

Town of Seabrook Island
Public Safety Committee
Meeting Minutes
16 April 2018

The Public Safety Committee met Monday, 16 April 2018 beginning shortly after 10:00 am at Town Hall. Committee Chair John Gregg was joined by Committee members John Fox, Allan Keener, Ed Maher and Rob Savin. Councilman Town Administrator Joe Cronin also took part in the meeting. An agenda for the meeting is attached.

1. Minutes 12 March 2018

Minutes of the Committee meeting of 12 March 2018 were approved without revision.

2. Emergency Contacts Refrigerator Magnet

Mr. Gregg reported approval of Town Council for purchase of up to 2500 units and that consistent with expressed support, an initial order for 1500 units would be placed. Members of the Committee expressed their disappointment and urged that enough units be procured to allow for one for each residential unit within the Town. Committee members also expressed their support for including the refrigerator magnets with the annual distribution of the Town's "Are You Prepared for Flooding in Your Neighborhood" booklets.

3. Debris Management RFP

Mr. Gregg reported publication of the Debris Management RFP and that a few inquiries had been received from prospective bidders.

4. DRC June Exercise

Mr. Gregg reported that the Disaster Recovery Council will hold its June training and exercise sessions on 5 and 6 June using an earthquake scenario. He also noted that Charleston County will be conducting an earthquake exercise on 6 June and that the Town intends to take part in the County exercise as part of the DRC exercise session that day.

5. CEP Revisions

The Committee continued its consideration of proposed revisions of the Comprehensive Emergency Plan. Concerning an OPGON 5 requirement for updating a list of qualified structural engineers who could be called upon in emergency response, Mr. Fox suggested that liability concerns could preclude qualified engineers from undertaking to assess structures in emergency circumstances. Mr. Savin noted an apparent discrepancy in contact numbers, including those for the Town's satellite phones set forth in the Crisis Communication Plan. Mr. Cronin confirmed, with reference to Appendix 24 that there are three part paper forms that could be used for zoning permits if computer printing were not available.

6. Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee was scheduled for 10:00 am on Monday, 14 May 2018.

7. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at about 12:15 pm.

MEETING AGENDA

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1. Minutes from 12 March 2018 meeting
2. Emergency Contacts Refrigerator Magnet
3. Debris Management Bids
4. June DRC Exercise
5. Review & Update of CEP
6. Next Meeting
7. Adjourn