



## SHERIFF DAN WALSH CHAMPAIGN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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**To:** Justice Committee  
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### Summary

The monthly siren tests, local and IEMA radio tests, and search and rescue test alerts were conducted. CCEMA attended the local Fire Chief's Meeting. The agency posted articles and other information on social media outlets for severe weather preparedness to seasonal topics as well as other emergency management related information. We continue to get more followers on EMA twitter and friends on EMA Facebook accounts. CCEMA hosted the monthly EMA liaison meeting. The office actively monitored the weather for the strong storms on July 7<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>; we were in contact with local ESDA and the NWS. CCEMA is continuing to receive notice of outdoor events from C-U, park districts and the smaller communities and that information are being placed into the NWS database for weather alerting.

### Training Events

- Hosted the local Amateur Radio Emergency Services (ARES) meeting—Jul 6<sup>th</sup>
- Hosted Search & Rescue Field Training Exercise in Tolono—Jul 11<sup>th</sup>
- Hosted monthly Search & Rescue Training on Evidence Searches—Jul 19<sup>th</sup>
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### Volunteer hours

- Over 1000 total hour's year to date of dedicated volunteer member's time for the following activities: SAR and EMA activities

### Outreach Events

- Attended the emergency shelter community meeting at the Salvation Army—Jul 14<sup>th</sup>
- Provided emergency preparedness materials for the upcoming Space Jam in order for over 70 Boy Scouts to earn their eagle required merit badge—Jul 20<sup>th</sup>
- Provided heat related information to local agencies in regards to the heat wave from Jul 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>

### Upcoming Events of Note

- County Search and Rescue Team Meetings for 2015—3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month

- EMA Liaison Meeting—last Tuesday of the month
- LEPC Meeting Dates for 2016: Sep 27<sup>th</sup>, Nov 29<sup>th</sup>
- Regional Emergency Coordination Group (RECG) Meetings: Aug 16<sup>th</sup>, Nov 15<sup>th</sup>
- IEMA Region 7 Full Scale Exercise—Oct 5<sup>th</sup>
- Emergency Management Program Advisory Committee Meeting: Oct 25<sup>th</sup>