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King George County LEPC Meeting  
September 22, 2020 1400  
Company 1- GoToMeeting

- I. Presentation- None**
- II. Call to Order**  
Meeting called to order by Chief Lynd at 1404.
- III. Attendance**  
Chief Lynd- Chairman  
Chief Moody-Vice Chairman  
Monique Dina-Secretary  
Chris Giles-KGSO  
David Howard  
Craig Strawderman-VDEM R2 HMO  
Walter Legg  
Jeffrey Stonehill-BOS  
Ted Schubel  
Nicholas Minor-

**Chief Dan Dixon, Julio Reyes, and Jerome Ray unable to attend the meeting.**

Thanks to everyone for joining the call. Please take a few minutes to review the minutes – Walt Legg motion to accept, followed by David Howard’s second. Minutes accepted at 1410.

- IV. COVID Brief**
  - a. Nicholas Minor mentions SBA Grants through the KG Cares Act. Go to the County’s website, then Economic Development’s page to find the Form Center and fill out application for your business if needed.

- b. Chief Lynd shares slide/screen for “National Preparedness Month.” National Preparedness Month 2020 “Disasters Don’t Wait. Make Your Plan Today.” For more information visit, Ready.gov.
  - i. Preparedness- in the Atlantic-we are experiencing historic numbers. Go to the National Weather Service website to monitor hurricane tracks.
  - ii. Watching Hurricane Teddy but, turned hard right North. Continue monitoring and encouraging the public to be mindful of hazardous weather.
- c. October 4-10 Fire Prevention Week- focus on “Kitchen Fires.”
- d. Will be pushing messages out via Facebook and LED sign for both Nation Preparedness Month and Fire Prevention Week.
- e. VDH puts out UVA’s COVID-19 Model weekly updates that offers great information and resources.
- f. Push out graphic to LEPC group for Free Flu Shot Clinic on September 26, 2020.
- g. King George Emergency Management Division coordinated with VDH and Mary Washington Health Care to host a free COVID-19 testing on September 12, 2020 for the citizens of King George County; approximately 159-160 tests were administered.
- h. **Question**-Greg Mendoza-How is/will COVID-19 impact voting?
  - i. Chief Lynd responded-tested voting during the Primary election. Plan for early voting. Sheriff Giles stated the Registrar’s office has been opened since last Friday for in-person voting; designated parking spots at the County Administration building for voters.
  - ii. Chief Moody- Health Department reached out to EMS side for assistance with vaccinations when available.

**V. Old Business**  
 a. None

**VI. New Business**  
 a. None

**VII. Hazard Related Incidents within the County**

- a. Joint Public Safety Drone mission to assist with searching for reported stolen vehicle.

**VIII. Around the Room**

- a. Jeff Stonehill-New speed limits; changed from 55-60 mph.
- b. Sheriff- Nothing to report
- c. Chief Moody- Business as usual; call volume increasing.
- d. Craig Strawderman – Nothing to report.
- e. David Howard – Nothing to report
- f. Ted Schubel – Nothing to report
- g. Walt Legg – An article in the Freelance Star about early voting in King George.
- h. Greg Mendoza – Cooler temperatures have people using wood fire places. Need to push out messaging to remember to clean out chimneys.

- i. **Chief Lynd** – Gives thanks to Craig Strawderman for the updated ERGs. Emergency Management Division will continue to push out important messaging coinciding with the season.

**IX. Adjournment**

Sheriff Giles motioned to adjourn; Ted Schubel second to motion. Adjournment at 1438.

**Next Meeting scheduled for January 12, 2020.**