



Medina County All Hazards Team

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Meeting Minutes Medina County All Hazards Advisory Committee April 10th, 2025

Members present:

Ben Nau
Greg Glauner
Robert Lindner
James Carter
Brian Cavanaugh
Andy Baillis

Guest Present

Chuck Stiver
Greg Bartoe
Noah Eddy

- **Chief Lindner called the meeting to order at 10:31am.**
- **No public comments.**
- **Motion by Asst. Chief Neil to approve the minutes of the March 13th, 2025, Meeting. Second, by Chief Cavanaugh. Motion passed.**
- **Old Business**
 - **Dive Training Update**
 - C. Stiver advised the Committee that dive training has been pushed back to the end of May due to cold weather. Coordination with the Medina Park District is ongoing.
 - **Update on Hazmat/Dive Physicals – Cleveland Clinic and UH Update**
 - A meeting with the Cleveland Clinic was held. A 10% discount was applied, but end cost was higher than the current cost. Further clarification is needed.
 - **Dive Physical Standard**
 - C. Stiver reported he met with Fred Jackson to discuss dive physicals. Based on the process that Summit County is using, a packet was presented to AHAC.
 - Each year, every diver will complete an RSTC Participant Questionnaire.
 - If a diver checks a box that requires a physician evaluation form, they will be sent for medical evaluation. (To be completed by organization providing HAZMAT physicals).
 - The same system currently utilized for setting up appointments will be followed.
 - The Physician will be provided with the "Diving Medical Guidance to the Physician".

- The physician will be authorized to use the Bi-annual HAZMAT Physical and Baseline/Initial Exams – minus the audiogram, Snellen Distance and Rosenbaum Near Vision Testing, Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis Vaccine (TDaP) as needed to provide the screening.
- Motion by Chief Neil to accept this process. Seconded by Chief Baillis. Motion passed.

➤ **New Business**

- **Transfer \$200.00 from FIU Training to FIU Equipment.**
 - C. Stiver requested \$200.00 be transferred from FIU Training to FIU Equipment budget to help pay for PPE.
 - Motion by Chief Cavanaugh to allow transfer. Seconded by Chief Neil. Motion passed.
- **Purchase PPE from Big Bill \$2088.93 for FIU (See purchase Request).**
 - C. Stiver requested approval to purchase FIU PPE from Big Bill for \$2088.93 Total cost may be less – G. Bartoe working with vendor. Motion to approve purchase made by Chief Neil. Second, by Chief Cavanaugh. Motion passed.
- **Amish Safety Day**
 - C. Stiver advised the Committee that he has been participating in planning for the Amish Safety Day that will be held at County Line Produce Auction on August 14th. The Water Team will be participating – offering a dive rescue demonstration in a drop tank/ROV display/and provide water, ice, and small boat safety materials.
- **Lithium Battery Emergency Class – May 21st 6p-10p Lafayette FD**
 - C. Stiver reminded the Chiefs of the upcoming Lithium Battery Class on May 21st. C. Stiver also advised the Chiefs that in the future the brochures will also be provided to hang in their stations with a QR to register.

➤ **Next meeting:** May 8th @ 10:30am.

- **Adjournment: Motion** to adjourn by Chief Neil. Second, by Chief Cavanaugh. Meeting adjourned 11:02am.

