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To: Justice Committee

From: Captain Shane Cook, Lieutenant Tony Shaw, John Dwyer

Subject: EMA August Report

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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 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 Search & Rescue assisted Champaign Co Sheriff's Office with an evidence search, over 186 volunteer man-hours dedicated to the event. CCEMA hosted the monthly EMA liaison meeting. 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. CCEMA provided a generator from our local cache to support Logan County Balloon Festival.

Training Events

- Hosted Search & Rescue Field Training Exercise in Champaign—Aug 16th
- Hosted a local Damage Assessment Course—Aug 18th
- Attended Design for Table Top Exercise Course—Aug 23rd-24th
- Attended IEMA Region & meeting-Aug 25th
- Hosted Public Information in All Hazards Events-Aug 31st

Volunteer hours

- Over 1100 total hour's year to date of dedicated volunteer member's time for the following activities: SAR and EMA activities

Outreach Events

- Met with the local Central Illinois District Lutheran Disaster Coordinator about disaster support and their upcoming training—Aug 10th
- Attended the emergency shelter community meeting in Champaign—Aug 16th
- Met with CUMTD operations personnel about emergency services and preparedness—Aug 26th
- Met with Rantoul Police School Resource Officer about school emergency and weather preparedness—Aug 26th

Upcoming Events of Note

- County Search and Rescue Team Meetings for 2015—3rd Tuesday of the month
- EMA Liaison Meeting—last Tuesday of the month LEPC Meeting Dates for 2016: Sep 27th, Nov 29th
- Regional Emergency Coordination Group (RECG) Meetings: Nov 15th
- IEMA Region 7 Full Scale Exercise—Oct 5th
- Emergency Management Program Advisory Committee Meeting: Oct 25th