

# **Storey County Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)**

## **Special Meeting Minutes**

**Monday, March 16, 2009- 2:00PM**  
**Storey County Fire Department Training Building**  
**145 North C Street**  
**Virginia City, NV 89440**

### **INDIVIUDALS PRESENT**

Dave Ballard (Voting)  
Joe Curtis  
Tracy Curtis  
James Deane (Voting)  
Hugh Gallagher  
Eric Guevin (Voting)  
Dean Haymore (Voting)  
Michael Hurick (Voting) {Via Conference Call}  
Angela Mann (Voting)  
Cherie Nevin  
Dore Nevin  
Jim Reagan (Voting) {Via Conference Call}  
Pat Whitten (Voting)

### **CALL TO ORDER**

Meeting called to order by Chairman Curtis at 2:00 PM

### **INTRODUCTIONS**

All members and guests present introduced themselves.

### **APPROVAL OF MARCH 16, 2009 MEETING AGENDA**

*Motion was made to approve the March 16, 2009 LEPC Meeting Agenda by Jim Reagan. This motion was seconded by Dean Haymore. All present in favor. Motion carries.*

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Chairman Curtis advised the membership that the Storey County LEPC has put together an application for the HMEP Mid-Cycle Grant offered through the State Emergency Response Commission. Storey County LEPC would like this application to be presented at the March 24, 2009 SERC Planning and Training Subcommittee. The application is for \$8,800.00 to facilitate four (4) exercises. We have bids from two (2) separate contractors for the training. The first is

for \$8,800.00 and the other for one for approximate \$15,000.00. Two (2) trainings will be EOC Training more position specific, in the form of being a low stress EOC exercise that is specifically for the purpose of letting people sit in the EOC environment. This will involve a scenario that will work through issues and gain greater experience working with specific functions. We anticipate holding these in May or June 2009 and the other would be September or October 2009.

This request will also involve working with TRI Safety Professionals Group and facilitating a couple of Table-Top exercises for a Hazmat Incident that would occur in TRI. This would involve having to evacuate the area. We want private industry to become involved and learn what is involved on their part

At this time Chairman Curtis requested discussion on this application from the membership.

Jim Reagan likes the idea of EOC Training and it obviously has the hazmat flavor and fully in favor of making application.

Michael Hurick said that this application sounds fine and the industrial part would be very helpful. Chairman Curtis said that he would like to have the Red Cross actively involved.

Tracy Curtis advised that he would pass information along regarding this application to the TRI Safety Group.

Dean Haymore asked if there were any matching funds associated with this grant. Chairman Curtis advised that this is funded fully by the grant.

Pat Whitten asked about overtime for personnel to attend. Chairman Curtis advised that these exercises would be held during the week to eliminate overtime.

***Motion was made to approve the HMEP Mid-Cycle Grant Application for Submittal to the State Emergency Response Commission by Dean Haymore. This motion was seconded by Eric Guevin. All present in favor. Motion carries.***

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Eric Guevin advised the membership that the Fire Department is sponsoring and Emergency Technician Basic Class starting April 1, 2009. The cost is \$150.00 per person which includes books and all course material. The course is being offered Virginia City.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

***Motion was made to adjourn by Dean Haymore. This motion was seconded by Eric Guevin. All present in favor. Motion carries.***

*Respectfully Submitted by: Cherie Nevin*

