

JOINT EMERGENCY MEASURES ORGANIZATION

PLANNING COMMITTEE

MINUTES – APRIL 30,2014

The meeting was called to order by the Emergency Measures Coordinator at 7:00pm in the meeting room of the Barrington Ground Search & Rescue Building with the following members present:

- Jim Newell, EMO Coordinator
- Dick Crowell, Alternate EMO Coordinator
- Sharon Brannen, Municipality of Barrington
- Mike Swim, Municipality of Barrington
- David Kendrick, Municipality of Barrington
- Sergeant M.J. Duluco, RCMP
- Steve Mills, EMPO

- Penny Duggan, Island & Barrington Passage Fire Department and Secretary for the meeting

Absent were:

- Cameron Whiteway, Municipality of Barrington
- Brian Crowell, Town of Clark's Harbour
- Bryant Newell, Town of Clark's Harbour
- John Nickerson, Barrington Fire Department
- Gordon Ross, Woods Harbour/Shag Harbour Fire Department
- Ian Hicks, Port Clyde Fire Department
- Troy Perry, Port LaTour Fire Department
- Mike Hopkins, Barrington Ground Search & Rescue
- Jason Goodwin, Red Cross
- Crystal Larkin, EHS
- Trudy Smith, Department of Community Services
- Bonnie Llyod, Western Regional Housing Authority
- Ron Fitzpatrick, Bayside Home
- Deanna Jacquard, Roseway Hospital
- Steve Stoddard, Tri Country Regional School Board
- Jim Newell, Canadian Coast Guard

ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

There were no Additions to the Agenda

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Moved by S. Brannen and seconded by D. Kendrick that the Agenda be approved as circulated.

Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by M. Swim and seconded by S. Brannen that the Minutes for the February 19, 2014 meeting be approved as circulated.

Motion carried unanimously.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Pam Mehlman Shand and Lyman Thorborne with the Department of Transportation were present to answer questions concerning DOT snow removal policy on snow removal. The Department now uses a liquid de-icer on the 103 and on Route 3 prior to snow storms if the temperature is not below minus 10 degrees.

2014/2015 JOINT EMO BUDGET

The proposed 2014/2015 Joint EMO Budget was presented to the Committee and discussed. There was \$2,500.00 allotted in the Budget for a revision and mail out to the "Plan Ahead" emergency flyer which will be distributed to every household in the Municipality and Town. There will also be a web page set up to provide residents information during emergencies.

It was by M. Swim and seconded by M.J. Duluco that the proposed 2014/2015 be recommended for approval to the EMO Executive Committee.

Motion carried unanimously.

FIRE DEPARTMENTS

David Kendrick provided the Committee with an update on the fire departments. Automatic Aid has been established. There is a continuation of the amalgamation of the fire departments. There are currently four fire departments and it is anticipated that there will be three with a few years.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Planning Committee will be held at the Barrington Ground Search & Rescue Building at 7:00pm on July 30, 2014.

ADJOURNMENT

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned by the mutual consent of the members.