



FIRESCOPE US&R Specialist Group

March 5, 2014 1000-1700
Marin County



Meeting Minutes Day 1

- In Attendance
 - Mark Brown
 - Len Chesmore
 - Brendan Barahura
 - Jeremy Roesler
 - Steve Winter
 - Howard Orr
 - Brian LeFave
 - Mike Lococo
 - David Sargenti
 - On Conference Call
 - N/A
- Meeting Called to Order- 0950
- Logistics Briefing
- Introductions
- Mike Lococo
 - Brief on CAL OES participation with in the “Specialist” groups
 - Send minutes to Steve Winter once approved as a PDF file to be forwarded to Chief Lococo
 - FIRESCOPE History brief
 - Update on Trench Curriculum
 - Curriculum is at a stop until LA City can get an Engineer to provide additional tabulated data
 - Update on the process to get things done within the FIRESCOPE system
 - Mark Brown to add Chief Lococo to the US&R Working Group email list
 - Trench discussion within the group
 - 410-4 Document review- <http://www.firescope.org/macs-docs/MACS-410-4.pdf>
 - FIRESCOPE to require all Working Groups to re-submit their AHJ authorization to participate and a current Resume
 - FIRESCOPE to archive Working Groups membership and documents
 - All working group Chairs are going to meet with FIRESCOPE in April
 - Anything that is put on the web needs to go through Mark Brown for a push up the chain of command for approval first
- Elections of Officers-Nominations Opened
 - Chair- Mark Brown
 - Motioned by Chesmore
 - Seconded by Lefave
 - Vice- Chair: Jim Underwood

- Motioned by Chesmore
- Seconded by Lefave
- Secretary- Barahura
- Motioned by Brown
- Seconded by Sargenti
- All nominations voted on and approved by majority
- Lunch Menu
- Roster Updated by Mark Brown
- Charter Update
 - Document reviewed and updated by the group
 - Complete and will be submitted to Taskforce
- Plan of Work
 - Task Book History given
 - Group evaluating and updating plan
 - Swiftwater removed from Plan of Work
 - Completed and will be submitted to Taskforce
- US&R Medic Proposal
 - Discussion between the group
 - FSTEP Course being researched/developed
 - Plan is to mirror the Fireline Medic program
- OSD/SEL
 - Brian Gaddis made changes to OSD
 - Alphabetized by category and by item in category
 - Add Okay and Need columns
 - New Appendix D will have a sheet at the end for each of the Typed Resources that highlights changes (Number, weight and Cost) to each Type.
 - Remove change, lbs. and money columns from final document
 - Gaddis to make changes. Roesler to help as needed.
- Position Descriptions
 - Review of document and discussion
 - Rescue Specialist removed
- Meeting Adjourned 1650 hrs.

Day2 (March 6, 2014)

- In Attendance
 - Mark Brown
 - Len Chesmore
 - Brendan Barahura
 - Jeremi Roesler
 - Steve Winter
 - Howard Orr
 - Brian LeFave
 - Mike Lococo
 - David Sargenti
 - Dan Quiggle
- FIRESCOPE Act of 1989
 - www.aroundthecapitol.com/code/getcode.html?code=../hsc/13001-14000/13070-13073
- Update to Dan Quiggle
- Position Training Requirements
 - Discussion by group with-in each PD
 - Completed Items
 - US&R Crew Member Type 3 and 4-
 - US&R Technician Type 1 and 2-
 - Crew Boss US&R
 - Taskforce Leader/strike Team Leader
 - Regional Taskforce Leader
 - Rescue Manager
 - Safety Officer
 - Technical Search Specialist
 - To be Completed
 - Search Manager
 - US&R Paramedic
 - K9 Search Specialist
 - Hazardous Material Technician
 - Structure Specialist
 - HERS
 - Tool and Equipment Specialist
- Minutes Reviewed and Approved
- Meeting Adjourned 1415 hours.