



Hazardous Materials Specialist Group

Meeting Minutes September 4th 2014

Continuing Challenge, Sacramento Ca

13:30-17:30

Members in attendance, Brad Haldeman, Jack Fry, Brad Darbro, Jon Poganski, Oscar Torres Mike Garcia, Bill Taylor, Shanna Kuempel, Jeff Adney, Tony Duran, Steve Baker.

Guests present Vance Bennet,

Absent: John Crook, Steven Byers, Jim Blue

New Members: None

Approval of minutes

Meeting called to order at 1330 hours. Update on status of new and pending issues. Roster Update. Motion to approve minutes, Kuempel, Second, Poganski, Minutes approved.

Task Force Updates.

Review of Agenda

Update of Roster. Confidential and Non confidential

Roundtable:

Bill Taylor Ventura County, Recon on a Haz Mat call. Use of a drone. Need for use guidelines possible ad hoc group for FIRESCOPE position paper. Discussion of Oil Spill Signature Authority to authorize financial clean up.

Vance Bennet Reorganization of CSTI.

Mike Garcia, Haz Mat IC will be included in SFM Company Officer Series.

Shanna Kuempel, Update on HAZ MAT SOGS

Jon Poganski, Update and meeting OSPR Sacramento July 2014 meeting. Oil Spill Bill AB 861 a tax on refineries that helps fund waterway cleanup. Work needs to be done and maps need to match up with CALOES region lines. CA Fish and Game will manage the money.

Discussion with the group of the need to predefine contracts

Bill Taylor LA County, Dates for Training Exercises Contact for Details.

Update from Riverside on use of propane tanks being used as IED's

Lesson Plan issues posted on the Web Site need updated. Letter to Task Force prior to September Meeting. September 16 and 17th.

Updates will be consistent with the Current FOG, CSTI curriculum.

Meeting Adjourned at 1625 hours

Next Meeting December 10 1330-1700 and December 11 0800-1400th 2014 in LA

Bomb Squad Downtown 2029 Main Street Los Angeles (note Enter off Ave 20)

12/10/14, Minutes Approved by Jack Fry, Seconded by Tony Duran