

Faulkner County LEPC 2018

Team: LEPC
Date: May 16, 2018
Time: 12:04 p.m. until 12:40 p.m.
Location: FAULKNER COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
Members Present: Ashley Roberts, Glenn King, Gerald Hogue, Keith Hillman, Tyler Lachowsky, Bob Hambuchen, Janie Brown, Clay Branham, Logan Pryor, K.C. Williams, Charles Prout, Scott DeHart, Jimmy Wiedower, Monica Wilson, Jennifer Simmons, Matt Rice, Durwin Lasker, Michael LeBlanc, David Bugh, Eddie Spicer, Jennifer Evans, Daniel Bailey, Chris Riedmuller, Dan Forbes, Jana Lockhart
Guests: Tony Hill, Sarah Bayird

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I. CALL TO ORDER	Tyler welcomed the group and called the meeting to order. A quorum was declared. New attendees introduced themselves to the group.	Tyler Lachowsky	
II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES	A motion was made to approve the last meeting's minutes and seconded. The minutes were approved as written.	Tyler Lachowsky	
III. SPONSOR MESSAGE	Today's sponsor was Spencer Hawks, Realtor. He thanked us for having him. He thanked the group also as the group help makes our community safe. He stated that one of the biggest concerns for new buyers is safety. He offered to do a pre-assessment of anyone's home to learn the value of your residence.	Spencer Hawks	
IV. CORPS OF ENGINEERS PRESENTATION	<p>Tony Hill, with the Emergency Management Office of the Little Rock Corps of Engineers District, was our speaker. He introduced Sarah Bayird as their current intern from the emergency management program with Arkansas Tech University. The Corps of Engineers has three parts to it, civil, military and homeland security. The civil division includes navigation of waterways, water supply and flood control. Public Law 84-99 gives them the authority to help the public with levee support, sand bags, preparedness, response and recovery. Some tools they have to help are HESCO's, sand bag machines, poly sheeting and pumps. Within the military division, the Corps of Engineers assists overseas operations with the Department of Defense. Lastly the homeland security division, under the Stafford Act, gives them the authority to assist local and state government functions.</p> <p>The Little Rock District is made up of the northern and western two-thirds of the state and part of southern Missouri. Within this area there are project offices that station some Corps of Engineer employees.</p> <p>The Arkansas River dams were not designed for flood control. It's role is to provide pools for navigation up and down the river. Every 5 years the Corps of Engineers conduct table top exercises at Toad Suck Lock & Dam. Their next exercise will be in 2019.</p>	Tony Hill	

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<p>V. ANNOUNCEMENTS</p> <p>VI. ADJOURNMENT</p> <p>VII. NEXT MEETING</p>	<p>The Corps of Engineers has a levee safety program. This includes a national levee database and maintenance and periodic 5 year inspections. This program also characterizes flood risks and shares info to appropriate entities.</p> <p>The Corps of Engineers is included in the disaster response framework. They are the coordinating and primary agency, ESF-3, the support, ESF-6, which provides mass care and housing and also ESF-9, search and rescue. Some missions that the Corps of Engineers can do are temp roofing, emergency power, debris removal and temp housing.</p> <p>Emergency power can be provided to critical facilities such as pump stations and city offices. The Emergency Power Facility Assessment Tool can be used by key facilities such as sewer plants, pump stations, city offices, to determine how much power is required for that facility to operate. EPFAT is a tool to know what the locations' needs are to help with requests for emergency power. Using the EPFAT tool helps speed up the process of getting power turned on at these facilities. There is also a YouTube video on how EPFAT works.</p> <p>The Little Rock Corps of Engineers District now has an app you can download on smartphones that gives information about real time river flow and levels, lake power generation and other helpful information.</p> <p>The Health Department is conducting training on Tuesday regarding At Risk Population. You can sign up online or find out more information.</p> <p>12:40 pm, the meeting was adjourned.</p> <p>July 18, 2018</p>	<p>Monica Wilson</p> <p>Tyler Lachowsky</p>	
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Respectfully Submitted: _____
 Tyler Lachowsky, FCLEPC Chairman