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## Statewide Hazmat Response Work Group Meeting

(Anchorage – BP Energy Center)

October 9, 2012

### Draft Meeting Notes

October 10, 2012

1. **Participants:** See attached.
2. **Agenda:** See attached.
3. **Safety Moment:** Sandra Brewer (BP Energy Center) briefed the group on general safety procedures (fire, earthquake, evacuation) as well as provided a general layout of the facility.
4. **Introductions:** The meeting began with an overall welcome followed by introductions. A sign-in sheet was also circulated (see the attached participant list).
5. **Action Items from the Previous Meeting:** The following items were carried forward from the previous meeting.
  - a. Medical Monitoring: See later discussion in the meeting notes.
  - b. DHS& EM Andy Jones to provide training schedule for this next year. (See later discussion in the meeting notes).
  - c. Need to solicit training needs from all hazmat teams to plan for next year's Hazmat grant money. (See later discussion in the meeting notes).
6. **Hazmat Team/Other Organization Updates:**
  - a. **Anchorage Hazmat Team:** Update from Jim Vignola and Young Suenram.
    - Jim Vignola assumed new job as Deputy Fire Chief. Introduced Young Suenram as his replacement as the Anchorage Hazmat Coordinator.
    - Equipment updates: Hazmat ID 360 received; two now in inventory. Isotope detector (Smiths) added to inventory.
    - Updated tech decon procedure and applied during AHMP Hazmat drill at railroad yard.
    - 68 overall responses since last meeting; orphan drums, normal spills.
    - Hazmat Team responded to BLM facility in Anchorage where flask assumed to contain crystallized nitric acid was reported; non-invasive sampling detected no VOCs. Anchorage Police Department's Bomb Squad called; flask removed by robot to an outside location where it was blown up on-site.
    - Surplus Equipment: After years of research, Jim has found the proper procedure for releasing excess equipment. A list will be provided to the State Hazmat Team for possible transfer of additional surplus equipment. Some of the equipment has been provided to JBER/National Guard Hazmat Teams.
    - Current Hazmat response capability consists of 10 members per shift. Hazmat Team Leader position will be rotated every six months.

- Anchorage EOC staff are planning the Zombie Exercise scheduled for October 20. Numerous volunteers (~4,000 kids) will simulate mass decontamination.
- b. Fairbanks:** Update from Tyler Bones.
- Handout provided to the work group. Previous data was sketchy, but record-keeping is now in progress and improving.
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter report reflects increase in responses from previous years.
  - Hazmat team composition has increased to 24 team members.
  - Flint Hills Refinery is downsizing; Fairbanks Hazmat Team will need to look elsewhere for storage of response equipment and mutual aid support.
  - The old Hazmat response van has been retired.
  - Team participated in the Alaska Railroad drill on October 5 at Healy.
  - Working on pre-incident planning document for Hazmat responses.
- c. 103<sup>rd</sup> Civil Support Team:** Update from Stephen Wilson
- Protocol for responding to white power incidents updated; CST can provide 2-4 teams depending on whether EMS support is available at the deployed location. If no EMS support, an EMS tech will be deployed with the team (two EMS techs available; can support a maximum of two deployable CST teams). Each team is a 4-man team.
  - National Guard aircraft can only support if there is an existing mission and only under opportune air arrangements.
  - Clarified that 103CST will be the first team called for response to WMD incidents; peacetime Hazmat call-outs may still be referred to the State Hazmat Team.
  - Mass Decon support: for potential mass decon situations, portable decon capabilities and use of decon trailers were discussed.
  - Exercise scheduled for end of March 2013 in Southeast Alaska with Hazmat Teams from Juneau, Ketchikan, and Sitka.
- d. Elmendorf AFB/Bio-Environmental Engineering Team:** Update from Bill Mitchell.
- No significant responses in past two quarters.
  - Issues with Dept of Defense firewall in terms of downloading CAMEO program.
  - Discussed off-gassing from a meth lab incident.
- e. Ketchikan Hazmat Team:** Email update from Andy Tighe.
- No significant responses since last meeting. Typical smell of propane or strange odors but no apparent sources. Responded to numerous fuel and oil leaks from vehicles with minimal cleanup of product with absorbent materials.
  - On August 20th-21st, KFD representatives along with CCF/R traveled to Sitka to conduct an analysis of their hazmat response capabilities that included a review of their equipment, response procedures, a tour of all three fish processing plants, and conducted training with Sitka Fire Department personnel.
  - In September KFD sent an individual to the Continuing Challenge Workshop in Sacramento. With the wealth of information brought back he has put on numerous classes and hands on training for the hazmat response team.
- f. Kodiak Hazmat Team:** Update from Jim Mullican (unable to attend in person)
- Responded to the usual small oil spills.
  - Conducted a vessel response to a reported casualty in the hold (a welder overcome by fumes, either acetylene or Freon, or a combination). Victim was extracted prior to the arrival of the Hazmat Team, but no one informed the team. Individual was taken to the

