



# COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON

## Local Emergency Planning Committee

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER  
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Date: March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

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 December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021 Meeting Minutes

IV. Financial Report

○ Sara Title III Collections- As of February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022:

Facilities Billed- 120  
Fees Assessed - \$24,100.00  
Fees Collected - \$5,025.00  
Fees Outstanding- \$19,075.00

V. Plans

○ Emergency Response Plans

▪ Updated

- Bethlehem City Water Treatment Plant, 144 Shimersville Rd. Bethlehem
- Fresh Pet, 146 North Commerce Way, Bethlehem.

▪ New

- None

○ Preparedness, Prevention, Contingency Plans

▪ Updated

- None

▪ New

- None

VI. Response

- 12/8/2021  
Bomb scare/No Bomb  
90 Eisenhart Blvd.  
Bangor Borough
- 1/8/2022  
Spill (Diesel)  
6808 Jacksonville Rd  
East Allen Township
- 1/12/2022  
Chemical Hazard Fire  
Air Liquide  
102 Demi Road  
Upper Mount Bethel Township
- 1/13/2022  
HazMat release investigation/No HazMat  
3510 Route 378  
Lower Saucon Township
- 1/23/2022  
Spill (Oil)  
910 Richmond Road  
Washington Township
- 2/3/2022  
Spill (Diesel) Train accident  
7192 Beth-Bath Pike  
East Allen Township
- 2/9/2022  
Assist Police (FBI bomb squad)  
3104 Lehigh Ave  
Bethlehem Township
- 2/10/2022  
Trash/Rubbish Fire  
JFR Salvage  
6500 Sullivan Trail  
Plainfield Township

VII. Site Visits

- Upcoming -Thermo Fisher Scientific, 6771 Silver Crest Road, East Allen Township
- Upcoming – Praxair, 145 Shimersville Road, Bethlehem.

VIII. Training

Northampton County

- 02/15/2022  
Home Made Explosive Devices
- 3/7/2022  
C-MERRTT
- 3/8/2022  
T-MERRTT
- 3/22/2022  
Incident Response to Terrorist Bombings
- 3/22/2022  
Understanding School Bombings
- 6-25-2022  
HazMat IQ
- 9/28- 9/29/2022  
G271 Severe Weather
- 10/25- 10/26/2022  
Medical Preparedness to Bombing Incidents

Northampton County Fire School

- Hazmat Operations starts March 12 at NCFS
- Hazmat Ops Refresher starts March 27 at Tatamy Fire
- Hazmat Ops Refresher starts April 18 at Lehigh Township Fire
- Hazmat Awareness starts August 7 at NCFS
- Hazmat Operations starts October 9 at NCFS

ProBoard Testing:

- Hazmat Operations April 28<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> at NCFS
- Fire Fighter 1 May 19<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> at NCFS

- IX. Lehigh County Special Operations Report & Training
- Responses
    - Tractor trailer vs. Train (East Allen Township)
    - Leak with fire (Chemical- Disilane) Air Liquide Advanced Materials (Upper Mount Bethel Township)
  - Training
    - Task force training
    - RAD
    - 7 new hazmat techs graduated our academy
- X. City of Bethlehem Hazmat Report & Responses
- 2021 Year end responses -12
  - 2022 Year end responses - 2
- XI. Old Business
- City of Bethlehem Hazmat Truck upgrades
  - Meter Simulators
- XII. New Business
- 2022 HMRP grant process is under way for Hazmat team contract and is due March 31<sup>st</sup>.
- XIII Upcoming meetings
- June 1, 2022 @10:00 AM at Northampton County Operations Center, 100 Gracedale Ave., Nazareth, PA 18064
- 2022 meeting dates:  
March 2<sup>nd</sup>  
June 1<sup>st</sup>  
September 7<sup>th</sup>  
December 7<sup>th</sup>
- XIII. Good of the Order
- XIV. Adjournment