



SAFETY SPECIALIST GROUP

(Day 1) Arroyo Grande City Council Chambers
215 E Branch Street

Arroyo Grande, Ca. 93420
(Day 2) Five Cities Fire Authority
140 Traffic Way

Arroyo Grande, Ca. 93420
March 1, 2017, 0900-1700
March 2, 2017, 0800-1200

Minutes

Mike Klusyk (SBC)	Glen “Kipp” Morrill (BLM)	Wayne Seda (AFV)
Woody Enos (SBC) TF Liaison Alt	Daron Piscotta (CNT)	John Walsh (ACF)
Barry Parker (VNC)	Larry La Vogue (BDC)	David Witt (KRN)
Mark Sanchez (ORC)	Donald Reyes (LFD)	

Members Not Present:

Doug Ferro (CalFire) Eric Holly (SFW) TF Liaison

March 1, 2017

■ **Call to order: 0900 by Chair Klusyk**

Greeting by Five Cities Fire Authority Battalion Chief Riki Heath.

Welcome, Introductions, and Logistics: Klusyk

Confidential and Non-Confidential Rosters sent around for updates

Dec 2016 meeting minutes reviewed and approved by SSG

- Morrill made the motion to accept the Dec 2016 meeting minutes, Reyes seconded the motion. Minutes approved unanimously. .

Agenda Review: All – changes requested

- Add to Group business: Discuss SSG membership requirements
- Renamed “Respiratory Protection” document “to “Health, Hazard, and Wellness” document.

Task Force Summary Report: Enos (SBC) FIRESCOPE Task Force Liaison (Alt.)

- 2017 FOGs and the FIRESCOPE App should be available soon

- CalOES Chief Scott Vail interim FIRESCOPE Task Force representative
- New CalOES Type 2 Hazmat rigs are being built up
- New CalOES HazMat Chief Larry Collins
- CalFire IMT assigned to Oroville Dam
- Task Force working on Hillside homes “structure fire” document
- MAC exercise in Redding April 2017
- (All Hazard) AH -330 Strike Team Leader course should be available by May 2017

Old Business:

- Update on FIRESCOPE website
 - Website updated with current SSG minutes
 - Charter, Plan of Work, and Rosters require update.
- “Health, Hazard, and Wellness” Document: (Pisciotta)
 - Survey completed and sent out to SSG members
 - Post Incident Stress document will be sent out to SSG members for review

New Business:

- **Flagging:** (Morrill)
 - Completed White Paper for submission to Task Force
 - Recommendation includes standard colors when possible
 - Incidents utilize standard or recommended colors for their specific incident and make it known to the assigned resources
- **Update on “Best Practices for Safety in the Fire Services” White Paper** (Walsh/Parker/Ferro)
 - No updated status
- **Update on template for SART template** (Walsh/Parker/Ferro)
 - Directed by Task Force to remove this item from our Plan of Work
 - SSG working on a White Paper template to be reviewed by Task Force:
 - Direct all Fire Departments via FIRESCOPE website towards the following sites already established websites “ the National Fallen Firefighter’s Foundation website (firehero.org) under “Firefighter LODD SOP”, “International Association of Fire Chiefs (iafc.org) website”, and “International Association of Firefighters (iaff.org) website”
- **ICS-215A forms and Risk Management Assessment Process:** (Witt)
 - On hold until the replacement of IT POC
 - Currently utilizing fill-able ICS-215A version
 - Will be posted on FIRESCOPE website under document section and “What’s New” section, ICS forms section of the Document Downloads in the Safety Specialist tab
- **Rapid Extraction Module Support (REMS) ad-hoc committee Update** (Walsh)

- ADHOC group discussing recommendations
- **CWCG cooperation with FIREScope SSG (Morrill)**
 - Added language to SSG Charter that directs cooperation between the two groups and ensures at least one face to face meeting annually.
- **Marijuana Cultivation Document**
 - SSG recommendation to Task Force that the legalization of Marijuana use does not change the direction in the current “Emergency Response to Marijuana Cultivation Incident” document.

Group Business:

- Reviewed and updated Plan of Work, Charter and Rosters (Confidential and non-confidential)
- Klusyk will review Power Point Slides for 25th Annual California Wildland Fire Risk Management Summit presentation
 - Final review by SSG at April 10, 2017 meeting in San Diego
- Discuss SSG membership requirements provided in the group charter.

Upcoming Meetings:

- April 10, 2017 in San Diego, Humphrey’s Half Moon Inn and Suites, Dockside Room
- April 11-13, 2017 – 25th Annual California Wildland Fire Risk Management Summit in San Diego

Roundtable Discussion

■ Meeting adjourned March 2, 2017 @ 1300

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