- local hospital.
  - Kodiak is very interested in sending folks to the upcoming Hazmat Tech course.
- g. Juneau Hazmat Team:** Update from Mark Ormsby.
- Purchased two vital sign monitors for the fire department.
  - Purchasing two additional Level A suits.
  - Bobby Montez attended the Continuing Challenge Hazmat Conference in Sacramento this past September.
  - Responded to a propane release.
  - Thoroughly enjoyed the explosives training class provided by the FBI.
- h. EPA:** Update from Vivian Melde, EPA START Contractor.
- Shoreline Cleanup Assessment Technique (SCAT) training offered at the EPA Warehouse on November 28 from 0900-1500.
  - Field SCAT training to be offered on November 29.
  - Cold weather instrumentation course to be offered as well.
- i. Central Mat-Su:** Update from Randy Newcomb.
- Maintains a Level B capability in support of the Statewide Hazmat Team. Can provide decon capability for an incident.
  - 10-12 personnel trained to the technician level.
  - Completed two training sessions with the 103CST including Hazmat drills.
  - Completed Radiac meter training.
  - Responded to a plane crash in Willow Lake
  - Recent flooding in MatSu Borough; 55-gallon drum containing urethane foam removed by DEC responder.
  - MatSu Borough policy is to refer any oil/Hazmat calls to DEC first
  - Assisted State Troopers with a Level B response to deal with a person living in his own feces.
  - DEC provided spill response equipment for communities living near a water body.
  - Conducted on-going training for team members.
- j. 95<sup>th</sup> Chemical Company:** Update from Matt Giffen and Steve Deleon.
- Maintaining company strength at 136 people. 21 are Level A trained, 21 are trained for patient decon.
  - Company is deploying in June 2013 for a 9-month stint.
- k. FBI:** Update from Derek Espeland
- Reviewed white powder letter responses this past Spring. Known Hazmat team expenses need to be forwarded to Derek for compiling for future prosecution.
  - Conducted training with numerous fire departments in Alaska.
  - Requested Hazmat Teams to identify any and all training needs for 2013.
  - 103CST requested training with hotter radiation sources to add realism.
  - FBI is planning to host a radiological dispersal device (RDD) training exercise next August in Anchorage. Would like to tie this in with the Statewide Hazmat Work Group meeting to maximize attendance by other Hazmat teams.
  - Planning an exercise in March with the 103CST; Staff from Dept of Energy's Radiological Assistance Program will be here for the exercise.

- I. U.S. Coast Guard:** Update from Scott Johnson.
- Attended to provide input to the case study on the ammonia release from the vessel at Dutch Harbor.
  - Someone from Sector Anchorage's Response Section and the District Response Advisory Team normally attend the meetings.
- m. Alaska Railroad:** Update from Matt Kelzenberg.
- The Alaska Railroad conducted a field exercise at Healy, along with a tabletop exercise at their Emergency Operations Center in Anchorage. Participants included local responders from Healy, Nenana, and Cantwell. Special thanks to the Fairbanks Hazmat Team for their participating in the drill.
- n. DHSS Public Health Lab:** Update from Janet Fahrni.
- Three new people at the Public Health Lab. June Pounder is the bio-terrorist specialist.
  - Biological sampling kits: Hazmat teams should check the expiration date on some of the kit components. Anyone needing more kits should call the Public Health Lab staff.
  - Please remember to involve the State Public Health Lab on any future drills/exercises including notification exercises, sample package preparation/shipping, etc.
  - The lab also participated in an exercise with the Anchorage Post Office.
- o. State Department of Labor:** Update from Krystyna Markiewicz.
- Mentioned the upcoming Alaska Governor's Safety and Health Conference scheduled for March 18-20, 2013 in Anchorage.
  - Requested Hazmat work group members provide any potential topics that they would like to see discussed at the conference.
- p. State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.** Update from Andy Jones and Tonya James.
- Tonya will be Andy's replacement. Andy is moving over to DHSS.
  - DHS&EM has been very busy since January. Spring flooding season did not amount to much. Fall flooding has kept folks very busy. DHS&EM staff have recently deployed to Bethel to assess damage to communities along the Kuskokwim River.
  - DHS&EM purchased several water purification units, both portable and trailer-mounted.
  - More equipment being purchased; MOU with DNR Forestry allows for the use of their equipment as well.
  - DHS&EM maintains comms backpack units. ATVs available to pull mobile comms trailers.
  - Researching stockpiling of food supplies at the Governor's direction.
  - **2012 DOT Emergency Response Guide:** Hazmat teams desiring additional 2012 DOT ERGs should contact Tonya James (428-7046, [Tonya.james@alaska.gov](mailto:Tonya.james@alaska.gov)).
- q. U.S. DHS:** Update from Tom Burgess.
- Domestic Nuclear Detection Office visited Alaska last summer. Discussed likely scenarios including smuggling in nuclear materials into Alaska. Detection barriers to be purchased in the future.
  - Office for Bombing Protection: 5 core courses available; can be customized to meet individual team needs.
  - Conducting series of training sessions in Fairbanks in preparation for the Arctic Winter Games.

