

LEPC #12

LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE



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LEPC#12 meeting of December 18, 2008
VSP Barracks, Royalton

Attendees: Kevin Geiger, Richard Lancaster, Mark Belisle, Lt. Tracy Simon, Ken Goss, Bill Burden, Jerry Fredrickson, Jack Schoenberg, Dot Burden, Jim Tonkovich, Steve Leinoff, Jerry Lewis, Bruce McCoy, Jocelyn Stohl, Stephen Earley (Vermont School Crisis Planning Team)

Mr. Frederickson called the meeting to order at 1805 and introductions were made.

Minutes: The minutes of 16, 2008 were reviewed approved unanimously

Treasurer's Report: Nothing new to report- no motion necessary. Accepted by consensus.

Presentation:

Mr. Earley from the Vermont School Crisis Planning Team presented an overview of suggested plans for schools and schools administrators in crisis handling. The new Vermont School Crisis Guide 2008 is on the VEM website and is being sent to all schools. There is also an online ICS for school Administrators course and Vermont School Safety audit book is available. The crisis team now has funding to field some program people to help School Administrators with their plans.

Other Business:

- ◆ Bill Burden reminded the attendees that January 1, 2013 is the deadline for narrow band channel and licenses. For further information go to VEM website to order booklet (APCO-Brochure, Answer questions on narrow band and coordination with mutual aid partners.
- ◆ Reverse 911 is operational- to activate call VEM with message of important emergency
- ◆ Kevin Geiger announced there was a statewide tabletop exercise on January 24th for PODs.
- ◆ Kevin Geiger also announced there was grant funding available for Town Community Shelters and Emergency Generators. The grants are a 50/50 match.

Next meeting scheduled for February 19, 2009 at 1800 at VSP Royalton.

Respectfully submitted,
Kenneth Goss for Cindy Spaulding, Secretary