

## **LEPC Meeting Minutes – October 31, 2022 – Commissioners Meeting Room**

Meeting called to order at 8:08am

Attended by: Bill Morr, Steve Engleking, Tracy Harker, Alicia Milliman, Logan Ison, Terry Martin, Tharon Morgan, and Michael Lewis.

### **Old Business**

Tracy Harker made a motion to approve the minutes from August 29, 2022. Steve Engleking seconded the motion and all approved.

Bill Morr gave an update on the command truck. Have truck in our possession. Truck is at Bill's in Angola getting helper springs and sway bar installed.

Bill Morr spoke about the Haz-Mat Training with Kendallville, Auburn, and Angola Haz-Mat Teams on Saturday, September 10, 2022, at the 4h fairgrounds. Not great attendance but the firefighters that were there gave positive feedback. Thought overall it went well. Hope for more participation in the future.

Bill Morr recapped his attendance at the EMAI Conference. Great training and networking.

### **New Business**

Bill Morr advised that we need to be thinking about the Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan. This is to be done every 5 years and was last completed in 2019.

Bill Morr asked about transferring funds to a new supply line to purchase Haz-Mat equipment to be used in the county in the event of a spill. Steve Engleking made a motion to transfer \$4,000 from Training to Supplies. Logan Ison seconded the motion and all approved.

Bill Morr advised that the 2022 LEPC Plan review went well, will be working on the 2023 LEPC Plan.

We need to be thinking about our 2023 exercise. Possibly a tabletop involving a crop duster plane.

Bill Morr recommended the following meeting dates for 2023. Tracy Harker made a motion to set the meeting dates. Logan Ison seconded the motion and all approved.

Monday, January 30

Tuesday, May 30

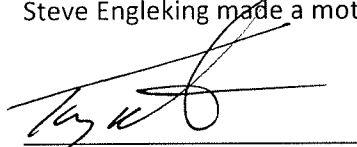
Monday, July 31

Monday, October 30

Ben Parish is no longer at the Highway Department. Tharon Morgan, County Engineer and Aaron Fugate, new Superintendent will be attending the meetings and be on the roster for 2023.

Michael Lewis of the National Weather Service gave an outlook for the winter.

Steve Engleking made a motion to adjourn at 8:27. Tracy Harker seconded the motion and all approved.



Terry Martin, Chairman

1-30-2023

Date