



Grant County LEPC

Local Emergency Planning Committee

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QUINCY VALLEY CHAPTER

Members in Attendance:

The Quincy Valley Chapter of the Grant County LEPC held their monthly meeting at the Grant County Fire District #3 facility located on C Street SW in Quincy at 9:30am on June 30, 2010.

Grant County Fire District 3

Tony Leibelt

National Frozen Foods

Bill Wagoner

Quincy Police Department

Rich Ackerman

Gene Fretheim

Microsoft

Jack Eaton

Lamb Weston

Josh Aldous

Grant County Emergency Management

Sam Lorenz

Sandi Duffey

I. Introductions

The meeting was called to order by Tony and introductions were made. Chief Ackerman introduced Captain Fretheim.

II. Approval of Minutes

Minutes were reviewed and the motion was made by Bill to accept the minutes as written the motion was seconded by Sam, motion passed.

III. Hazardous Materials Spills

May 7th Washington State Emergency Management Division called to advise that Cascade Distributing Co. had a 2000 pound bag of organic fertilizer which shifted on a tractor trailer truck. This resulted in a spill of the materials from the bag inside of the truck and onto the ground. A clean up crew was dispatched and was due to arrive within the hour.

June 22nd Washington State Emergency Management Division called to advise that on June 18th that Granit Northwest Inc reported for the responsible party of a 50 gallon oil spill with 5 gallons in the water occurred near Blue Lake. The caller stated there was a spill of materials from a tack oil distributor truck due to the tank being overfilled. The caller also stated that oil booms were placed in the water to contain the spill, absorbent pads were placed in the water to remove the spill. A backhoe was used to remove the impacted soil.

IV. Old Business

Shelter In Place Workshop that was scheduled for May 22nd was cancelled. Tony's investigation on the type of event proved that this was not a good location to host a SIP Workshop. Chief Ackerman offered to contact The Quincy City Council and see if the workshop could be held during

A city council meeting and to invite the public.

Microsoft construction is underway.

V. New Business

LEPC Conference was held on May 24-26, to include topics on Snohomish Haz-Mat Team and their growth of their team, and Whatcom Unified LEPC and the planning involved to prepare for a breach at Howard Hansen Dam.

CPOD, Community Point of Distribution, is a location within the community to distribute goods (*ie, water, food, tarps, etc*) to the residents after an incident. Emergency Management is willing to assist with training and looking for site locations but we need volunteers. CPODS are community projects, if you have any ideas, suggestions, or thoughts contact Sandi at sduffey@co.grant.wa.us .

Confined space rescue, Connell Fire Department was fined \$16,000 And had two fatalities due to this type of rescue. Training to the NFPA standard is needed. Jack mentioned that they are looking to conduct training in this area and would interested in inviting GCFD 3.

North Franklin Fire District 4 suffered the loss of their Chief in a fatality Accident while fighting a wildfire on June 23rd .

VI. Agenda Items For Future Meetings

Ammonia Compliance Consulting~Carol Davis

**Next meeting:
July 28, 2009 at 9:30am**

Respectfully submitted,

Sandi Duffey

Grant County LEPC Secretary

