

May 21, 2008 7:00PM General Meeting

Location:

Owatonna EOC

Attendees:

Mike Johnson; Stacy Mielke; Tom Karnauskas; Kim Purscell; O Dalle; Raymond Truelson; Dave Purscell; Elizabeth Aupl

April Meeting Minutes:

- Approved as submitted by unanimous vote without objection.

April Treasurers Report:

Balance on Hand	16-Apr-2008		\$2,341.20
<u>EXPENSES:</u>			
None		\$0.00	
Total Expenses:			\$0.00
<u>DEPOSITS:</u>			
None		\$0.00	
Total Deposits			\$0.00
Balance on Hand	21-May-2008		\$2,341.20

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Citizen Corp Reports

CERT: Shirley Woodfill

- About 6 CERT people volunteered to help out at the 07-Jun music event at the airport.

Emergency Medical Services: Stacey Mielke

- Owatonna Hospital is having a training session on Psychological First Aid Training on Fri, 30-May.

Medical Reserve Corp/Public Health Report: Kim Purscell

- Karen cannot make the June Pandemic Flu presentation scheduled for the June CAER meeting. It will be rescheduled for the fall and the government presentation scheduled for May is being moved to June.

Red Cross Report: Kim Purscell

- Red Cross is in the final stages of having an Emergency Services Director. Scheduled to start 01-Jul. - CPR in the park will be on Wed, 04-Jun. - Blood drive on Thu 22-May and Fri 23-May.

Civil Air Patrol:

- No report.

MN VOAD:

- No report.

RACES/ARES (Radio Amateur Radio Civil Emergency Service): Tom Karnauskas

- Nothing to report this month.

Skywarn: Dave Purscell

- 22 people attended the May meeting.
- Dave is working with the NWS Chanhassen to schedule another SKYWARN class.
- SKYWARN members were recognized by the County commissioners.
- HY-Vee radio event at Owatonna and Faribault.
- Looking at APRS using Amateur Radio.
- Hand held wind meters were ordered with grant money.
- Installed WX software on SKYWARN computer.
- Developing a drill to be completed at the next meeting.

Law Enforcement:

- No report.

Steele County Emergency Manager Report: Mike Johnson

- Lakeside may donate an 800MHz radio to Emergency Management.
- Disaster drill planning group is in process. A plan is being developed for the incident.
- Agricultural group is getting together to develop a plan for an agricultural event.
- A little more EMPG money was received from the state.

HSEM Report:

- No report.

Other Business/Round Table Discussion:

- Fox9 news ran a video report on Owatonna's response to a car crash last month. It can be seen online at **Fox9 KMSP**.
- CAER meeting topics were added to CAER calendar.
- Discussion was made on the issuing of badges for volunteer groups and other miscellaneous topics.
- Safety Fair is 15/16-Oct.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35pm.