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To: Justice Committee

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

Subject: EMA March Report

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### Summary

The local and IEMA radio tests were conducted. The monthly outdoor siren test was conducted. 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 (1975 to date) on EMA twitter and friends on EMA Facebook accounts.

### **Training Events**

- Attended the Cyber Exercise Planning Training Feb—28<sup>th</sup> Mar 1<sup>st</sup>
- Attended the IEMA COP and COG training—Mar 5<sup>th</sup>
- Attended Willard Airport Full Scale Exercise meeting—Mar 11<sup>th</sup>
- Search & Rescue volunteers attended map training—Mar 19<sup>th</sup>
- Participated in the planning sessions of EARTH EX 2019 and for possible local participation—Mar  $21^{\rm st}$

# Volunteer hours

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

#### **Outreach Events**

- Throughout the month maintained a steady information stream to the public on weather conditions and seasonal information topics—Mar 1<sup>st</sup>-Mar 31<sup>st</sup>
- Kept social services aware of significant temperatures and need to modify existing shelter hours—Mar 1<sup>st</sup>
- Alerted the SAR members of possible search, subject was located prior to activation—Mar 5th
- Met with Urbana HazMat about hazmat preparedness and capabilities—Mar 6<sup>th</sup>
- Demonstrated packet radio capability to CUPHD —Mar 6<sup>th</sup>
- Kept the public and responders aware of severe weather—Mar 6<sup>th</sup> and Mar 14<sup>th</sup>
- Conducted a site visit of DaVita Dialysis Center—Mar 7<sup>th</sup>
- Conducted an on-air interview on severe weather for the Champaign Cable TV—Mar 8<sup>th</sup>
- Provided county fire department with extract of Tier II reports—Mar 14<sup>th</sup>
- Supported State Radiological Exercise with a generator—Mar 18<sup>th</sup>
- Conducted monthly test of generators—Mar 26<sup>rd</sup>
- Hosted EMA Liaison meeting—Mar 26<sup>th</sup>
- Hosted EMA Program Advisory Committee meeting—Mar 26<sup>th</sup>
- Did an Interview with WCIA for their upcoming serve weather special—Mar 27<sup>th</sup>
- Met with Cumberland Home Health about Emergency Preparedness—Mar 27<sup>th</sup>
- Sponsored the NWS Storm Spotters Class at Parkland College, 105 in attendance—Mar 28th

## **Upcoming Events of Note**

- County Search and Rescue Team Meetings for 2019—3rd Tuesday of the month
- EMA Liaison Meeting—last Tuesday of the month
- Media (PIO) Crisis Advisory Team—second Tuesday of the month (bimonthly)
- LEPC Meeting Dates for 2019: Jun 25<sup>th</sup>, Sep 24<sup>th</sup>, Nov 26<sup>th</sup>
- Regional Emergency Coordination Group (RECG) Meetings for 2019: May 21<sup>st</sup>, Aug 20<sup>th</sup>, Nov 19<sup>th</sup>