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To: Justice Committee

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

Subject: EMA July Report

Date: 08/01/18

Summary

The local and IEMA radio tests were conducted. The monthly siren test was conducted without incident and validated the location of several outdoor sirens in Champaign. CCEMA attended the monthly Fire Chief's Meeting. Search and rescue test alert was done. CCEMA provided regular twitter, Facebook, and website postings on weather info, emergency preparedness topics throughout the month.

- We continue to get more followers (1880 to date) on EMA twitter and friends on EMA Facebook accounts.

Training Events

- Conducted Field Exercise using the compass, map, GPS and radio for Search & Rescue volunteers-Jul 17th

Volunteer hours

- Over 511 total hours year to date of dedicated volunteer member's time for the following activities: SAR and EMA activities

Outreach Events

- Activated the EMA weather spotters for a severe thunderstorm—Jul 1st
- Filed with the NWS several community outdoor events—Jul 1st -31st
- Completed a Hazard Vulnerability Assessment for OSF Hospital-Jul 10th
- Participated in the planning for the UI evacuation exercise—Jul 10th
- Met with a representative from Federal Signal to discuss siren upgrades—Jul 16th
- Hosted the Care of Domestic Animals during Disasters-Jul 17th
- Participated with JC Fultz-WAND TV helping program citizens weather radios-Jul 18th
- Hosted monthly EMA monthly liaison meeting-Jul 31st

Upcoming Events of Note

- County Search and Rescue Team Meetings for 2018—3rd Tuesday of the month

- Siren assessment/site visit—Aug 13-14
- EMA Liaison Meeting—last Tuesday of the month
- IEMA Summit—Springfield, Sep 4-6
- LEPC Meeting Dates for 2018: Sep 25th, Nov 27th
- Regional Emergency Coordination Group (RECG) Meetings for 2018: Aug 21st, Nov 20th
- Crisis Leadership & Decision Making Course—ILEAS, Oct 25th
- Emergency Management Program Advisory Committee Meeting: Oct 30th, 2018