

Grant Local Emergency Planning Committee
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LEPC Minutes June 22, 2017

Don Button called the meeting to order at 9:40am at the Grant County Courthouse basement training room. Those present were Don Button, Vivian Button, Richard Everett and Toni Irvin.

Toni Irvin made a motion to approve the Minutes from the April 27, 2017 Meeting. Richard Everett seconded. Motion carried.

LEPC received a flier from ONEOK Partners Pipeline Safety.

Old (Unfinished) Business

The president approved a Federal disaster declaration for Kansas for April 28 to May 3rd. But it is not for snow removal. The first meeting after the declaration will be June 28 at 11am with all applicants.

Richard Everett, Kelli Goree and Simon from Collectia LTD, Don Button and Vivian Button attended the WebEOC basics and Spill Database course #1069561 on June 7th in Garden City at the 4H building.

A Discussion of changes to ESF 8 and 6 was held. Items to be changed are mainly website locations and to clean up some information.

New Business

Three new spill reports are on WebEOC. They are from Merit Energy and are mostly Brine/saltwater and one has crude oil.

The charges to the utilities in Senate bill 251 have been taken out and the bill changed.

Toni and Richard talked about finishing the grant year for the health departments.

Don talked about the Race Across America. Ulysses had a time station for the race at the Shopko parking lot. Ulysses was also a penalty location for time penalties. Over 20 countries were represented by the riders and crew. This event is well supported by the community.

According to Kansas Department of Transportation Highway 160 east of Ulysses will be closed at Highway 190 (Ryus Road) to Highway 83 from June 27 until the project is

completed in August. Also Highway 144 from Highway 83 will be closed to Highway 56 starting June 26 until completed in July.

Upcoming training

- a. ICS 400 July 19-20 at Dodge City
- b. G290 Basic Public Information Officer Course Newton June 27-28
- c. G291 Joint Information Center Course June 29 Newton
- d. L984 All Hazards Position Specific Strike team Task force leader course
Pittsburg July 18-20

No special presentations.

The next regular meeting will be July 27, 2017 at 9:30am at Grant County Courthouse basement training room.

Toni made a motion to adjourn. Richard seconded the motion and meeting was adjourned at 10:42am.