

PUBLIC SAFETY MONTHLY REPORT 8/23/16-9/26/16



Mission Statement:

The Rutherford County Emergency Management Agency is charged with the overall responsibility of coordinating the county's preparedness for and response to disasters. Geographically, its authority extends to the entire county as defined by state law TCA 58-2-110.

The mission of the Emergency Management Agency is to develop a comprehensive emergency management program that seeks to: mitigate the effects of various hazards, to prepare for measures which will preserve life and minimize damage, to respond during emergencies, to provide assistance, and to establish a recovery system to return the community to a normal status after an event. This agency combines the local resources of Rutherford County, the City of Murfreesboro, the Town of Smyrna, and the City of LaVergne; along with State and Federal resources to mitigate, prepare for, respond to, and recover from the effects all types of emergencies including natural or man-made disasters, technological accidents, national security threats, and other disrupting incidents that may impact our area or the general populations.



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Mitigation:

Preparedness:

Date	Description
08/23/2016	Staff attended the Dedication of MTSU Veteran and Military Family Center in Murfreesboro.
08/24/2016	Staff hosted and attended a CSX Tabletop Planning Meeting at the Rutherford County EOC.
08/25/2016	Staff met with ARES at the Rutherford County EOC.
08/27/2016- 08/31/2016	Staff attended the NIOA Conference in Nashville.
08/31/2016	Staff attended a County United Way Planning Meeting in Murfreesboro.
08/31/2016	Staff attended the Smyrna Airport Training in Smyrna.
09/01/2016	Staff attended the TEMA Middle Region Director's Meeting in Nashville.
09/01/2016	Staff attended an Airport Authority Meeting in Smyrna.
09/06/2016	Staff participated in the monthly TEMA Communications Exercise at the Rutherford County EOC.
09/07/2016	Staff attended a Smyrna Airport Fire Department Meeting in Smyrna.
09/07/2016	Staff attended the Local Fire Chief's Luncheon in Smyrna.
09/09/2016	Staff attended the 9-11 Commemoration in Murfreesboro.
09/09/2016	Staff attended the Traffic Incident Management Training in Murfreesboro.
09/09/2016	Staff attended the RCECD 911 Board Meeting in Murfreesboro.
09/12/2016	Staff attended an EMA Staff Meeting at the Rutherford County EOC.
09/13/2016	Staff attended the County Purchasing Committee Meeting in Murfreesboro.
09/16/2016	Staff participated in an Everbridge IPAWS Conference Call at the Rutherford County EOC.
09/19/2016	Staff attended an EMA Staff Meeting at the Rutherford County EOC.
09/20/2016	Staff attended the County United Way Kickoff Meeting in Murfreesboro.
09/23/2016	Staff attended a meeting with RCECD 911 at the Rutherford County EOC.
09/23/2016	Staff participated in a conference call with TEMA at the Rutherford County EOC.
09/26/2016	Staff attended an EMA Staff Meeting at the Rutherford County EOC.



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Upcoming Events:

- 9/29 CSX Tabletop
- 10/4 Monthly TEMA Comms Exercise
- 10/13 CART ICS Training
- 10/20 ARES Radio Check
- 11/1 Monthly TEMA Comms Exercise
- 11/7-11/10 EMAT Conference in Chattanooga

Response:

Date	Description
9/10/2016	Staff responded to a diesel fuel spill located on 502 Swan Drive in Smyrna.
9/16/2016	Staff responded at the request of PAWS for a Haz-Mat Incident located at 1610 Flat Rock Road in Murfreesboro.
9/23/2016	Staff responded to the report of an oil Spill on Highway 99 between I-24 Overpass and Barfield Road.

Recovery:

INCIDENT REPORT

Location: 502 Swan Drive, Smyrna.

Date: 09/10/2016

Time: 16:11

Type: Diesel Spill

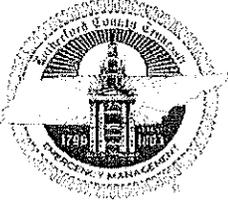
Narrative: At 0320 Smyrna Fire Chief reported a tractor trailer backed into an item resulting in a 250 gallon spill at 502 Swan Drive in Smyrna. He reported the release was contained and being cleaned up by Nashville Wrecker Service. There were no fires, injuries, or requests for the County or State. Responding agencies included Smyrna Fire and PD.

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Tim Hooker Assistant Director

9/16/16
Hazmat Support

Approximately 15:00 hrs EMA was requested by PAWS to support monitoring for a hazardous environment involving a search warrant entry at 1610 Flat Rock Road. Because of illicit history at the address it was suspected that the residence could be hazardous for entry. EMA staged EMS, SORT, and Fire assets along with multiple PAWS and SO resources and determined entry procedure. Entry onto the property and residence occurred without incident. On the property were several pens containing multiple K-9's to include beagles and pit bulls which were emaciated. Several more were running loose as well as in the residence. Also on site were fighting cocks. The residence was severely impacted with feces and urine. No adults were on site but a nine year old boy was in the residence alone. DCS then became involved. PAWS and SO will have a more comprehensive report for this incident.

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Peter Rogers

EMA 603 and EMA 604 responded to a possible oil spill in the area of New Salem and Warrior Drive. An oil like material was discovered on the roadway from the area of the sheriff's office to the intersection of Church St and Veterans Blvd. There were two large spills of this oil type substance, one at the intersection where the off ramp from east bound 24 and New Salem Rd intersect and the second at Barfield and New Salem. The other areas where so small that they did not pose a hazard. The two main spills were both approximately 150 feet long and 5 feet wide. Murfreesboro city was notified and they responded crews from the fire department and public works. While investigating what the substance was, Murfreesboro Fire discovered from where the source came from and that it was actually tree sap used to clean up saw dust. A decision was made that since this was a natural product and that it no longer posed a hazard after drying, it was not going to be cleaned up.

