

Southwest Kansas Regional Emergency Planning Council
March 2, 2011

The SWKREPC met in Garden City on March 2, 2011. Chairperson Don Button called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m. Members present were: James Jarboe, Jason Taylor, Dave Odle, John Crosby, Ken Seirer, Greg Standard, Chris Standard, Don Button, Vaughn Lorensen, Clint Thompson, Rayna Maddox, Richard Everett, John Ralston, Karen Luckett, Mike Burke, Steve Phillips, Bill Taldo and John Cyr. Guests present were: Millie Fudge, Rikki Stewart, Matt Mercer, Anthony Hoyt, Steve Wilterding, Ralph Rojas, Brenden Ourth and Brandt Haehn.

Greg S. made a motion to approve the minutes from the January 5, 2011 meeting; Vaughn L. seconded the motion; motion carried.

Old Business

Chairperson Don B. told the Council members that all the communications surveys have finally been returned to him and sent on to Jason Moses. He also informed the Council that all seven regions have approved money to help finish the 800 MHz tower system statewide.

New Business

Rikki Stewart and Brenden Ourth gave a PowerPoint presentation on a ‘Comprehensive Resource Management and Credential System’ for Kansas. A question and answer session followed. Greg S. then made a motion for the SW Region to adopt Option One, which is ‘near immediate rollout of preliminary (non-customized) resource manager web/intertrax exchange.’ Vaughn L. seconded the motion. Following a discussion, the motion carried.

Chairperson Don B. then reported that the contract for the Foreign Animal Disease project had been signed with Four Phases LLC. Matt Mercer gave a PowerPoint presentation regarding the FAD project. Matt encouraged everyone to have persons in their county complete the survey regarding FAD that is on his website. Matt also stated that he would be setting up FAD ‘workshops’ in each county and that he will need to have a contact person in each county.

John Cyr then gave his fiscal agent report. John stated that by the April meeting he will need to know how any remaining FY08 money will be spent in order to meet the spending deadline of May, 2011.

Chairperson Don B. then told the Council members that the April meeting will be held in Ulysses. This meeting will be a work session for FY11 projects. The meeting will start at 9:00 a.m. Council members are to bring ideas for FY11 projects.

Following a discussion, Greg S. made a motion for the SW Region to ‘go through line 21’ on Brenden’s proposal—which includes eight ‘DataCard CP80 Plus Card Printers

and the accompanying card stock, ribbon kits, installation, training, etc.’ Ken S. seconded the motion; motion carried.

Rayna M. handed out brochures regarding the rescue team in Montezuma. The brochures explained the team’s capabilities and also contact information.

Our next meeting will be in Ulysses on April 6, 2011, starting at 9:00 a.m.

There being no more business, Vaughn L. made a motion to adjourn. Mike B. seconded the motion; motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Christine M. J. Standard
SWREPC Secretary