



**Clark County Local Emergency Planning Committee**  
CLARK COUNTY FIRE ADMINISTRATION  
TELECONFERENCE

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**Minutes**  
**October 17, 2023**  
**1:00 P.M.**

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**LEPC MEMBERS/ALTERNATES PRESENT:**

Billy Samuels, Diana Clarkson, Randy Angeline Szymanski, Sky Dunfield, Jeremy Hynds, Bradley Iverson, David Milewski, Jeff Quinn, Lucas Murphy, Carlito Rayos, Jeen Clemitson, John Karr, Randy Wilbanks, Harriet Parker, Misty Richardson, Carolyn Levering, Greg Chesser, Corey Ross, John Hines, Jeremy Crawford, Bowdie Young, Phil Klevorick, Kathryn Foxworthy, Brian Mitchell, Andrew Roth, Tori Begay, Melanie Rouse, John Turner, Bryan Ostaszewski, Christi Wiegman.

I. Call to Order Billy Samuels  
Chairman

II. Roll Call All

Chairman Billy Samuels announced that a quorum was met and proceeded to the next agenda item.

III. Public Comments

Harold Freedman shared his past work history as a first responder in New York and requested audible sirens be placed on fire and police stations for the purpose of having redundancy and alternative alerts in case digital/cell phone technology does not function as intended. Chairman Samuels proposed an agenda item for discussion moving forward.

IV. Comments from the Chair Billy Samuels  
*(Discussion only)*

Chief Samuels welcomed Diana Clarkson as the new Emergency Manager for LVMPD.

V. \* Review and Approve 07-11-2023 Meeting Minutes Billy Samuels  
*(For Possible Action)*

Carolyn Levering noted a spelling error for Lindy Downy in Public Comment, Section 3.

First motion for approval of minutes made by Carolyn Levering.  
Second motion for approval made by Misty Richardson.

Motion Passes

- VI.** Review Haz-Mat Plan Billy Samuels  
*(For Possible Action)*  
Review of changes to plan by Chief Rayos.

First motion for approval made by Randy Wilbanks.  
Second motion for approval made by Carolyn Levering.

Chairman Samuels asked for discussion and verbal vote.  
No discussion.

Chairman Samuels conducted verbal votes in favor and opposition.  
Motion passes.

## **VI. LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS**

### ***Plans Administration***

Chief Samuels and Chief Rayos discussed new Haz-Mat Coordinator being the chair.

### ***Training and Exercise***

Misty Richardson advises no training associated with Hazmat. Please login to WEBEOC for calendar information and to document properly moving forward. Chief Rayos discussed three-year plans (SERC) in the past and moving forward as well as having the new Haz-Mat Coordinator facilitate the next one.

### ***Grants Subcommittee***

Pam Hatty reports grants are in good standing and provided a briefing on outstanding Grants and status of interlocal agreements. Pam advised about Jon Wiercinski HMEP EV blanket grant was denied.

### ***Public Information Subcommittee***

Nothing to report.

### ***Legislative Subcommittee***

Angeline Szymanski reported on federal legislation status and actions.

### ***GIS Subcommittee***

Nothing to report.

### ***Specialized Response Subcommittee***

Nothing to report.

## **SPECIAL REPORTS & WORKING GROUPS**

### ***Volunteer Organizations Active in Disaster (VOAD)***

Provided a status of VOAD, training, membership, and plans moving forward.  
Streamlining contact lists and people who are given information.

### ***Nuclear Waste Division Yucca Mountain Update***

Andrew Bennett will assume the chair role, per Chief Samuels. Discussed previous chairman roles and plans moving forward.

### ***Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Steering Subcommittee***

Report on meeting with FEMA and plans moving forward. FEMA has changed guidelines on hazard mitigation and briefing on local changes needed.

### ***Regional Working Groups***

AIR – Chair needed. Chief Rayos provided an update on current issues and moving forward.

BEIR – Nothing to report.

NIR – Josie Ross reported on progress of full-scale exercise NVE exercise as well as outreach.

## **VII. Public Comments**

Chief Samuels relayed his excitement for Gary Stevenson to be joining the team as the Haz Mat Coordinator.

Angeline Szymanski gave quick information on federal grants website.

Chief Rayos advised to contact him with any projects he needs to brief Gary Stevenson on next week.

**Next Regularly Scheduled LEPC meeting: January 16th, 2024, at 9:00 A.M.**  
hybrid meeting via Lifesize or in-person at the Clark County MACC.

## **VIII. Adjournment**

First motion for approval made by Misty Richardson.

Verbal vote passes.

Meeting adjourned.