

**Kent County
LEPC Meeting Minutes**

September 13, 2016

Attendees

Brandon Olenik	KCDPS	Colin Faulkner	KCDPS
Nicole Vautard	KCDPS	Charles Stevenson	Sussex LEPC
Mark Dolan	DNREC	Tara Chambers	DNREC/EPCRA
Bill Davis	EPCRA	Kenneth Cenci	DNREC
David Irwin	NCC LEPC	Steve Farkas	Chesapeake Utilities
Miranda Mal	DAFB	Avery Dalton	DEMA
Josh Bushweller	DSP	Jim Hammel	Magnum
Scott Melnick	Perdue	Barry Laiss	Sta 54/DSP
Dave Baldinger	Chesapeake Utilities	Ron Dukes	Perdue
Eric Rowland	Edgewell	James Perry	DAFB
David Mick	KCDPS	Sharon Jefferson	Red Cross

Brandon Olenik called the meeting to order at 10:05 am.

Welcome from Brandon and introduction of all the attendees.

Approval of minutes from last meeting.

Current Issues

Dave Mick – DECON – One response. Product of Meth Lab. Occurred in Price Honda parking lot. Employee's son stole car. They found it and towed it back to dealership. Meth found in trunk. Price Honda was impressed with how well the situation was handled.

Dave Mick Technical Rescue Team –Special Ops team had to help with extrication due to a huge tow truck wrecking. Subject was ejected and then trapped under the tow truck.

Bill Davis –Tier II – Ten additional facilities have submitted their reports. For Kent County 374 reports were received for 2015. Annual advertisements will be going out soon. The SERC IT does it on behalf of the LEPCs. Delinquency outreach needed because we have some facilities that have reported previously but have not done it yet. Kent County has three facilities that have reported previously but have not reported for 2015. There are also some who have never reported. Don't let lack of funds keep you from submitting reports. Get us your data and we will take care of the fees later.

Bill Davis –Tier II Manager – Software has new codes being created allowing first responders to have access to satellite images.

Avery Dalton– SERC – Last meeting was on the 7th of September. The SERC Annual report has been approved. It will now go to the Governor for approval. Next meeting will be December 14th . Presentation of Federal Initiatives of Government Security.

Old Business

Brandon Olenik – Outreach Initiatives – Family Emergency Preparedness Day is September 24th from 10 am – 2 pm. Kent County will have an LEPC display set up.

Brandon Olenik – Budget Status – Moving along.

Brandon Olenik – Facility Inspections – One visit conducted at Willards. Southern States and City of Milford will be the next ones conducted and they will finish out the year.

Chip Stevenson – Sussex LEPC – Last meeting was on September 8th. RACES conducted a nice presentation. Next meeting will be November 16th at 10:00 am at Sussex EOC.

Dave Irwin – New Castle County LEPC – Last meeting was on September 12th. Transportation Chair Committee reported on train crash. Presentation on underground utilities. Next meeting on November 14th at the New Castle Delaware State Fire School.

Dave Mick – Exercise Program – DAFB exercise went well. State wide Annual Trench Rescue weekend will be on September 24th & 25th in Cheswold. Awareness classes will be held throughout the county.

Dave Irwin – Annual Statewide Hazmat Training Workshop – August 18th was our first meeting. Preliminary program in place and working on committees for training. Millcreek Fire Department will be handling the financial aspects again this year. Will send out sponsorship requests in October. Next meeting will be September 27th.

New Business

Dave Mick – Race preparations taking place right now.

Trailer Replacement – SERC set monies aside for replacement. Kent County is in the process of coming up with a five year maintenance schedule for the trailers.

Brandon Olenik – Regional Hazmat Conference scheduled for the first week in November.

Next LEPC meeting scheduled for **Tuesday, November 15, 2016**

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicole Vautard

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