

Cass County EMA Advisory Council
Meeting Minutes
April 6, 2011

Call to Order at 703PM

Old Business

GRANTS: The 2010 CCP grant has been completed with \$2,000 returned to the state which will enable the offerings of two additional CERT Train the Trainer Courses this year. Grant possibilities under development are air cards for the sheriff's department and replacement of older data modems which are obsolete. The older modems operate on Windows XP and have coverage issues.

The last District 4 meeting was on May 26th and was a combined DPC and DPOC meeting. Task forces were the primary point of discussion.

No updates on NIMS.

A neighborhood watch meeting was held at Riverside Park. Alvin is looking at options for the future of CERT but having trouble finding interested community members.

New Business

There are discrepancies between the budget that was approved and what the treasurer posted to the books. This is why an abnormal number of re-appropriation requests are being observed.

TRAINING: Alvin attended an EOC Operations course hosted by District 4 and came back with many considerations for the CEMP. Alvin has also been conducting CPR Training but was unable to attend the advanced weather course. EMA will be working with schools for an earthquake drill.

Claims were approved in the amount of \$4,627.49 on a motion by Herb Detrick with a second by Wally.

Vicky will now be part time at EMA and part time at the highway department. Herb Detrick pointed out that only ¼ of her total salary will now be reimbursable through the state.

The National Weather Service has alerted EMA to the possibility of a strong outbreak of super cell tornadoes in the coming week.

Meeting adjourned on a motion by Herb Detrick with second by Randy Pryor and all in favor.