

Minutes of October 21, 2010 Members (Source TDEM SERC approved Membership list May 7, 2009)

Victoria LEPC Approved Members	Present	Not Present
Adam Hernandez, Invista	x	
Alex Camacho, TxDPS	x	
Bill Reichert, Enterprise Transportation	x	
Brenda Rosbottom, LEPC Secretary	X	
Bruce Ure, COV, alt R. Boyd		X
Charles Windwehen, COV, alt C. Garrett		X
Chuck Huff, UPR	x	
Donald Pozzi, County Judge		X
Dr. Bain Cate, Victoria County, alt D. Gonzales	x	
Elgin Janssen, AEP Texas		X
Harold Irwin, TSA-S	x	
Jeb Lacey, Victoria Emergency Management Coord.	X	
John Crews, Ron Brown Company	x	
John Wallace, DeTar, alt S. Reagan Lisa Price		X
Larry Hensley, INEOS, alt Robert Weaver		X
Linda May, American Red Cross	X	
Melody Lytle, GCRPC, alt K. Doelle		X
O.C. Garza, City of Victoria, alt J Opiela	X	
Pedro Amador, TxDPS		X
Randy Bena, TxDot		X
Rex Mayes, Texas Parks & Wildlife	X	
Richard McBrayer, Asst EMC	X	
Robbie Kirk, LEPC Chairperson	X	
Roger Smith, DOW Seadrift Pipeline	X	
Ron Leach, VISD, alt A. Gonzales-Sherman	X	
Royce Crysup, Coleto Creek Power		X
Sean Kennedy, Victoria County	x	
T. Michael O'Connor, Vct County, alt D. Canfield Tucker	x	
Vance Riley, LEPC Vice Chairperson, alt J. Bradley	x	
Ron Pray, Victoria Fire Marshall, alt D. Phillips C.Bonuz	X	

Call to Order, Welcome, and Introduction of Members

LEPC Chairman Robbie Kirk called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m., welcomed the group and introductions.

Approval of Minutes

Mr. Kirk asked for a motion to approve July 29, 2010, Jeb Lacey motioned, and John Bradley seconded, all approved.

Tier II Mapping Progress Report

Richard McBrayer, Rex Mayes, and Robbie Kirk gave a presentation and have met several times with Texas State University and GIS Students in the past three months. The students are completing the GIS layer and entering ERG data into the system. Over a hundred and fifty sites have been identified based on the Tier II Reports submitted to the GIS students. A final presentation from the GIS students should be December 7th or 8th. Any LEPC member who would like to attend final presentation is asked to contact Brenda Rosbottom and RSVP.

HMEP Grant Update

Ms. Rosbottom received email from TDEM stating HMEP Applications are being scored by the SERC Committee. No other information given regarding timeline on outcome. Mr. Kirk did add that he and Ms. Rosbottom did meet and have conversations with KAVU, Radio, and Billboard.

Other Business

Mr. Kirk noted that Chief Nim Kidd would be the keynote speaker at the MidCoast Hurricane Conference, May 5th, 2010 so please make a note on your calendars.

Mr. Crews asked if Office of Emergency Management (OEM) had met with Bloomington Independent School District regarding his concerns of a potential hazmat incident and the other ISD's. Mr. Lacey stated that Ms. Rosbottom is presently scheduling a meeting with the newly appointed Bloomington Superintendent but has previously met with Mission Valley, Victoria, and Industrial Independent School Districts. Mr. Crews made note that he would appreciate OEM meeting on an annual basis as names change, turnover, layoffs, etc. David Phillps had met with BISD to discuss Training for BISD employees and staff and they were extremely receptive. OEM is available to offer assistance with an exercise to include the appropriate entities who would be involved with HazMat incidents at BISD. Mr. Lacey suggested the Public Education Sub-Committee open the doors of communication with BISD. Mr. Lacey tasked the LEPC to prepare presentations, outreach materials to educate schools, City of Victoria Council, and Commissioners Court on Hazard Awareness. O.C. Garza acknowledged. Angie Sherman and Bill Reichart volunteered to assist with the public education sub-committee. Optimistically with the HMEP Grant, funding will be available to complete the public outreach campaign.

Mr. Garza made comment that he would like to have LEPC represented on Chanel 15 VCT regarding pipeline, and HazMat incidents in our community.

Mr. McBrayer noted that Office of Emergency Management, American Red Cross (ARC), Victoria Fire, Victoria County Fire, and Victoria Police attended a HazMat Training sponsored by KCS railroad on October 6th.

OEM Staff, Victoria Fire, County Fire Marshall, ARC, and Robbie Kirk attended Tennessee Pipeline luncheon on October 7th.

With no other business, meeting adjourned at 11:00 A.M.