

Champaign County Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)
Meeting Minutes

May 26th, 2015

Location: ILEAS Boardroom
1701 E. Main St.
Urbana, IL 61802
Time: 10:30 AM

I. Welcome and Introductions

Meeting started at 10:30 and introductions were made.

II. Review and approval of minutes from the October 28th meeting and January 27th meeting

Meeting Minutes from both meeting approved.

III. Trip report from the 2015 Midwest Emergency Preparedness and Response Conference by Bill James

Bill James attended the 2015 Midwest Emergency Preparedness Conference, April 15-16, in Rockford, Illinois. Bill discussed pipeline awareness materials such as apps, leak response guidance, online training and recommendations. He also mentioned how the HAZUS flood modeling can be used to obtain tornado damage estimates.

IV. Update on Commodity Flow Study for Champaign County by Regional Planning Commission

RPC presented their initial draft results. Road, railroad, pipeline data was presented base on field and other research. General observations of types of hazardous materials that are transported were noted along with spill data for the county over that several years.

V. Local incident discussions and upcoming events.

The spill on Interstate 57 near Champaign on February 1st was discussed to include response, recovery and public information during the event. The hazmat spill from a locomotive in Sidney on May 2nd was also discussed. The upcoming Marathon Pipeline Exercise in Champaign in June was mentioned. Invitees for the exercise had been sent out from Marathon.

VI. Reminder about Tier II reports/reporting

Companies were reminded on the Tier II reporting deadline 1 March, with a hard copy being provided to the County EMA. Current facility reporting numbers and information was discussed.

VII. Wrap up and Open Discussion

Members reminded next meeting will be August 25th at 10:30 at ILEAS.

VIII. Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 11:25 am.

Future LEPC Meeting Dates: November 24th

Reminder: If you have not done so please complete the Open Meetings Act training at

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Attendance List:

John Dwyer, CC EMA

Bill James, CC EMA

Bruce Ricketts, Presence EMS

Mike McCormick, Conair Corp

Sherry Wooten, UIPD

Stephanie Vogelsang, UIPD

M Sharif Ullah, CCRPC

Michael Flanagan, CUPHD

Raymond Mucha, CUPHD

Symantha Aydt, University of Illinois

Kelly Formoso, American Red Cross

John Carlson, Parkland College

Iris Ducey, IEMA