

Powell County LEPC Meeting Minutes

June 16, 2015

The Meeting was called to order

Those in attendance were:

Richard Liles, Kari Hogan, Marianne Sayler, Donna Young, Carl Beckwith, Orwan Smith, Tom Bolton, Ricki Ann Bauer, Rick Duncan, Ruth Koehler, Martha Smith, Jody Walker, Jennifer Spring, Richard Liles, Carol Liles

The meeting was called to order by Ruth Koehler. Introductions were made by everyone to DES District Representative Martha Smith.

Martha presented a proposal to re write the Powell County Emergency Operations Plan. Martha and Ruth will write up a new section each month and send it out to all LEPC members 2 weeks prior to the next meeting to give them time to review the section. They will then bring any changes and suggestions to the next meeting. We will try to work on small sections at a time. We will start this project for the next meeting in July. It is hoped that we can have representatives from fire and law enforcement at each meeting. It is estimated that this project will take at least a year to complete. There will not be a meeting in August.

Martha then lead a discussion based wildland fire exercise. Some of the items discussed included communications, having a Forest Service/DNRC/County wild fire plan, to include communications with the Commissioners, making up contact lists so we don't miss notifying anyone during a fire and having a written communications plan between the Sheriff's Office, 911 dispatch and the Office of Emergency Management Coordinator and the Deputy.

Meeting adjourned at 1:05 pm

The next meeting will be July 21, 2015 at Noon in the hospital board room

Respectfully submitted,

Ruth E Koehler

