

WINNEBAGO COUNTY
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
May 21, 2012

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

Also present: Linda Kollmann, Sue Verwey, Bernie Sorenson, Larry Last, Debbie Last

Chairman Roh called the Emergency Management Committee meeting to order at 9:00 AM.

1. Approval of past minutes

MOTION to approve the minutes from the March 27, 2012 meeting by Tom Ellis; seconded by Larry Smith; all in favor; motion carried 5-0.

2. Comments from the public

None

3. Correspondence received from committee members

Bill W. shared that he saw Linda K. on the City of Oshkosh Community Access TV reporting on Tornado Awareness and Severe Weather. Bill thought Linda did an excellent job.

4. May 3, 2012 Storm update

Linda K. gave a brief update on the May 3rd storm that created some flooding in the City of Oshkosh. Emergency Management worked with United Way 211 and the American Red Cross.

5. Outdoor Warning Sirens

The two new siren installation sites - Town of Omro and Town of Vinland are up and running. One siren (Leonard's Pt Rd and Sunkist Rd) had a problem this past weekend and Bob Anderson is checking on that this morning.

6. Training & Exercising

- Bernie S. attended two trainings: Mitigation Planning and Donations Management.
- Emergency Management sponsored "Recovery from Disaster: The Local Government's Role" on May 11th at the Winnebago County Sheriff's Office with 19 students attending.
- A Communications Planning Workshop for EAA was held on May 17th.

7. Winnebago County Public-Private Partnership

The Winnebago County Public-Private Partnership met for its final workshop of this season on May 9th with a presentation by Tod Pritchard from Wisconsin Emergency Management on the Joplin Tornado. The second half of the meeting Nick Cluppert, American Red Cross, and Linda Kollmann, Emergency Management gave a presentation on “Employee Preparedness”.

8. EPCRA Planning

- Handout by Bernie S. showing his most recent activity with EPCRA planning.

MOTION to adjourn Larry Smith; seconded by Tom Ellis; all in favor; motion carried 5-0.
Meeting adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by:

Sue Verwey