



Emergency Management Advisory Council (EMAC)
Meeting Minutes
September 5, 2018

CALL TO ORDER

The Cass County EMAC met at 7:00 PM at the Office of the Cass County Emergency Management Agency (EMA) at 1227 N SR 17, Logansport, IN 46947.

The meeting was called to order by Danny Farris, present was Alvin Beckman, Randy Pryor, Dan McDonald, Carl McPherson, Phil Rains, Rose Jackson, Bernie Mittica, Jeff Smith and Liz Troxell.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes of the August meeting was approved.

OLD BUSINESS

GRANTS

Salary Reimbursement Grant will continue, but we will have to upload to state website, due to federal regulations. SHSP and EMGP Grants can now be used for maintenance for anything purchased by District 4 grants, and outside of 800 MHz radios, we don't have anything to use maintenance grants on.

DISTRICT 4

District 4 will be participating in a statewide exercise Nov 7th which is a functional exercise at Muscattatuck. Locally, if you participate it will be on what you want to test on. Cass County will exercise here in the county instead of travelling to Montgomery County. Operation Force Multiplier will be September 19 at Lafayette National Guard Armory 10am to noon.

WARNING SIRENS

Warning Sirens were tested, and some are not working, (Melbourne Park, France Park, Yorktown Road, and the new ones were switched to Logansport Frequency). Young America siren had been disconnected, it is now reconnected and sealed so it cannot be disconnected again. Alvin talked with Frank Simpson about this.

2019 BUDGET

First hearing done, September 19 next hearing for final approval

ANY OTHER OLD BUSINESS

No old business to report

NEW BUSINESS

IDHS UPDATE

SEAR folder passed around. It pertains to large gatherings such as County Fair, Art on the Avenue, Carousel Days, etc. Alvin is inputting info into the website.

ACTIVITY REPORT

Aug 2 to September 5 were presented

RECENT TRAINING/MEETINGS/EXERCISES

October 16-19 EMA Conference, Home Depot Safety Day October 6 from 9am-1pm. We are looking to bring in trainers for Fentanyl training and Emergency Railroad Responder Training.

ANY OTHER NEW BUSINESS

None

CLAIMS

The claims are in the amount of \$1224.84 for 8-2-18 throw was approved

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS

PUBLIC COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the EMAC is scheduled for October 3, 2018 at 7PM.

The meeting was adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded.

Respectfully submitted

Liz Troxell

EMAC Secretary