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## Champaign County Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) Meeting Minutes

February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021

Via Zoom

Time: 10:30 AM

- I. Welcome and Introductions.
  1. John started the meeting at 10:30.
- II. Public Comment - None
- III. Review and approval of minutes from the November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020
  1. Motion - Chris; Second – Brian; All were in favor.
- IV. Tier II season begun, reports are coming into the office.
  1. John reported working on the Tier II reports.
  2. Tier II submissions were due on March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021.
- V. Local incidents, training, exercises and upcoming events discussion
  1. John attended the annual pipeline training.
  2. HAZMAT Team has conducted internal training.
  3. Only minor incidents reported to the county.
  4. CCEMA will be hosting a training event with the International Association of Fire Chiefs. It will be facilitated by the Technical Advisory Group and will focus on how LEPCs can be more effective.

VI. Open Discussion and Wrap up

1. Midwest HAZMAT Conference in Northbrook will be hosted virtually this year.
2. IEMA Conference could potentially be cancelled this year due to COVID restrictions.
3. Mark Newton – Invitations have been sent out to all fire departments. Training has been reestablished for any and all fire departments needing the services
4. Brian Ball – CFD is working to develop a new leak simulator prop for training.
5. The weather transmitter is still off line. They are expecting it to be up in the next six months.

VII. Adjournment at 10:40. Next Meeting— June 29th, 2021

1. Motion – Chris; Second – Mike; All were in favor.

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Attendees:

Mark Newton-Union Pacific Railroad

Collin Rector-Champaign Co EMA

John Dwyer-Champaign Co EMA

Mike McCormick, Beauty Quest

Jackie Christenson, Urbana-Champaign Sanitary District

Chris Hanson, University of Illinois, Hazmat

Brian Ball, Champaign Fire Department

Ben Boltinghouse, Parkland College

Wade Lagel, Urbana-Champaign Sanitary District

Terry Whitebird, Ford Co EMA

Raymond Mucha, Champaign-Urbana Public Health District

Sarah Michaels, Champaign-Urbana Public Health District

David Scherer, University of Illinois, Research