

Regional Emergency Planning Committee Tuesday, May 12, 2009 Harrington Memorial Hospital

Attendees

Bridge of Central Mass Kathy Charette MEMA 4: Brian Sullivan Mass State Police: Sqt. Charles Murray Overlook Health George Senerth Charlton Fire EMS: Terri Gough: Radius Health Andre Doko Charlton Resident (Ret) Ralph Harris Southbridge APO Kathy Shields Charlton Police: Lt. Carl Ekman Southbridge BOH Dean Cook

Dudley BOH/Region II PH: Kerry Clark Southbridge Fire: FF Roland LaRochelle Dudley Fire: Chief Jeff Phelps Chief Dick Ciesla

Sbge. Town Manager: Christopher Clark Deputy Mark DiFronzo

EMSHG/Region 1 Candi Christenson Worc. Public Health: Seth Peters

CRHSC: Mike Dunn

Harrington Hosp: John Hart, Pub. Safety Southbridge Police: Chief Dan Charette Linda Hart, RN Sturbridge Fire: Capt. John Marinelli

Kelly Dickenson (ECC) Sturbridge Police: Alan Curboy

Frank Leo

Conflicts: Chief Charles E. Cloutier Jr.

Ric Skinner

Meeting called to order: 08:15

Introductions:

Guest – Brad Hibbard, Westfield State College, Homeland Security Institute. Presentation on available training, with the DOD at the conference center here in Southbridge.

March 09 Meeting Minutes Approved

Old Business:

Tri-EPIC Slide Show – c/o Ralph Harris has to be moved to next meeting.

Radio Presentation AM970 – This was done by Terri Gough to educate the public about Tri-EPIC and Harrington Hospital. This was an hour long program and because of this we have been invited to attend the Sturbridge Rotary Club to make a presentation, they would be interested in funded something that we need to have money for. John has asked Terri to attend this meeting and make this presentation.

Reversed 911 & Harrington – This is still pending, Seth Peters said he is still putting together information. Mike Dunn said he will put it on the agenda for the next meeting.

Repeaters Grant: Will be located at the hospital and if any community has the frequency they can communicate with the Tri-EPIC. 159.0675

Website Grant Funding - This grant was denied by the HLS Council, Dean Cook has some ideas on how to keep the site running at a minimal cost. He is going to work with the committee.

New Business:

H1N1: Linda Hart is currently working on the Coup Plans for both the hospital and the ISCU. These will be shared with the group when completed. She also has cots, N95's and antiviral in stock for their personnel.

HMH ER: Dr. Stephens is the Interim Medical Director

Meeting adjourned at 10:25

Next Meeting: Tuesday, June 9 Charlton Fire Department