- Alaska Resiliency Report (both classified and unclassified versions) are available. Workshop to be held on November 2.
- r. **Alaska Department of Public Safety, Division of Fire and Life Safety.** Update from Jeff Ennenga.
- Coordinating with Law Enforcement folks on more training.
  - Several courses to be offered next year on IED awareness, search procedures, etc.
  - New Mexico Tech held four classes this year at Fairbanks, Anchorage, Soldotna, and Valdez.
  - Jeff has access to training facilities throughout the State.
  - He also has a much simpler process for directly contracting with trainers (as opposed to lengthy request for proposal processes).
  - Hazmat Tech Class is being explored for Anchorage in March/April 2013 timeframe.
  - Gordon Descutner (member of the Standards Council) can issue official certificates of training for course offerings.
- s. **ADEC:** Update from several DEC staff.
- Recent meth lab bust in Alaska was one of the hottest labs in the State and lower 48.
  - Once a meth lab is listed on DEA's list, it is permanently there. For DEC's listing, it remains there until certified as clean.
  - Nearly complete with cleanup of C-17 crash site.
  - 7 ammonia releases reported since last meeting.
  - 2 Hazmat responses, including one out at MatSu.
  - Increased vapor intrusion issues in houses, possible due to flooding.
  - Illegal dumping of lead-based paint becoming more of a problem.
  - Prince William Sound Tanker Drill held last week. Over 100 people attended; generally considered to be a worthwhile and successful event.
  - **Tier Two Materials:** Larry Iwamoto provided a handout summarizing Tier Two reporting facilities by LEPC and planning subareas. The CD with CAMEO data was also made available to the work group.
7. **Drills and Training:** The updated Statewide Hazmat Response Work Group Activity Schedule (see attached) was distributed to the group to review.
- a. Both the FBI and DHS&M requested that the work group begin to identify training needs for 2013.
- b. **Alliance of Hazmat Professionals Conference 2012-Hazmat Exercise:** Matt Kelzenberg noted that the exercise went very well. The conference organizers were impressed with the close working relationship amongst the various Hazmat teams, and were also interested in the Statewide Hazmat Work Group. Matt distributed several TRANSCAER materials to the group, along with CHEMTREC brochures. Matt will attempt to bring more information on TRANSCAER to the next Hazmat work group meeting.
- c. **Continuing Challenge Hazmat Conference:** DEC sponsored attendance for team members from the Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, and Ketchikan teams. The information acquired at the conference is being passed along to other team members.
- d. **Hazmat Technician Course:** The course will be offered in Anchorage in the March/April 2013 timeframe.

- e. **Radiological Response Training:** Large scale radiological dispersal device (RDD) exercise is tentatively planned for next August. Possible tabletop exercise (for senior level managers) and classroom training sessions may precede the exercise.
- f. **Alaska Shield 2014:** The exercise is planned for March 2014 (the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary for the 1964 earthquake). The scenarios will be based on a catastrophic earthquake. Alan will be forming a work group to develop the Hazmat scenario and game plan for the exercise. Work group members will include the five core Level A Hazmat Teams (Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, Kodiak, and Ketchikan), plus the 103CST, 95<sup>th</sup> Chemical Company and other interested parties. Funding will be available from DHS&EM to support Hazmat team participation (including travel, per diem, overtime, and backfill costs). Provide any initial ideas to Alan for consolidation. The Hazmat Symposium will also be tied into the Alaska Shield event, similar to this year's event in Fairbanks.
- g. **DHS&EM Hazmat Training Plan:** Andy Jones requested inputs for the training plan. The Hazmat Tech Course is on the list, plus attendance by two people from each of the 5 Level A teams was also earmarked (at an estimated cost of \$2,500 per person X 10 people for a total cost of \$25,000).
- h. **Ammonia Training (Homer).** DEC has been approached by the City of Homer to fund an ammonia training class this December. The City of Homer will be contracting directly with Aware Consulting to provide the training. Final billing will then be forwarded to DEC for reimbursement.
- i. **EPA Training Course Offerings for 2013:** Larry Iwamoto briefed the work group on the 13 possible course offerings that may be available from EPA. The top 5 requested courses include: Air Monitoring for Emergency Response (2 days); Chemistry for Environmental Professionals (4 days); Sampling for Hazardous Materials (3 days); Radiation Safety (3 days); and ICS 300/400 Courses.

