



## PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

### LEPC MEETING AGENDA

The Bee County Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) will hold the regular **General Meeting on January 10, 2024 at 10:00 am** in the Emergency Operations Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 111 S. St. Mary's Street; Suite 201, Beeville, Texas 78102, to consider the following:

- (1) **Call Meeting to order**, Welcome and attendee introductions, start promptly at 10:00 am. (*Silence phones*)
- (2) **Pledge of Allegiance**
- (3) **Review and Approve minutes of the last meeting**
- (4) **Old Business/New Business**
  - a. Old business:
    - i. Membership approved holding LEPC General meetings quarterly starting 2024 – (First meeting to start: **Jan.10; April 10; July 10; October 9, 2024**) – same time & second Wednesday; (*2024 Meetings are posted on the LEPC Website*). <https://beelepc.org>
    - ii. LEPC Participation Membership letter for dues to fund upcoming education training, Outreach & planning projects was sent out the last week of December 2023 via email. Dues are payable on March 1, 2024.
  - b. New business: The Sub-Committee Chairs will be inviting members to participate in their committees during the off months and/or if you would like to serve on one or more committees, please let them know before leaving after today's meeting.
- (5) **Upcoming Training in the Community/Conferences**
  - a. [www.coastalbendcan.org](http://www.coastalbendcan.org) – [www.preparingtexas.org](http://www.preparingtexas.org)
  - b. TFS grants require that VFDs provide documentation they are NIMS compliant to apply for grants. (100,200,700,800 at minimum) free on-line minimal training & firefighters will receive FEMA certificates upon completion. <https://training.fema.gov/is/nims.aspx> Will need to create FEMA ID# at site if student doesn't have one.
  - c. CC EOM/COG is putting on ICS 300 & 400 Instructor lead classes in Mid-February. *Go to Preparing Texas.org site*
- (6) **Standing Subcommittee Reports**:
  - a. Finance – **Chair**: *Richard Cantu Jr.*
  - b. Risk Awareness, Communications & Planning – **Chair**: *Ryan Garza*; **Vice-Chair** – *Michelle Myers*
  - c. Emergency Response and Resource Development – **Chair**: *Rob Reyes*; **Vice Chair** – *Kevin Buesing*
  - d. Pipeline Damage Prevention – **Chair**: *Ty Huser*; **Vice Chair** – *Brad Read*
- (7) **Presentation: Deputy Fire Chief -Jason Burnell** – *Refinery Terminal Fire Company (RTFC) Corpus Christi*
- (8) **Public Comment/Announcements**: Comments are limited to five (5) minutes per person/group.  
*Be advised the Texas Open Meetings Act prohibits the committee from responding and discussing your comments at length and comments need to be factual in nature.*
- (9) **Next Meeting Date: April 10, 2024 – NOW Quarterly meetings (2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of that month) @10:00am**
- (10) **Motion to Adjourn**:

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David Cave – Bee County LEPC Chairperson

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