



LAKE COUNTY
Local Emergency Planning Committee / Citizen Corps

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Meeting: LEPC

Date: 07-19-2023

Meeting called to order by Kory Reck, Chairperson, at 7pm

Present: April Denholm, 911 Manager ; Brady Christiansen, Ramona Fire, Kathy Hansen, MRHS, Wren Murphy, Madison Daily Leader, Shae McClanahan, Manitou, Mayor Roy Lindsay, Brian Bisson, Nunda Fire, Mayor Roy Lindsay; Kelly Dybdahl Madison City Commissioner, Kelli Wollman, Lake County Commissioner; Terry Reck, Wentworth Fire

Agenda: Approved. #1 Mayor Lindsay #2 S. McClanahan All ayes.

Public Comments: none

Minutes: Minutes were read and approved as written. #1 Mayor Lindsay #2 K. Wollman All ayes

Treasurer report: Not available

OLD BUSINESS

SARA Tier II Reporting

S. McClanahan stated Manitou is completed

NEW BUSINESS

Critical Incident Stress Debriefing/First Responder Mental Health capabilities

Terry Reck stressed how important it is to take care of the Responders mental health. He provided information on the various resources available to help first responders. Terry stressed how important it is to keep in touch and ask members of their department how they are doing and check in with them frequently especially after dealing with “tough calls”. April Denholm provided information that cover State Resources that are available to 1st responders (see attached).

Downtown Mad Town

Dates were presented, July 18th, 25th, August 1st, 8th, and 15th.

It was reported there was a great turnout. Everyone was respectful of the new signs to remove vehicles by 3pm to allow for set up.

National Night Out

Terry Reck stated he will do research on what size of flag to get that has loops that allow a pipe to be slid thru to keep flag taunt when displaying it with the fire trucks for national night out

Open Floor

Mayor Lindsay stated that Chad Krier, from Senator Round’s office, had met with Mayor Lindsay and informed him to let them know if they are applying for any Federal grants and they would send a letter of support.

VHF Radio Project

Kelly Dybdahl reported that Robby is trying to get a memo together to present potential funding opportunities for the proposed VHF Radio Project.

P-25 Compliance

April reported that the repeater is still on back order. She stated that 15-16 towers are being switched over for P-25 compliance. She stated the Lake County is scheduled in November.

Active 911

April reported she has not heard of any problems. The App will have mapping improvements.

911 calls

She stated 911 communications had received multiple calls during the house fire this week questioning why the sirens were going off. She stressed how this can overwhelm dispatchers.

POD planning

Terry Reck and Mayor Lindsay reported on their meeting with the new Director at the State, Renee Robbins, for revamping the Lake County POD. They still need to fill some positions and will be meeting quarterly.

ID of Addresses at Lake Madison

T. Reck stated the Lake Madison Improvement Corporation is working to make addresses at the Lakes easier to identify for first responders.

Meeting Adjourned

Motion #1 K.Wollman #2 R. Lindsay. All ayes.

Respectfully Submitted

Kathy Hansen

LEPC Recording Secretary