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The Johnson County LEPC met on Monday, October 17th, 2011 at the JECC. Chairman Dave Stannard called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM. Greetings were extended and self introductions were made. Also, a sign-in was passed.

## Minutes

- Introductions-all
- Code Red Presentation
  - B.J. Dvorak gave an overview of the CodeRed Emergency Notification System and what its capabilities are.
- Old Business
  - No old business to report.
- Member updates/reports from industry and community partners-all.
  - No new member updates/reports.
- ESF 10 plan review and Cameo updates/status report. (BJ)
  - The ESF 10 Hazmat plan was sent out to LEPC members for review.
  - There are currently 71 tier II facilities registered in Johnson County and they are in the H.E.R.E system and the Cameo system on Hazmat 1 & at EMA.
- Haz Mat Team report or areas of concern-Tom
  - The Hazmat Team responded to a diesel fuel leak at the 9 mile marker on I-380 on April 1<sup>st</sup>.
  - The Hazmat Team responded to a chlorine incident at the North Liberty Sleep Inn on April 13<sup>th</sup>.
  - The Hazmat Team responded to an unknown powder substance incident on May 19<sup>th</sup> at 103 E. College Street in Iowa City.
  - The Hazmat Team responded to a sodium hypochlorite valve leak on July 15<sup>th</sup> at the U of I Water Plant.
  - The Hazmat Team responded to a chlorosulfonic acid railcar incident on September 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Iowa Interstate Rail yard in Iowa City.
  - We will be looking to replace an ammonia monitor and also a chlorine monitor as they are getting close to the end of their shelf life.
  - The VA Hospital was issued an enclosed self contained Decontamination trailer. An MOU has been created so EMA could house the trailer at our facility and the Hazmat Team could use it for training and responses. Some of the details are still being discussed.
  - The Hazmat Team is looking to purchase a paging tool called "I AM Responding" which will allow dispatch & Hazmat to see how many members are responding to the scene. It also has 2 way capabilities.

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- Haz Mat Ops class grant status- present yr. vs. applied for and commodity flow study. (BJ)
  - During the FFY 2011 HMEP grant period, Johnson County conducted 4 hazmat refresher classes and 1 hazmat operations class. Also, a rail and pipeline commodity flow study was completed to see what substances are being transported on rail and through the pipelines.
  - For the FFY 2012 HMEP grant period, Johnson County applied for funding to provide 1 Operations Class and 1 refresher class for first responders. We also applied to have EHS Resource Group conduct a hazards analysis and threat assessment for Johnson County.
- State Report-DNR if present
  - No one from the DNR was present.
- EPA Region 7 report if present.
  - No one from EPA Region 7 was present.
- New Business-all
  - EMA conducted an EOC functional exercise with staff from IMCC on September 29<sup>th</sup>. The scenario was a train tanker car derailment/explosion in Coralville.
  - The Hazmat Team will be participating in 3 DAEC exercises in 2012.
  - UIHC was evaluated by FEMA this past May regarding their decontamination of radiation patients. They also have an exercise coming up on December 6<sup>th</sup> involving a hazmat incident.
- Scheduling of spring meeting.
  - Next LEPC Meeting will be on Tuesday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM at the JECC Building.
- Adjourn meeting.