



Grant County LEPC

Local Emergency Planning Committee

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EPHRATA CHAPTER

Members in Attendance:

ARES

Blackie Moser

LENROC

Kurt Stephan

CBH

Gail Michael

Ephrata School District

Phyllis Fries

Grant County Health District

Jon Ness

Grant County Emergency Management

Sam Lorenz

Sandi Duffey

Michele Haughton

The Ephrata Chapter of the Grant County LEPC held their monthly meeting at the Ephrata City Hall located on Alder St. in Ephrata on April 23, 2009 at 11:00am.

I. Introductions

The meeting was called to order by Sam Lorenz, no introductions were needed.

II. Approval of Minutes

The minutes were reviewed and a motion was made by Blackie to accept the minutes as written, the motion was seconded by Jon, motion passed.

III. Hazardous Materials Spills:

March 30, Ameri Cold reported a diesel spill of an unknown quantity, the spill was secured, contained, and cleaned up.

March 31, REC Silicon reported a mechanical pump failure, the first and second containment failed. Six employees were affected, two of the six were sent to the hospital for respiratory evaluation.

April 9, Grant Coulee Dam, 2 gallons oil spilled, clean up with booms.

IV. Old Business:

LEPC/TNS Public Meeting is scheduled for this evening at the Ephrata High School Library from 7-9pm. Participation from the Health District, ARES, Emergency Management, and the school.

TNS Steering Committee, currently the committee is working on policies, procedures, and steering committee involvement.

Bylaws, the Ephrata Chapter viewed option 1 and option 2 on the process for electing a chairman for each Chapter. Jon made the motion to accept option 1, the motion was seconded by Blackie, motion was passed.

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Standard of Coverage, no new LEPC members to report on their plans.

V. New Business

Meeting Date and Time Change, Jeremy requested that the meeting be changed to the third Wednesday of the month and to meet at 10:00 am. Most of the group present was agreeable with the change.

VI. May Agenda Items

Next Meeting:

May 20, 2009 at 10:00 am
in the Ephrata City Hall Council Chambers

Respectfully submitted,

Sandi Duffey

Grant County LEPC Secretary

