

MINUTES
JUNEAU LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE (LEPC)
Wednesday, August 10, 2022 - 12:00 P.M.
Telephonic/Virtual-Zoom Conference
(Questions Call – 586-0371)

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Ed Williams called the meeting to order at

Roll Call: Michelle Brown confirmed quorum present

Members Present: Scott Erickson, Ed Quinto, Destiny Sargeant, Ben Murray, Daniel Wiersma, Tonia Montez, Jennifer Pemberton, Britta Tonnessen, Loren Jones, Chris Russell, Ryan Sand, Karen Wood, Ed Williams, Corey Padron, Sabrina Boone, Elaine Hickey, Michelle Brown

Members Absent: Wade Bryson, David Campbell, Travis Mead, Warren Russell, Jon Suk, Ryan Bare, Zachariah Fisher, Erin Walker-Tolles, Tom Mattice

Others Present: Beth McEwen, Charles “Chip” Wisner, Chelsea Swick, Gina Halverson, Jeff Garmon, Ken Murphy, Louise Phillips, Michael Pierson, Phil Adams, Tav Ammu, SSG Sean Smack

II. INTRODUCTIONS

- Introductions were skipped due to fullness of agenda

III. FAREWELL & WELCOME / OPEN SEATS

- Open Seat-Healthcare System Alternate Seat – Participants tasked with outreach to fill this seat

IV. AGENDA CHANGES

A. None

V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. July 13, 2022 Minutes Approved

VI. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - Non-Agenda Items

A. None

VII. REPORTS

A. Emergency Programs Report

- **The Alaska Assessment and Whole Community Input Form (WCIF) – Michelle:** Advised that Tom Mattice was compiling this information from past outreach. The State allowed an extension to accommodate a death in Tom’s family.

B. Elected Official Report – None

C. CCFR – Ed Quinto

- Ironman – overall success. Ambulances, paramedics, staff units used throughout the day. Ryan – fantastic team/community work, growth for emergency planning at University. Hotwash completed.

D. AK Native Tribal – Sabrina Boone – Street and Prescription Drug Response Training report:
12-14 people attended between 3 different trainings

E. Other Member Reports

- F. NWS Weather Update – Jeff Garmon for Jon Suk** – Upcoming Salmon Derby trending wet and maybe windier (15-20 knot) through the weekend, forecast matrix available. River rises expected middle of next week. 14 day outlook – cooler and wet.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Alaska Sea Grant – Tav Ammu – Screen shared presentation.** Clean boating survey and outreach to share “Alaska Clean Harbors” shared best practices. Survey of users, community members, and staff, goal to understand users, disposal practices, and barriers. Routine spills/leaks were biggest concern for all groups, signs found to be most desirable form of communication. Sign design contest to build community involvement and support. www.alaskacleanharbors.org

IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A.** Phil Adams - Airport exercise “Hotwash” today at 2:30. Exercise was big success. 140 participants.
- B.** LEPC blended meeting discussion - Joint use facility offered by National Guard. Airport has capability in Alaska Room but time conflict. CDD next to City Hall has a Zoom conference room. Valley Library could be functionally be done. Committee members did informal votes to gauge interest in various locations. 1st preference Valley, 2nd preference Auke Bay, 3rd preference Downtown (due to parking availability and convenience)

X. ACTION ITEMS

- A.** None

XI. INFORMATION ITEMS

A. Golden North Territorial Sportsman Salmon Derby

- August 12-14
- NWS Weather Forecast Support for Salmon Derby
- Forecast Ops (907) 790-6824 Q&A Jon Suk (907) 790-6803
- Website: https://www.weather.gov/source/ajk/ss/Salmon_Derby.html

B. Southeast Environmental Conference hosted by CCTHITA Sitka Tribe of Alaska and the Wilderness Society

- Location: Elizabeth Peratrovich Hall-Blended In-person/Zoom August 29-Sept 2
- POC: Thia Bailey - Tbailey@ccthita-nsn.gov
- Info Link: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/southeast-environmental-conference-tickets-367206854587?aff=ebdssbcitybrowse&_gl=1*zfc4si*_up*MQ..&gclid=EAIaIQobChMIybz bhJ-m-QIVkz-tBh3NHQ3HEAAYASAAEgJtH_D_BwE&gclsrc=aw.ds

C. Airport Full Scale Exercise – July 23, 2022

- POC – Phil Adams, Airport Superintendent - e-mail: Phil.Adams@jnuaairport.com
- Office: (907) 586-0921 - Cell: (907) 321-3803
- CCFR POC – Ed Quinto, CCFR E-mail: ed.quinto@juneau.org
 - Hot Wash – August 10, 2022 – 2:30pm to 4:00pm – Airport Alaska Room

D. CERT Program – Ongoing Item – Inactive. Seeking strong partnership with CCFR, JPD, and Program Coordinator

XII. NEXT MEETING/S

***Wednesday, September 14th, 2022 – 12:00 pm, - **ZOOM Webinar – Access information will be e-mailed and posted publicly prior to the meeting.**

*** Subject to change based on COVID-19 response at the time of meeting**

**Regular Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month*

***Future Temporary Meeting Locations*

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, meeting adjourned at 12:58 P.M.