



Grant County LEPC

Local Emergency Planning Committee

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WARDEN CHAPTER

Members in Attendance:

The Warden Chapter of the Grant County LEPC held their monthly meeting at the Grant County Fire District #4 facility located on Oak Street at 9:00 am on August 10, 2011.

GCFD #4

Randy Wiggins

I. Introductions

Lamb Weston

Marvin Price

The meeting was called to order by Randy, introductions were made.

II. Approval of Minutes

Western Polymer

Tim Johnson

The minutes were reviewed and Marvin made a motion that the minutes be approved Tim seconded the motion, motion approved.

III. Hazardous Materials Spills

Simplot

Misael Martinez

May 27, 2011, Grant County PUD experienced a spill caused from a loose bolt in the drain valve of a turbine hub. The PUD determined that the spill was approximately 420 gallons of turbine oil (toxicity is similar to a mineral oil). Due to the 300,000 cfs of water flowing through the dam the spill did not show an oil sheen for over three miles downstream. During the incident the PUD worked with the Department of Ecology and submitted their final reports and findings to Ecology.

Grant County Emergency Management

Sandi Duffey

IV. Old Business

Community Plan, Randy distributed the first page of Emergency Support Function 3, Public Works and Engineering for review. Please send your comments to Sandi at sduffey@co.grant.wa.us.

V. New Business

Health District Update, there was no representative available for an update. The members did discuss the recent Whooping Cough outbreak.

Ephrata Chapter Tabletop Exercise was held on July 13th, the exercise gave the Police Chief and Fire Chief an opportunity to evaluate their

second in command staff. Overall a review of their policies and procedures is recommended and training between the two disciplines is needed.

VI. Agenda Items for Future Meetings

Knox box presentation~Aug-Sept

Next meeting:
September 14, 2011 at 9:00am

Respectfully submitted,

Sandi Duffey

Emergency Management Coordinator

