

Broome County
Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)
LEPC MEETING MINUTES
6/16/2022

- Introduction of guests/new members
- Attendees:
 - Michael Bender, Rich Richard, John Waszak, Cynthia McInerney
Raymond Serowik, Dave Adler, Kim Saunders, Joshua Nytch, Connor McCloskey,
Steve Smith, Pam Rexer, Patrick Dewing, Bill Miller, Joyce Collier
- Approval of minutes 2/17/22 (*April Meeting cancelled due to Snow Storm*) Kim
and Joshua 1:06pm
- Correspondence /Announcements
 - a) **Training Notices:**
 - **Attachment** – PDF document with OEM Training June – July
 - **The 2022 Chemical Security Summit** will be held on August 23-25,
2022, in the National Capital Region. Registration and venue information
will be released as soon as possible.
 - a. **DHSES LMS New User Accounts Webforms:** <https://lmsportal-dhSES.ny.gov/AcadisViewer/WebForms/Public/UserDataCollector.aspx?ID=1791af8a-0f7b-457d-addc-487f42916a22>
 - b. *Further details on all courses listed above as well as **registration** can
be found on the [DHSES Learning Management System \(LMS\)](#).*
 - c. **Useful resources** including the DHSES LMS Student Guide and FAQ
can be found on the [DHSES Webpage](#).
 - b) Tier 2 Reports Submittals were due on March 1, 2022

PRESENTATION:

- 1) **CFATS (Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Standards) Requirements** -John
Waszak
- 2) **CISA (The Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency) Regional
Partner Overview of Cybersecurity Services** – Rich Richard

Old Business

- 1) **Committee Updates:**
 - a) **Public Safety** –*Would like to have a meeting to discuss EPCRA and
coordinating the RMP requirements (Pam Rexer, Patrick Dewing, Joyce
Collier, Mike Heide and any other interested members) Possibly 21 July
more to follow*
 - b) **Health, Human and Animal Needs:**
 - 3/17/22 Zoom Meeting
 - 5/19/22 Zoom Meeting
- 2) **Drills and Training Schedule 2022**

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- 3) **Health, Human and Animal Needs** –Mike Bender/Ray Serowick-
 - a. Common theme- staffing shortages, long waits for home health care,
hospitals in the area are regularly on diversion. Flu milder than normal for
the second season in a row.

- b. COVID-19 is improving, at home test kits are available, local sites closed, at home test results are asked to report on the county DOH website. Vaccine pods are still available.
 - c. Received an increase in stop the bleed training following the recent mass shootings, Hybrid option is available.
- 4) Topics/Presentations for future meetings**
- Ideas and Suggestions for remaining meetings – would like a speaker on relevant topics at all meetings.
- 5) Are we ready to go back to In-Person meetings (with Zoom Option still available)?**

*Next Meeting August 18, 2022 at Public Safety Facility (and Virtual)
Committee Meetings July 21, 2022 (or alternate date as scheduled by committee chairs)*

Adjourn motion- Kim, second- Pam 2:14