

**MERCER COUNTY L.E.P.C.
MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 11, 2024**

Members/Guests Present:

Dick Weinzierl, Cameron Ameron Int'l, Retired
Scott Kachurik, MEI
Debbie Hartley, DPS
Trey Coates, Interstate Chemical
Timothy Buck, Combined Tactical
Brent Shilling, Combined Tactical
Geoffrey Domowicz, American Red Cross
Jamie Bell, Barber Chemical
Travis Walsh, Barber's Chemicals
Justin Rodgers, Pa DEP
Caleb Stright, Record Argus
Bill Malia, PEMA West
Doug Dick, Superior Ambulance

WELCOME: Members welcomed by Richard Weinzierl, Vice-Chairman.

June 2024 Minutes:

Accepted with the following correction by Scott from McCutcheon Enterprise.
Correction: McCutcheon does not currently have a trailer in Crawford County.
Moved by: Tim Buck
2nd by: Doug Dick
All in favor

TIER II INVOICES: 2023 RY - Total Invoiced \$41,675 There is still one invoice outstanding for \$1,575.00. Numerous emails and phone calls have been made.

OFF-SITE RESPONSE PLANS: 41 total. 1 new – Joshen Wheatland All are up to date, with 2 due for update in July.

INCIDENT REVIEW:

There was one incident at the corner of W. Butler St and S. Erie Street. Tractor trailer with saddle tank leak. John Nicklin and Chief Finley responded with supplies and plugged the leak. Mercer Auto Wreckers replaced the used pads and will seek reimbursement through the responsible party.

REGION 13 REPORT: Fire & Hazmat Com. – Foam Disposal is a big focus for them now. McCutcheon's is working with them.

TRAINING: Hazmat Conference – John Nicklin is not present. Debbie reported on his behalf. He said the conference was good. There was a decon tent on display he will be getting more information on to present to the committee. Our current tent is old and needs replaced.

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

Motion to approve a meeting/Appreciation Luncheon at the Iron Bridge Inn on December 11, 2024. The meeting time will also be moved to 11:00 am.

Moved by: Trey Coates

2nd by: Doug Dick

All in favor

General Discussion: McCutcheon Enterprise asked dispatch and/or EMA please provide accurate incident information. That determines what personnel and equipment needs to respond.

Trey Coates thanked all emergency responders and families on this day. Dick Weinzierl asked for a moment of silence in honor of all the fallen heroes.

Barber Chemical referenced an incident at a client's facility using Chlorine. They didn't know they were required to report. There was discussion of contacting facilities and an educational brochure regarding L & I Report Requirements.

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MOTION TO ADJOURN:

Moved By: Dick Weinzierl

2nd By: Trey Coates

All in favor.

2024 Meeting Dates: December 11th