



## **Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) Meeting**

**November 27, 2019**

**10:00 am**

**Eaton County Emergency Operations Center, 911 Courthouse Dr., Charlotte, Michigan**

### **New Business**

#### **2020 Committee and Organization (See attached)**

Proposed meeting schedule for 2020

- Wednesday, February 26, 2020
- Wednesday, May 27, 2020
- Wednesday, August 26, 2020
- Wednesday, December 2, 2020

#### **Eaton County Subscription to Online Tier II Manager**

Eaton County now subscribes to the Online Tier II Manager. We're also working with our local fire departments to get them up and running as well. We will no longer need to accept paper copies of the Tier II reports as everything can be submitted and accessed through the Online Tier II Manager portal.

#### **Emergency Operations Center Update**

The Eaton County EOC will be undergoing a big technology upgrade the last couple weeks of January. The upgrades will allow for significant improvements to all A/V aspects of our EOC.

#### **CN High-hazard Flammable Trains (HHFT) Report (See attached)**

This report consists of 5 sections:

- Section 1: Report of the Estimated Number of High Hazard Flammable Trains Transported by CN Through the State
- Section 2: Description of CN High Hazard Flammable Train Routes
- Section 3: Description of CN Response Zones
- Section 4: Listing of Class 3 Flammable Liquids
- Section 5: 2016 North American Emergency Response Guidebook Guide Numbers for Flammable Liquids

#### **Secretary of Agriculture Disaster Declaration (see attached news release)**

Please see the attached information from the SBA. Eaton County is eligible for assistance due to an agriculture disaster declaration. This opportunity is not for individual farmers or ranchers, but for those businesses who are connected to farming operations.

In this type of disaster, SBA provides Economic Injury Disaster Loans to small businesses, small agricultural cooperatives, small businesses engaged in aquaculture and private nonprofit organizations that sustained financial losses as a direct result of this disaster to assist with their working capital needs.

After a natural disaster, the Secretary of Agriculture makes a disaster declaration to assist farmers and ranchers. Automatically, as a result, the SBA makes a disaster declaration to help businesses (farm-related and non-farm related) in the disaster declared counties that feel the ripple effect of the plight of the farmers and ranchers as a consequence of the disaster.

By law, SBA is prohibited from assisting farmers and ranchers (with the exception of aquaculture), but can offer disaster loans to businesses such as a feed/seed wholesaler or farm implement dealers (farm-related); or restaurants, appliance stores, auto dealerships (non-farm related example businesses).

If you happen to know of anybody in need in your jurisdictions please direct them to the electronic loan application via SBA's secure website at [disasterloan.sba.gov](https://disasterloan.sba.gov)

### **HHFT Training/Workshop Coming to Mid-Michigan area in 2020**

The EPA is working with rail companies that operate within Michigan to bring a day-long high hazard flammable liquid rail / derailment training, otherwise known as Transportation Rail Incident Preparedness and Response (TRIPR) to the Lansing area in 2020. Several of these have been conducted across Michigan Region 5 and they are generally thought to be very helpful for preparedness. The target audience is Michigan emergency responders. The class size for the day-long training is normally 100 – 200 participants. Eaton County Emergency Management is assisting with the planning efforts for this workshop. More to come!

### **FEMA Hazardous Materials Incidents – Guidance for State, Local, Tribal, Territorial, and Private Sector Partners – August 2019 (See attached)**

Just an FYI. We'll be utilizing this document for future planning efforts.

Provides information and resources to improve resilience to hazardous materials incidents.

## **Old Business**

### **Local Emergency Management Planning Updates**

- County Emergency Operations Plan (Adopted August 2019 – Good for 4 years)
- Support Emergency Operations Plan – City of Charlotte (Planning for 2020)
- Debris Management Plan (Planning for 2020)

### **Training and Exercise Opportunities**

We're looking for others in Eaton County to take the courses to become a certified Professional Emergency Manager (PEM). If you're interested, please contact Ryan Wilkinson for more information.

2019-2020 MSP Emergency Management and Homeland Security Training Center Course Catalog released. See below for required PEM program courses.

**PROFESSIONAL EMERGENCY MANAGER PROGRAM COURSES**

For more information about the Professional Emergency Manager program, please visit our [website](#).

COURSE TITLE (Alphabetically Listed)	MI-TRAIN COURSE ID	DATES
Basic Public Information Officers Workshop (G290)	1017932	October 29-30, 2019 February 6-7, 2020 July 21-22, 2020
Hazard Mitigation/Comprehensive Plan Interface (G626)	1017432	November 13-14, 2019 March 12-13, 2020 June 2-3, 2020
Homeland Security Exercise Evaluation Program (HSEEP) Course - Classroom (L146)	1018869	January 7-8, 2020 May 27-28, 2020 August 4-5, 2020
Homeland Security Exercise Evaluation Program (HSEEP) Course - Webinar (K146)	1018687	Online
Incident Command System/Emergency Operations Center Interface (G191)	1017942	January 22, 2020 April 29, 2020 September 2, 2020
Michigan Specific Core EM Knowledge Requirement (MI-CEMKR)	1046211	February 19-20, 2020 June 25-26, 2020 September 16-17, 2020
Professional Emergency Manager Designation Exam	1018983	December 4, 2019 April 21, 2020 August 26, 2020

2020 local training and exercise schedule is being compiled

- 2020 SARA Title III Tier Two Workshop Series
  - January 22, 2020 – University Center in Gaylord, Michigan
  - January 29, 2020 – Lansing Community College, West Campus
  - February 12, 2020 – Doubletree by Hilton, Grand Rapids Airport
  - February 13, 2020 – Washtenaw Community College, Ann Arbor, Michigan
- MI CIMS End-User Training – Local Emergency Management Responders –
  - Friday, January 17, 2019 at Delta Township Central Fire Station from 8:00 am – 12:00 pm
- 30<sup>th</sup> Annual No-Spills Conference
  - January 29<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020 in Traverse City, Michigan
- Rising Waters Statewide Exercise (Working on Exercise Objectives)
  - April 14-16, 2020
- Michigan Hazmat Responder Conference
  - April 16-18, 2020 in Thompsonville, Michigan
- Great Lakes Homeland Security Training Conference and Expo
  - May 5-7, 2020 in Grand Rapids, Michigan
- MGT-346 – Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Operations and Planning for All-Hazards Events
  - May 12-14, 2020 in the Eaton County EOC
- North American Active Assailant Conference
  - May 27-29, 2020 in Troy, Michigan

**Next Meeting: Proposed Wednesday, February 26, 2020 at 10:00 am in the Eaton County EOC**