

Upper Uwchlan Township Emergency Management Planning Commission

Meeting Minutes
February 28, 2013
6:30 PM

I Call to Order

Jamie Goncharoff called the meeting of the Emergency Management Planning Commission (EMPC) to order at 6:34 PM. The following members were in attendance: Jamie Goncharoff, Scott Nicely, Julie Hearn-Nicely, Keith Logan, Bernie Carroll, Tom Kelly, Richard Ruth, and Tom Baynard.

Also in attendance were: Mac Kirkpatrick

II Approval of Previous Minutes

Tom Baynard made a motion to approve the Minutes and Richard Ruth seconded the motion.

III Fire Services Committee Report

Richard Ruth informed the commission that Lionville Fire Company will be hosting a traffic management course on Saturday March 9th to emergency responders. Mr. Ruth reported that Lionville Fire Department will be having HAZMAT refresher training in the coming weeks.

IV Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Committee Report

Scott Nicely reported that Uwchlan Ambulance will be offering basic First Aid training on March 11th at 6pm and First Aid including CPR training on March 12th. Mr. Nicely informed the commission that Uwchlan Ambulance answered the RFP from Phoenixville and if awarded 8 new staff members and 1 ambulance will need to be added to the new unit that will be created.

V Training Officer Report

Tom Baynard informed the commission that he is looking into training programs for Chester County LEO Clubs. Mr. Baynard hopes to coordinate courses offered by FEMA for LEO Club members. Mr. Baynard plans on attending a safe schools seminar being held at Haverford Township on March 27,2013.

VI Chairman/Coordinator Report

- Mr. Goncharoff thanked all those who attended and participated in the CERT Volunteer appreciation Night. The event was a success and was attended by 40 – 50 people.
- Mr. Goncharoff solicited the group for ideas or suggestions for upcoming training.

- Mr. Goncharoff suggested computer training for the group in preparation for the upcoming Limerick exercise, Tom Baynard agrees to co-ordinate the training.
- Mr. Goncharoff asked the group if anyone needed a UUEMC logoed hat.

II **Old Business**

Nothing to report.

VIII **New Business**

Columbia Gas is proposing a new pipeline from UUT to West Bradford Township.

IX **Round Table**

Mr. Goncharoff asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting, and after motion being made and seconded by Richard Ruth, the meeting was adjourned at 7:15 PM.