

**WINNEBAGO COUNTY
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

June 29, 2011

Members present: Tom Ellis, Paul Eisen, Bill Wingren, Bill Roh

Excused: Harvey Rengstorf

Also present: Linda Kollmann, Bernie Sorenson, Sheriff Matz, and Sue Verwey

Chairman Ellis called the Emergency Management Committee meeting to order at 9:05 AM.

1. Approval of past minutes

MOTION to approve the minutes from the April 26, 2011 meeting by Bill Wingren; seconded by Bill Roh; all in favor; motion carried 4-0.

2. Siren Report

A brief overview of the outdoor warning sirens.

- The Town of Clayton property where the town siren is located has been fenced in by the town for security reasons and Emergency Management was given a key.
- The new portable siren was used at County USA this year. Two portable radios were included with the purchase.
- A new siren will be added next year in the Town of Vinland; possibly at the town hall. Also, Emergency Management may be looking at purchasing a second new siren next year; location to be determined.

3. Winnebago County Public-Private Partnership (PPP)

- The 2011 season ended with a successful tabletop exercise with three facilities (Aurora Medical Center, JJ Keller and Plexus) testing their emergency plans.
- An informational flyer was sent to all businesses through the chamber membership mailing list. The mailing, along with some website enhancements, was paid for through an OJA Grant.
- Linda L., along with another Winnebago County PPP member, went to Madison last month to hear about what direction the Partnerships in Wisconsin are taking.

4. Exercises

- EAA “Severe Storm Event” tabletop exercise has held at EAA on June 28th. Very successful planning exercise for all involved.

5. Ingestion Zone

- Linda K. handed out an ingestion zone map showing the very small portion where Winnebago County actually is included in the plan.
- Winnebago County Emergency Management has participated in some ingestion zone planning; however it is highly unlikely any release would affect our county. The immediate response would be media related, with public health taking the lead.

6. EPCRA Report – Bernie

- 26 facility updates in final phase of completion.

7. Adjournment

MOTION to adjourn by Bill Wingren; seconded by Paul Eisen; all in favor; motion carried 4-0.
Meeting adjourned at 9:53 AM.

Respectfully submitted by:

Sue Verwey