

DISASTER READINESS COMMITTEE MINUTES

June 7, 2010

Chairperson Sharon Rask opened the meeting just past 10:00 in the lodge. Others in attendance were Peg Lukin, Len Harvey, Ruth Blanton, and three guests : Kathy Randall, Karl Stutz and Bob Dibble.

At first, we talked about hurricanes and where one can get valuable information about being prepared for the storms. The Disaster Readiness Day held in the Lodge on May 19th was a real success. Another one will be planned for next year, probably in late February or early March in order for those who go away during the summer will be able to attend. Sharon asked if anyone had suggestions on how we might make improvements. Len Harvey suggested that those vendors who draw a bigger crowd around their table because they had more things on display or had more things to hand out, should have a larger area. 110 residents had ID cards made which will be used if there is any kind of disaster that involves HOP.

Sharon distributed copies of the minutes for May and the agenda for today.

Sharon may call another meeting later this month when hopefully more people could get together to plan a day in July or August to learn to properly use a fire extinguisher and to review the HOP Disaster Plan. She said the local fire department would bring a truck, two men and a fire pan, but we would need to furnish the extinguishers. She said old extinguishers that people may be ready to dispose of would be all right to use in this practice session. Bob Dibble, who is a retired fireman has volunteered to help plan Fire Extinguisher Demonstration.

Peg Lukin will get more information on the next CERT Classes planned for this area and email that information to Kathy, Karl and Bob. Len will call Emergency Management and order additional Hurricane Guides.

Sharon reported that Villa IV is planning a start your Generator Day. Jim Simpson will coordinated that activity.

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be July 5th. Meeting adjourned at 11:00.

Minutes taken and typed by Ruth Blanton and Sharon Rask.