



## SHERIFF DAN WALSH CHAMPAIGN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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Subject: EMA June Monthly Report

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### June

#### Summary

The monthly IEMA, local emergency radio and siren tests were conducted. The EMA liaison group met this month for upcoming events and for community awareness. EMA hosted the monthly Public Information Officer (PIO) group meeting. EMA chaired the second area meeting with Hospitals to develop a family reunification plan/operating procedures in the event of a disaster or mass casualty scenario. EMA held a local ESDA Meeting on June 19 to touch base with villages across the county; meeting entailed alert notifications, severe weather operations, special event notifications and future planning efforts. EMA attended the monthly Fire Chief's Association meeting. University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign and EMA met with community partners to start planning the annual UIUC and Parkland Evacuation drill. On June 9, 12, 22, 24, and 25, EMA monitored weather for the severe weather advisories, watches and warnings that were issued for the county. Monitoring of the weather conditions occurred for approximately 12 hours.

#### Training Events

- Attended IEMA Region 7 Quarterly Meeting on June 11
- County Search and Rescue (SAR) Team Field Exercise- June 25—cancelled due to weather

#### Community Outreach

- Attended the monthly Amateur Radio Emergency Service (ARES) meeting on June 4th
- Met with Rantoul Police Department about School Emergency Plans on June 5
- Sheriff's Office and EMA met with the Village of Savoy Public Works and ESDA about Emergency planning
- Attend the Regional Planning Safety Committee Meeting--June 20th
- Participated in an Open-house and Facility walkthrough of Crop Production Services in Sidney for Hazardous Materials Awareness and planning--June 24

### Volunteer hours

40 hours of volunteer member's time for Twitter, Facebook, SAR preparations, emergency planning and Public Information support

### Upcoming Events of Note

- Search and Rescue Meeting for July-TBD
- July 4<sup>th</sup>—Parade and Fireworks---EMA on standby
- City of Champaign table-top exercise--- July 17
- SAR training (field compass course) -- July 17
- Douglas County Exercise-Command Post and SAR support-- July 27
- University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign and Parkland College Evacuation Functional Exercise -- September 13