

# Tooele County LEPC



**Date:** June 24, 2020 **Time:** 1330 Hours

**Location:** Emergency Operations Center (EOC)

Address: 15 East 100 South

# **Meeting Minutes 6-24-20**

**Attendees**: Tara Behunin, Tracy Frailey, Tracy Alexander, Sharleen Manzione, Richard Moseley, Regina Nelson, Randy Willden, Rachel Stone, Michael Atherley, Marianne Oborn, Joseph Hatch, Jeremy Hanson, Eric Grange, Morgan Funk, Cameron Kirkham, Scott Johnson, Chris Sutton, Bryan Slade, Bucky Whitehouse, Beckie Boekweg, Katie Hoyt

#### 1. Call to Order (13:30)

a. Bucky called the meeting to order at 1:30.

#### 2. Welcome/Introductions

- a. Meeting was held virtually through Go To Meeting.
- b. Visitors / New Members

#### 3. Sign Roll / Update Rosters

a. Please update your agencies members on the roster.

#### 4. **Approve Minutes –**February 2020

 Randy Willden made motion to approve Feb 2020 meeting minutes. Tracy Frailey seconded. All in favor.

#### 5. Presentation – Savage Bros. Transloading Facility Product additions

- a. Mike Atherley gave presentation for Savage Bros Transloading Facility
  - i. They will be bringing in ethanol as a new product to be used in the making of hand sanitizer.
  - ii. They have 25 shortline terminals.
  - iii. All are welcome to the facility for a site visit. Possibly in October for the LEPC.

#### 6. Presentation / Discussion - Coronavirus Response

a. March 17, 2020 the pandemic was declared. Please visit coronavirus.utah.gov to follow case counts and other information. Please stay diligent in social distancing and other precautions. Tooele County is currently in the yellow phase.

#### 7. Discussion – 5.7 Utah Earthquake Response

- a. March 18<sup>th</sup> was a 5.7 earthquake. Please visit quake.utah.edu for more information. The EOC was activated and has continued to monitor and report earthquake findings to FEMA. The county did not qualify for federal assistance for the earthquake.
- 8. Reports/Action- Local Incident Briefs
  - a. Tooele County Wildfire status for June

- i. 237 wildfires in the state of Utah by the end of May. We are way ahead of wildfire rates this year compared to last year.
- ii. Humans have caused 95% of fire this year in Utah.
- iii. Soils and fuels are dry.
- iv. You can find fire work restriction information at www.tooelewildfire.org
- b. Tooele City Water Contamination
  - i. The lock was cut off the water tank at Cassidy Lane. Water samples were sent to the lab and all the results came back All Clear.
- c. North Tooele Fire dealt with several semi rollovers in the last couple months. They required some light clean up from their department.
- d. Grass Fire in the area of Clean Harbors
  - i. Grass fire started near the rail line and moved toward the plant. They were supported by other agencies. They were able to widen the lines to create a larger fire break. They got it stopped pretty quickly.
- e. Resident reported finding mercury in a house in Tooele City. Tooele City Fire collected it and is working with the health dept to dispose of it.

# 9. **Upcoming Meetings-Exercises**

- a. Household hazardous waste collection day
  - i. The Health Dept is trying to schedule a collection day but at the soonest it would be in the fall. Not sure if it will happen this year.
- b. Protest/ Demonstration planned for Tooele City
  - i. The event will occur Friday at 6 pm, it will follow a route near the Tooele City Park. The police dept has officer response planned. The city has been actively working with the organizer and they expect it to be peaceful.

#### 10. State Reports:

- a. State Fire Marshal Liaison Richard Moseley
  - i. Emergency Response Guidebook for 2020 has been delayed. They will send them out as quickly as possible.
    - 1. Bucky added that PEAC software is available for hazmat response.
- b. UDEM Tara Behunin/Cameron Kirkham.
  - i. Cameron Kirkham is the new region 2 liaison. The state is at a level 1 activation for COVID 19 response. There is a CERT meeting June 25<sup>th</sup> at noon.

#### 11. Training Opportunities

- a. Check the Utah State Fire Marshalls website on Eventbrite.
- b. Check www.tcem.org www.tooelelepc.org www.DEM.Utah.Gov and UTRAIN
- 12. **Reports/Action** Old Business

#### 13. Roundtable

- a. Morgan Funk- Redcross- They are trying to integrate and engage in their new virtual environment. There new most common form of sheltering will be non-congregant sheltering involving hotels and motels. There are still volunteer opportunities available.
- b. Tracy Frailey-TCHD- Go back to the basics, wash your hands, social distance etc.

- c. Chief Willden- NTFD- They have a small producer working on hand sanitizer they are working with for storage requirements. The State of Utah released a list of hand sanitizers that contain toxic materials. Please go to www.
- d. Sharleen Manzione- Vernon Fire- Heavy duty road construction on SR 36 on the south end. MP 18-28.
- e. Tracy Alexander- Wendover Amb- the casinos are now open, uptick in call volume.
- f. Eric Grange- Clean Harbors- They are very involved with COVID clean up. They are hiring. Their facility has achieved an OSHA VPP (voluntary participation program) star status. Quite an achievement. They are the 10<sup>th</sup> in the State to aquire that.

## 14. Next Meeting

a. July 29<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 in person. Virtual option will be available.

## 15. Adjourn