



COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON

Local Emergency Planning Committee

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
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Date: September 1st, 2021

Time: 1000 Hours

Location: Northampton County Emergency Operation Center, 100 Gracedale Ave. Nazareth, PA.

Meeting Agenda

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comment
- III. Approval of the June 2nd, 2021 Meeting Minutes
- IV. Presentation – Ashley Nilsen, EPA (Bangor Borough oil spill)
- V. Financial Report
 - Sara Title III Collections- As of September 1st, 2021:
 - Facilities Billed- 158
 - Fees Assessed - \$47,200.00
 - Fees Collected - \$44,600.00
 - Fees Outstanding- \$2,600.00
- VI. Plans
 - Emergency Response Plans
 - Updated
 - Amazon, 1610 Van Buren Road, Palmer Township
 - New
 - None
 - Preparedness, Prevention, Contingency Plans
 - Updated
 - None
 - New
 - None

VII. Response

- 06/05- 822 Mulberry Street Catasauqua.
 - Responded to Catasauqua with Foam trailer for Junk Yard fire
- 06/24 250 S. Broadway Wind Gap
 - Vehicle into a house with Diesel Spill
- 06/25 – 3950 Sheldon Ct. Hanover Twp
 - Chlorine Leak
- 07/18 – 48 Schoeneck Ave Upper Nazareth
 - Vehicle into a building with Gasoline spill
- 08/16 – Northampton & Chestnut Streets Bath
 - Vehicle Accident with Diesel Spill
- 08/27 – 100 N Commerce Way Hanover Twp
 - Phone Consult Dumpster Fire at commercial Property
- 08/28 – 3311 Airport Rd. Hanover Twp Lehigh County
 - Alert 2 cancelled Enroute

VIII. Site Visits

- Northampton Generation Company, 1 Horwith Drive, Northampton
- Upcoming -Thermo Fisher Scientific, 6771 Silver Crest Road, East Allen Township

IX. Training

- Northampton County

- Northampton County Fire School
 - September 24th – Incident Safety Officer at NCFS.
 - August 8th -Hazmat Awareness at Liberty Fire Company.
 - October 10th -Hazmat Ops at NCFS.

X. Lehigh County Special Operations Report & Training

- Responses
 - Vehicle into a dwelling with Hazmat – 48 Schoeneck Ave. Upper Nazareth Twp.

- Training
 - Hazmat Academy 2021
 - Hazmat Chemistry Course (Hopefully late fall/early winter 2021)
 - PEMA Hazmat Team Certification

- XI. City of Bethlehem Hazmat Report & Responses
 - 06/10/21 Fuel Spill resulting from motor vehicle accident – I-78 Level 2 – 30-50 Gallons spilled, no water ways effected.
 - 06/21/2021 Used motor oil tank with a leak – 1801 W. Market Str Level 2 30-50 Gallons Spilled, 175 Gallons removed from tank by Contractor.
 - 07/21/21 Railcar investigation; relief valve operating – 320 E. 1st Str Level 1 – Normal Operation
 - 08/12/21 Inside Odor Investigation – BWA Water Step Down Building – Level 1 – No problem
 - 08/24/21 Mineral Oil Spill – 1000 Kirkland Village Cir – Level 2 – Complete loss of oil from ground transformer, 400 gallons – contained and turned over for clean up.

- XII. Old Business
 - CO Meter project.
 - City of Bethlehem Hazmat Truck upgrades
 - Meter Simulators

- XIII. New Business
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- XIII Upcoming meetings
 - December 1st, 2021 @10:00 AM at Northampton County Operations Center, 100 Gracedale Ave., Nazareth, PA 18064

- XIV. Good of the Order

- XV. Adjournment