

Tri-County PET Region Working Group

Agenda

March 14, 2014, 0900 CDT

1819 Farnam Street,

3rd Floor, Jesse Lowe Conference Room, Omaha, NE

Meeting comes to order

1. Introduction of voting members present
2. Review & approval of meeting notes from the previous meeting

Discussion Items

Updates and Reports

1. Conference Report: Dec. 2013 Special Events Management Seminar – Douglas County Sheriff's Office
2. Tri-County/UASI management & Administration update – Phil Ruhe/Gail Braun
 - a. Please update Phil Ruhe about committee chair/co-chair changes, see 2014 Committee Chair contact list
 - b. FY2014 SHSG: expect NEMA to announce a date for the 2014 IJ workshop in the coming months (FY2013 IJ Workshop was held June 25, 2013). We will know more about FY2014 SHSG funding levels in the coming months
 - c. Marty Bilek, Chief of Staff to Mayor Jean Stothert is the appointed Tri-County Working Group Chair and point of contact (POC)
3. Financial update & report – Scott Crites, City of Omaha Finance Department
4. Standing committee reports
 - a. Emergency Management: Bill Pook, Region 5/6 Emergency Management
 - i. PET Sub-Committee, Whitney Shipley, Douglas County Emergency Management
 - b. Communications: Mark Conrey, Douglas County 911 Communications
 - c. Critical Infrastructure/Key Resources: Dennis Snook, OPPD
 - d. Urban Law Enforcement: Lt. Tom Shaffer, OPD
 - e. Rural Law Enforcement: Captain Kevin Pokorny, LaVista PD
 - f. Urban Fire: A/C Shane Hunter, Omaha Fire Department
 - g. Rural Fire: Travis Harlow, Waterloo Fire Department
5. Reports from other associated Homeland Security Federal Grant Programs
 - a. Omaha Metropolitan Medical Response System (MMRS) – Phyllis Dutton
 - b. Citizen Corps Program – Tom McMahon, United Way of the Midlands
6. Public Policy Center Report, Denise Bulling

Action Items

Nomination/election of Tri-County PET Region Working Group Vice-Chair

Public Comment

Upcoming events & next meeting

The next meeting will be held May 9, 2014 at 9:00 am in the Jesse Lowe Conference Room.

Tri-County UASI meetings are scheduled every two months, on the second Friday of those months at 9:00am. The 2014 meeting dates are as follows:

Friday, January 10	Friday, July 11
Friday, March 14	Friday, September 12
Friday, May 9	Friday, November 14

Agendas and meeting minutes

Agendas and minutes are posted on the Public Policy Centers' Nebraska Homeland Security Planning website at:

<http://www.homelandplanning.nebraska.edu/petregions/tricounty.php>