

MABAS WISCONSIN
Mutual Aid Box Alarm System
Division 114
Sewing Oneida County, Wisconsin

Meeting Minutes 08-09-17, Hazelhurst Fire Department

Departments Present:

Hazelhurst Fire Department
Minocqua Fire Department
Nokomis Fire Department
Sugar Camp Fire Department
Emergency Management

Lake Tomahawk Fire Department
Newbold Fire Department
Pine Lake Fire Department
Dispatch

No Quorum

Additional Attendees:

None

TREASURERS REPORT:

Ken Korten Hof reported there were no deposits, no expenditures and there is a current balance of \$582.42.

OLD BUSINESS:

Radio Drill:

There was discussion regarding the drill mostly about the IFERN coverage area. Dispatch did a good job requesting additional resources when one did not respond.

Card Updates Status:

Signed Copies Card Status:

Ken Korten Hof gave an update on the Departments that submitted signed copies to the Emergency Management Department. Departments that submitted signed cards are Lake Tomahawk, Nokomis, Fire Dist. ALPHA, Rhinelander, Sugar Camp, Woodruff and Willow.

Status of Cards on Google Drive:

Monico Fire Department cards are reviewed but waiting on the Department approval. Crescent, Willow and Hazelhurst Fire Departments did not update their cards.

WICAMS Grant:

Ken Kortenhof stated the State setup the WICAMS system but Emergency Management had to replace the computer that operates it. Departments will be notified when the system is up and running.

Division 114 Drill:

The February MABAS Meeting will be a MABAS exercise at Nicolet College. The exercise scenario is an incident at the Rhinelander Paper Mill. Steve Siefert, Howard Honing and Mike Carlin volunteered to help setup and run the exercise.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:**MABAS Wisconsin:**

MABAS annual conference was in Stevens Point. The conference size was similar to last year with approximately 185 registered attendees. Wayne Kinnally said the trainings-general sessions were very good and will try to get a recording of "Crisis in the Dispatch Center" to share. The conference will be in Stevens Point again next year.

MABAS Wisconsin meetings are scheduled the second Thursday of even months in the evenings. Additional options for participation in the meetings are possible. Kevin Bierce is the President and Quentin Popp is the Treasurer of MABAS Wisconsin.

Training Committee:

There will be a brief training on the Accountability System at the next MABAS Meeting October 11.

Dispatch:

Ken Kortenhof gave an update on the 911 Center staffing. Currently two Telecommunicators are in training and two additional need to be hired.

NEW BUSINESS:**DNR 3 Letter Designation:**

There was discussion regarding the DNR assigned three-letter Fire Department designation.

MABAS Calls:

No MABAS Calls to discuss.

MABAS Tips:

Wayne Kinnally discussed the Incident Command System and keeping ahead of the incident.

- Consider staffing needs like staging officers, etc...

- Create a Management Team that meets your needs and has the experience.
- Develop a strategy and an Incident Action Plan.
- Evaluate what your response needs are going to be.

OPEN DISCUSSION:

NEXT MEETING:

The next meeting will be October 11, 2017 at 6:30pm, at the Newbold Fire Department.
MABAS Radio Drill at 6:00pm.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

To Be Determined.

ADJOURN:

Motion by Jason Goeldner (Sugar Camp Fire Department), second by Kyle Timmons (Woodruff Fire Department) to adjourn. Motion passed.

Approved Date _____ Signature _____