

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

September 14, 2015 – 2:30 PM

Ada County Courthouse

200 W. Front Street

3rd Floor, Commissioner's Meeting Room

****AGENDA****

I. AGENDA ADDITIONS / CHANGES (2:30)

II. OPEN DISCUSSION / ANNOUNCEMENTS (2:35)

III. ACTION ITEMS (2:40)

A. No Action Items

IV. Information / Discussion Items (2:45)

A. Regional Capability Building Efforts

Joe Lombardo

2016 Functional Exercise – Public Information & Warning

Joe Lombardo will present the findings from recent regional exercises, hosted by Ada County, which indicated a need for regional capability building efforts to address (1) mass fatality management and (2) pet sheltering.

ACEM is in the planning stages of a public information and warning exercise, slated for early 2016. The exercise will allow the public information teams from area partner agencies to build upon their working relationships and assist with the revision of Ada County plans and procedures. Joe is the Training & Exercise Specialist for Ada County Emergency Management.

B. Ada County All Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

Paul Marusich

Wildfire Risk Map Project Update

Paul will provide a brief overview of the Hazard Mitigation Assistance Program and the requirement of a Hazard Mitigation Plan. He will then give an update on the current progress of the 2016 Plan update and the need for future participation from the planning partners' staff to complete the process.

As part of the continuing county-wide mitigation efforts, all of the local fire departments/districts and ACEM, are working with Quantum Spatial and Interra Group to develop an enhanced Wildfire Risk Assessment Map that will clearly define the wildland urban interface and specifically identify the sources of risk for the purposes of response and mitigation planning. Paul recently filled the vacant ACEM Emergency Planner position, transferring his former public education duties to the full-time community outreach specialist.

*** C. Community Outreach & Social Media**

Myla Jeffries

Myla is Emergency Management's new Community Outreach Specialist. She will give a demo of ACEM's new Facebook and Twitter capabilities and an overview of future social media activities.

V. ADJOURNMENT (3:45)

* Attachment