



CALL TO ORDER

The Cass County EMAC met January 8th, 2020 at 7:00 PM at the Office of the Cass County Emergency Management Agency (EMA) at 1227 N SR 17, Logansport, IN 46947. The meeting was called to order by Danny Farris, Present was Alvin Beckman, Ed Schroder, Dan McDonald, Rocky Buffum, Wally Bennett, Tracy Williamson, Chris Cover and Liz Troxell. With Guest Mathew Burkhart-Indiana Department of Homeland Security

INTRODUCTIONS

RE-ORGANIZATION OF OFFICERS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes of the meeting not approved because of lack of quorum

OLD BUSINESS:

GRANTS

The work on the Multi-Hazard Mitigation grant continues. Alvin stated that there has been know information released on potential 2020 grants. The school Safety Grants usually come first, followed by the EMPG and SHSP Grants.

DISTRICT 4:

Alvin and discussed changes within District 4. Task Force is still in place, but the State has started using IMAT teams and going away from Task forces. Steve Cox, who recently was appointed as the replacement for the State Fire Marshal's position, was named to replace Bryan Langley as Executive Director of IDHS.

2019 REVIEW

House fire that claimed 6 lives, Traffic accident that killed 2 and 2 suicides- 10 deaths in 14 hours. House fire during 57 degrees below 0 wind chills, severe storms and Alvin's Health Issues dominated the 2019 year.

ANY OTHER OLD BUSINESS:

No old business to report

NEW BUSINESS:

DEPUTY DIRECTOR POSITION

Position has been advertised- part time

2020 OUTLOOK/PLANS/UPDATES

One class set up, rail car incident will be at Ivy Tech April 3-4 2020

ACTIVITY REPORT/RESPONSE REPORT

Report from 11-21-19 to 1-6-2020

UPCOMING TRAINING/MEETINGS/EXERSISES

Pipeline Meeting 1-22 in Kokomo, Rail Road Response Training, Grissom to have HSEEP class, Possible Drone Training

ANY OTHER NEW BUSINESS

Possible flooding this weekend

CLAIMS

The claims are in the amount of
\$ 13082.16 for 11-21-19 to 12-31-19
\$ 1530.18 for 1-1-20 to 1-8-20

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS

Old order of German Baptist will be holding their national convention in Twelve Mile in Cass County the weekend of Memorial Day

ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the EMAC is scheduled for February 5, 2020 at 7PM.
The meeting was adjourned on a motion duly made and seconded.

Respectfully submitted
Liz Troxell
EMAC Secretary