

New Hanover County LEPC
Meeting Minutes

March 8, 2006

The following persons were in attendance:

Black, Byron	USCG MSU Wilmington
Cannon, Donnie	Vopak/South Wilmington Terminal
Cox, Heidi	NC DENR – PWS
Davis, Matt	NHC Fire
Ferrell, Larry	AAIPharma
Gay, Ryan	NC State Ports
Grady, Tommy	NHC Sheriff's Department
Heins, Carly	USCG MSU Wilmington
Hines, David	Wilmington Fire Department
Hollinger, Bob	Elementis Chromium
Johnson, Thomas	USCG MSU Wilmington
Miller, Cory	Southern States Chemical
Morris, Thomas	PHRST-2
Naugle, Mary Jean	Fortron
Nelson, Chris	Wilmington Fire Department
Newland, Brad	NC DENR-DAQ
Pearce, Wayne	NHC Emergency Management
Stapleton, Matt	NC ARNG
Strickler, Herb	GE/GNF-A
Taylor, Linda	PHRST-2
White, Lisa	INVISTA
Wingenroth, Kristen	NHC Emergency Management
Zuncich, Kim	NHRMC

Welcome and Introductions:

The meeting, held at Cape Fear Museum, was called to order at 1200 hours by Herb Strickler. The meeting was sponsored by Fortron. The February meeting minutes were reviewed and approved.

Membership Announcements:

Wilmington Fire Department will be conducting a confined space drill at the Battleship NC.

An Executive Summary of the 2005 UNCW Hazardous Materials Exercise was distributed to members for review.

The SMAT web site has been updated.

Old Business:

Meeting topics, locations and sponsors are still needed for 2006. Anyone wanting to sponsor a meeting should contact Kristen Wingenroth at 341-4595.

New Business:

Discussion was held on whether the LEPC wants to apply for this year's Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness Grant. The group brain stormed different scenarios and decided a smaller group would work on the issue. The grant application deadline is 3/31/2006.

Kristen provided a 2006 Tier II update:

34 submittals were complete

11 submittals had no disk but submitted payment

8 submittals had disk but no payment was submitted

18 submittals had no disk nor was the payment submitted

The USCG MSO Wilmington will be hosting Industry Day on April 13, 2006 from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the Courtyard Marriott at 151 Van Campen Blvd. The April LEPC Meeting will be held from 12:30 until 2:00 in Room 1 at the Marriott.

The Next LEPC Meeting will be held in conjunction with the 2006 Maritime Industry Day, Thursday April 13, 2006 at the Marriott Courtyard on Van Campen Blvd.