## 8. Statewide Hazmat Budget Status:

- a. **State Budget Information.** Update from Alan Wien.
  - The recent State legislative session approved additional funding in support of the State Hazmat Team.
- b. **Federal Grants.** Update from Andy Jones.
  - **Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness Grant Program.** Andy informed the group that this year's funding allocation was \$128,000, and is a decrease from last year. Funding will be applied towards the Hazmat Tech Course and attendance at Continuing Challenge by Hazmat team members. A Reimbursable Services Agreement will also be negotiated between DHS&EM and DPS (Jeff Ennenga) to transfer funds to conduct Hazmat Operations level courses. Funding may also be used to support the 2013 Southeast Hazmat exercise. MMRS grant funding is no longer available.

## 9. Additional Items for Discussion:

- **M/V Excellence - Ammonia Release Case Study:** Abner Hoage, City of Unalaska Fire Chief, provided a presentation on the incident, including an

overall description of the event and lessons learned. The vessel captain (Lee Vestal) and the Coast Guard (Scott Johnson) were also available to offer their comments on the incident. Follow-on discussions centered on whether the State Hazmat Team could have provided any assistance and, if deployed, the types of logistical support they would need.

- **Medical Monitoring Guidelines:** Alan briefed on the status of this action item. See action item below. The work group will be meeting in the near future to discuss and possible develop appropriate guidelines for the Hazmat teams. The work group currently consists of Alan, Tyler Bones, Jim Vignola, Chris LaBorde, and Mike Jones.

#### 10. Action Items:

- a. Medical Monitoring Guidelines.** The work group will be meeting in the near future to discuss and possible develop appropriate guidelines for the Hazmat teams. The work group currently consists of Alan, Tyler Bones, Jim Vignola, Chris LaBorde, and Mike Jones.
- b. Training Needs for 2013:** Work group members were asked to provide any pertinent training needs for 2013 to Alan and Derek, and also Tonya James.

11. **Informational Items:** Just a reminder, meeting notes, work group member listing (including phone numbers and email addresses), photos from past activities, etc. are posted at the following website: <http://www.dec.state.ak.us/spar/perp/hazmat.htm>

#### Other Informational/Action Items:

- a. Alaska Governor's Safety and Health Conference:** Work group members were asked to provide any topics and recommended speakers for this conference which is scheduled for March 18-20, 2013. Inputs should be directed to Krystyna Markiewicz at 269-5957, [Krystyna.Markiewicz@alaska.gov](mailto:Krystyna.Markiewicz@alaska.gov) )
- b. Past White Powder Response Costs:** Work group members who may have responded to white powder incidents were asked to provide formal cost paperwork to Derek Espeland for consolidation and case management for future prosecution. Biological sampling kits:
- c. DHSS Sampling Kits:** Hazmat teams should check the expiration date on some of the kit components. Anyone needing more kits should call the Public Health Lab staff.
- d. 2012 DOT Emergency Response Guide:** Hazmat teams desiring additional 2012 DOT ERGs should contact Tonya James (428-7046, [Tonya.james@alaska.gov](mailto:Tonya.james@alaska.gov) ).

12. **Next Meeting:** The next meeting is scheduled February 12, 2013 in Anchorage at the BP Energy Center.

