of work
9. **Region 5 Hazmat Response Team –**
 - Hazmat team will have a radiological training coming up on July 16 & 17, and will have some spots available
 - All the hazmat team has their medical updates to be on the Hazmat team

1.0 Committees:

- a. Right to Know: Charlie Atherton: N/A**
- b. Public Education and Information Committee: N/A**
- c. Hazardous Material Facilities Liaison: N/A**
- d. Emergency Response and Resource Committee N/A**
- e. Hazmat Committee – Keith Murray – N/A**
- f. CERT Team – Angela Jouett – N/A**
- g. Membership: Pat Richardson – N/A**
- h. SAR – Rob Daughdril – N/A**

**[THE NEXT LEPC MEETING WILL BE TUESDAY, July 16,2013 @ 10AM,
901 Lakeshore Dr. Second Floor EOC](#)**

Adjourned: 10:55AM