



Juneau County Emergency Management

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Emergency Management Committee Meeting Minutes

**200 Oak Street
Justice Center**

Emergency Management Office

Monday, June 29, 2022 at 9:30 a.m.

Present: Jeremy Bonikowske, Chris Zindorf, Herb Dannenberg, Haily Dudzinski, Kathy Niles

Absent: Lynn Willard

- A. Meeting called to order by Chairman Chris Zindorf at 10:30
- B. Review/Approve Minutes.
Motion made by Dannenberg and seconded by Zindorf to accept the June 6, 2022 minutes as written.
- C. Public Comments - None
- D. Old Business
 1. ARPA Funds – County Park Sirens
Approved. Items have been ordered and will ship on July 18th. Hope to get a date to install before the end of summer.
 2. County Ordinance Update
Received update from David Lasker on 6/20/22. They will be looking at all updates at once as it is more cost effective for the County.
 3. ARPA Funds – Tower Security
Jeremy recently spoke with someone regarding security fencing. Will be setting up a time for them to come and look at the sites in the near future. Suggestion was made to contact G-Line Fencing in New Lisbon for a quote as well.
 4. ARPA Funds – Radio Communications – New Microwave Links
Still waiting on info from GenCom on the microwave links. Once we get that information to the EM Committee, it will then be presented to the County Board. Software update – Next week hoping to install new software. Paging system on Wednesday and hoping to do software update the same day.
 5. HoChunk Funds Approved
Submitted three invoices to finance for HoChunk Funds which were approved. Mauston Ambulance is putting together a first aid bag for the truck. Also waiting for a portable radio. Suggestion was made to also have a bolt cutters on hand.



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E. New Business

1. June 15, 2022 Storm Update
Waiting to get cost information for manpower and equipment usage from townships/city because of the storm. Can apply for debris cleanup. Need to try to meet \$109,000. Not much for roadway issues from the storm according to Travis Schultz, Highway Dept. Debris cleanup, public safety, and roads and bridges can be covered under the Wisconsin Disaster Fund.
2. TangoTango Communications Discussion – Future of radio communications – Push to Talk. All Admin/Officers could download app to their phone. TangoTango is cheaper than FirstNet, and customer service is more user friendly. A 30-day trial is available. Request for radio architecture for next meeting.
3. Desk Audit/Pay Scale Increase – Need proposal from EM Committee by Friday, trying to meet statewide average. Short discussion ensued regarding current pay scales for surrounding State of WI EM Directors. Printouts presented. State average \$66,000/yr, Southwest region is at \$72,000/yr. Herb will speak with Personnel for printout of pay scales for comparison.
4. WEM (Wisconsin Emergency Management) would like to have trainings within the counties. It's important that county board members, senior officials, etc. should understand how Incident Command works in the case of an emergency.
5. HAZMAT Grant Application – Grant application opened and started but need to complete. Slowly rebuilding a HAZMAT team. Grant would be used to replace outdated equipment.
6. Wisconsin Surplus Sales – Looking at selling old HAZMAT equipment on Wisconsin Surplus. Money would go to LEPC Fund or EPCRA HAZMAT Capital. Motion made by Dannenberg and seconded by Zindorf to proceed with listing items on Wisconsin Surplus. Motion carried.
7. Any other business to properly come before the committee for discussion - None

F. Adjourn

Motion made by Dannenberg, seconded by Zindorf to Adjourn. Motion carried. Adjourned at 11:53 a.m.

G. Next meeting – July 26, 2022 at 9:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Niles