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The Johnson County LEPC met on Tuesday, September 16th, 2014 at the JECC. Chair Dave Wilson called the meeting to order at 10:05 AM. Greetings were extended and self-introductions were made. Also, a sign-in was passed.

LEPC Minutes

- Introductions-all
- Old Business
 - The minutes from the March 18th, 2014 meeting were approved.
- HMEP grant updates/status reports. (BJ)
 - For FFY 14, we were able to send one hazmat team member to the Hazmat Technician School in Lansing, MI. Another member was scheduled to go but the class ended up getting cancelled due to low enrollment.
 - For FFY 15 we were awarded funding to send two members to the Hazmat Technician School in Lansing, MI.
 - We will be submitting to have updated rail and highway commodity flow studies completed for the FFY 16 grant since the last were completed in 2010.
- Haz Mat Team report or areas of concern-Brian
 - There have been no calls for service since the last meeting back in March.
 - There are currently 29 members on the team.
 - The team conducted stinger operation training at the September meeting. They would like to incorporate stinger operations into upcoming hands on exercise with the bomb team.
 - The team acquired a MiniRae 3000 monitor through the Federal Excess Program.
 - The SCBA bottles were hydro tested and will not have to be replaced for another 2-3 years.
- State Report-DNR if present.
 - State DNR wanted to make sure we had not run into any issues since they went to regional field offices and after hours call in. No issues have come up.
- EPA Region 7 report if present.
 - No one from EPA Region 7 was present.
- Public Health Preparedness Healthcare Coalition Update – Coalition Members
 - The Coalition spent just over \$55,000 from the Hospital preparedness and Public Health preparedness grants back in August to purchase additional water purification equipment to close a gap in capabilities locally. The water divisions at the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Coralville and North Liberty as well as the members of the Iowa Water Alert Network will be getting training from the vendor on the equipment sometime yet this fall. The equipment allows for up to 100,000 gallons of dirty water to be turned into potable drinking water per day. Three other units were acquired through the GSA surplus program and are getting



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recalibrated and rehabilitated. These units will allow for another 20,000-30,000 gallons of water per day. There will be a full scale exercise in 2016 using the water purification equipment.

- New Business-all
 - There was no new business.
- Integrated DNA Technologies Presentation (Heather)
 - Heather Cox gave a presentation on their production facility in Coralville.
- Integrated DNA Technologies Exercise Discussion
 - Integrated DNA Technologies would like to have a full scale exercise in 2015. This would be a joint exercise with the bomb and hazmat teams. There will be more discussion as things get closer.
- Scheduling of spring meeting.
 - The next meeting is scheduled for **March 17th, 2015** at 10 AM at the JECC Building.
- Adjourn meeting.

Sincerely,

Dave C Wilson

Johnson County Emergency Management Agency