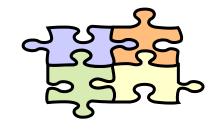
## CHITTENDEN COUNTY, VERMONT LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE #1

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## Meeting Notes, September 12, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 0900.

<u>Present:</u> Ron Pentkowski, VEM; Bob Henneberger, CERT/RACES; Andy Squires, Richmond Rescue; Prescott Nadeau, Williston FD; Zack Borst & Jeff Rogers, UVM; Shawn Donovan, DEC Spill Response Program; Jack Conry and John Berino, UVMMC; Josh Estey, CSWD; Dan Albrecht, CCRPC.

There were no changes to the agenda, nor public comment on items not on the agenda. The meeting notes of 7/11/17 were approved by unanimous consent (there was no August meeting).

<u>UVMMC Hazard Vulnerability Assessment</u>: Jack Conry showed various matrices that UVM Medical Center used to assess its vulnerability to Natural, Technological and Societal Hazards. As with the Chittenden County Multi-Jurisdictional All-Hazards Mitigation Plan, Severe Winter Storms and Severe Rainstorms (termed Severe Weather, non-winter) can have the most impacts. In terms of Technological Hazards, a failure of Information Services or a deliberate Cyber-Attack would have the most impact while for Societal Hazards, Workplace Violence, Inpatient Surge and Mass Casualty Incident are of the greatest concern.

<u>VT DEC Spills Program:</u> Shawn Donovan outlined the reporting requirements for spills as well as described the typical incidents in Vermont. He showed some examples of recent spills in which his Program was involved. Spill data can be accessed at: https://anrweb.vt.gov/DEC/ERT/Spills.aspx

<u>Project Updates</u>: Lee is out of town so Dan indicated that Lee would provide an update at the next meeting. On a related noted, Dan noted that 17 of 18 municipal All-Hazards Mitigation Plans have been submitted to VDEMHS with several having received formal approvals from FEMA. The AHMP for the last town, Charlotte, will be submitted soon.

LEPC other business: None.

## Member reports:

Pentkowski/DEMHS: He first noted that the VDEMHS has gone back to being called VEM, Vermont Emergency Management. He made available copies of the "VEM News" and Training Newsletter which can be accessed on-line, respectively at: <a href="http://vem.vermont.gov/contact-us/newsletter">http://vem.vermont.gov/contact-us/newsletter</a> and: <a href="http://vem.vermont.gov/training">http://vem.vermont.gov/training</a>

Henneberger/RACES-MRC: Approximately 30 MRC volunteers are headed to TX and FL in the aftermath of the flooding.

With no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 1020 hours.

Respectfully submitted by Dan Albrecht

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