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Subject: EMA August Report

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### Summary

The monthly siren test, local, IEMA radio tests were conducted. Search and rescue test alert was done. CCEMA provided regular twitter, facebook, and website postings on weather info, emergency preparedness topics and the eclipse throughout the month.

- Forwarded multiple Special Events to the Nationals Weather Service for weather support to include the Farm Progress Show, numerous Park Events and Village Events
- We continue to get more followers (1668 to date) on EMA twitter and friends on EMA Facebook accounts.

### Training Events

- Attend IEMA meeting in Springfield regarding proposed Emergency Management standards—Aug 4<sup>th</sup>
- Attended IEMA Region 7 quarterly meeting—Aug 10<sup>th</sup>
- Conducted search exercise in a cornfield for the Search and Rescue Team meeting—Aug 12<sup>th</sup>
- Hosted monthly Search & Rescue meeting include a compass field course—Aug 15<sup>th</sup>
- Two SAR volunteers attend the USCG Inland Search & Rescue Course in Bloomington, IL—Aug 15-18<sup>th</sup>
- Attended IDPH Regional Meeting—Aug 31<sup>st</sup>

### Volunteer hours

- Over 989 total hours' year to date of dedicated volunteer member's time for the following activities: SAR and EMA activities

### Outreach Events

- Phone interview with local Fox news on Back to School Preparedness—Aug 15<sup>th</sup>
- Participated in the IEMA Public Information Officers monthly conference call—Aug 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Provided Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services workshop materials to Region 7 county emergency Managers—Aug 24<sup>th</sup>
- Met with Promise Health about emergency plans and donated a NOAA weather alert radio to the facility—

Aug 25th

- Hosted monthly liaison meeting—Aug 29<sup>th</sup>

Upcoming Events of Note

- County Search and Rescue Team Meetings for 2017—3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month
- EMA Liaison Meeting—last Tuesday of the month
- LEPC Meeting Dates for 2017: Sep 26<sup>th</sup>, Nov 28<sup>th</sup>
- Regional Emergency Coordination Group (RECG) Meetings for 2017: Nov 21<sup>st</sup>
- Emergency Management Program Advisory Committee Meeting: Oct 31<sup>st</sup>