Encl: Final Agenda  
Attendee Listing  
Updated Schedule of Activities



# **STATEWIDE HAZMAT WORK GROUP MEETING**

**BP Energy Center – 900 E. Benson Blvd**

<http://dec.alaska.gov/spar/perp/hazmat.htm>

**October 9, 2012**

## **Agenda**

- 9:00 am**
- **Introductions**
  - **Safety Moment (BP Energy Center Coordinator)**
  - **Review Agenda for any Additions/Changes**
  - **Review Status of Action Items from Previous Meeting (May 8, 2012)**
  - **Team Updates/Lessons Learned from Any Recent Responses/Capability Enhancements**
    - Anchorage Hazmat Team
    - Fairbanks Hazmat Team
    - 103<sup>rd</sup> Civil Support Team
    - Elmendorf AFB/Fort Richardson Hazmat Team
    - Ketchikan Hazmat Team
    - Kodiak Hazmat Team
    - Juneau Hazmat Team
    - EPA
    - Central MatSu Fire Dept
    - 95<sup>th</sup> Chemical Company
    - Others (FBI, CG, ARRC, DHSS, DEC, DOL&WD, DMVA/DHS&EM, DPS, DHS, ANG)
  - **Drills and Training (see Schedule of Hazmat Activities)**
    - Recap of Alliance of Hazardous Materials Professionals (AHMP) Hazmat Exercise
    - Continuing Challenge Conference
    - Hazmat Tech Course (Juneau)
    - Radiological Response Training
    - Alaska Shield 2014 Discussion
    - DHS&EM Hazmat Training Plan (Andy Jones)
    - Ammonia Training (Homer)
  - **Statewide Hazmat Budget Status**
    - DEC CIP Funding Status for Hazmat Teams (Alan Wien)
    - Federal Funding (ODP, MMRS, HMEP Funding) (Andy Jones)
  - **Additional Items for Discussion**
    - Case Study: Ammonia Release (Vessel at Dutch Harbor) (Abner Hoage)
    - Medical Monitoring Work Group (Alan Wien)
  - **Recap Action Items**
  - **Next Meeting: February 12, 2013**
  - **Adjourn**
- 1:00 pm**    **WMD Work Group Meeting (FBI-Derek Espeland)**

**STATEWIDE HAZMAT RESPONSE WORK GROUP MEETING - Sign In Sheet** (October 9, 2012)

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## STATEWIDE HAZMAT RESPONSE WORK GROUP – ACTIVITY SCHEDULE (as of: October 10, 2012)

Activity	Type of Event	Date	Location	Sponsor/ Coordinator	Point of Contact	Participating Agencies
Statewide Hazmat Work Group Mtg / WMD Work Group Meeting	Meeting	May 8, 2012	Anchorage BP Energy Ctr	DEC	Alan Wien/ Larry Iwamoto	All Statewide Hazmat Response Wk Gp Members
Hazmat Technician Course	Training	Spring 2012	Juneau	DPS/ Juneau Hazmat	Jeff Ennenga (DPS) Joe Mishler/Ed Quinto	Statewide Hazmat Team Members
Continuing Challenge Hazmat Conference	Conference	September 4-7	Sacramento	<a href="http://www.hazmat.org">http://www.hazmat.org</a>	<a href="http://www.hazmat.org">http://www.hazmat.org</a>	First responders, industry, Federal and State agencies
Emergency Preparedness & Hazmat Response Conference	Conference	September 23-27	Baltimore, MD	City of Baltimore LEPC, others	Alan Wien	First responders, industry, Federal and State agencies
Hazmat Response Exercise	Training/ Exercise	September 12	Anchorage, AK	AHMP/ ARRC	Matt Kelzenberg/ Alan Wien/ANC Hazmat	First responders, industry, Federal and State agencies
Statewide Hazmat Work Group Mtg / WMD Work Group Meeting	Meeting	October 9	Anchorage BP Energy Ctr	DEC	Alan Wien/ Larry Iwamoto	All Statewide Hazmat Response Wk Gp Members
Statewide Hazmat Work Group Mtg / WMD Work Group Meeting	Meeting	February 12, 2013	Anchorage BP Energy Ctr	DEC	Alan Wien/ Larry Iwamoto	All Statewide Hazmat Response Wk Gp Members
Statewide Hazmat Work Group Mtg / WMD Work Group Meeting	Meeting	May 14, 2013	Anchorage BP Energy Ctr	DEC	Alan Wien	All Statewide Hazmat Response Wk Gp Members
Ammonia Training	Training/ Exercise	December 2012	Homer	Homer FD/ DEC	Alan Wien/ Steve Russell	All Statewide Hazmat Response Wk Gp Members
Hazmat Tech Course	Training	Spring 2013	Anchorage	DPS/ AFD	Jeff Ennenga/ Young Suenram	All Statewide Hazmat Response Wk Gp Members
Southeast Alaska Hazmat Exercise	Training/ Exercise	Last week in March 2013	Southeast AK	!03CST; SE Hazmat Tms	103 <sup>rd</sup> CST; SE AK Hazmat Teams	103CST, SE AK Hazmat Teams
Radiological Dispersal Device (RDD) Exercise	Training/ Exercise	August 2013	Anchorage	FBI	Derek Espeland	All Statewide Hazmat Response Wk Gp Members

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