

PUBLIC SAFETY MONTHLY REPORT 9/23/14-10/27/14



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.



Emergency Management Agency

Emergency Management Activity Report September 23, 2014-October 27, 2014

Mitigation:

Preparedness:

Date	Description
9/23/2014	Staff attended the Deputy Mayor's Staff Call Monthly Meeting in Murfreesboro.
9/23/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with a vendor regarding communications at the Rutherford County EOC.
9/23/2014	Staff met with a vendor regarding the Communications Project in Murfreesboro.
9/24/2014	Staff attended the District #6 Homeland Security Meeting in Shelbyville.
9/24/2014	Staff helped deliver communications equipment to tower sites to be installed within Rutherford County.
9/29/2014	Staff attended a Planning Meeting with Ingram in LaVergne.
9/29-9/30/14	Communications Equipment at the tower sites being installed this week.
9/30/2014	Staff attended the Morning with the Mayor Meeting in Murfreesboro.
9/30/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with a vendor regarding communications at the Rutherford County EOC.
9/30/2014	Staff attended the 45th CST Bio-Sampling Course at the Rutherford County EOC.
10/1-10/3/14	Communications Equipment at the tower sites being installed this week.
10/2/2014	Staff attended a NDMS Steering Committee Meeting in Nashville.
10/2/2014	Staff met with LaVergne Police Department regarding Homeland Security Grants in LaVergne.
10/2/2014	Staff taught Haz-Mat Awareness Class to Rutherford County Fire-Rescue at the Rutherford County EOC.
10/2/2014	Staff met with the SRO at Smyrna Primary School in Smyrna.
10/6-10/10/14	Staff attended the week long FEMA IRTBC Course in New Mexico.
10/7/2014	Staff participated in the monthly TEMA Communications Check at the Rutherford County EOC.
10/8/2014	Staff attended a Homeland Security District #5 Communications Committee Meeting in Nashville.
10/14/2014	Staff attended a meeting with NHC Nursing Home in Murfreesboro.
10/15/2014	Staff met with the TEMA Area Coordinator at the Rutherford County EOC.
10/15/2014	Staff attended a meeting with the Sheriff's Office regarding communications in Murfreesboro.
10/16/2014	Staff participated in the TEMA Shakeout Drill at the Rutherford County EOC.
10/16/2014	Staff attended the County Safety Meeting in Murfreesboro.
10/17/2014	Staff taught a Radiation Monitor Class in Smyrna.
10/17/2014	Staff attended the County Wellness Fair in Murfreesboro.
10/20/2014	Staff hosted and attended the EBOLA Planning Meeting at the Rutherford County EOC.
10/21/2014	Staff attended the Deputy Mayor's Staff Call Monthly Meeting in Murfreesboro.
10/21/2014	Staff participated in a conference call with a vendor regarding communications at the Rutherford County EOC.
10/21/2014	Staff attended a 911 Everbridge Meeting in Murfreesboro.
10/22/2014	Staff attended a School Safety Planning Meeting at Smyrna Elementary School.
10/23/2014	Staff hosted and attended the PIO Meeting at the Rutherford County EOC.
10/24/2014	Staff met with a student studying Homeland Security at the Rutherford County EOC.
10/24/2014	Staff taught Haz-Mat Awareness Class to Rutherford County Sheriff's Office in Murfreesboro.
10/27/2014	Staff taught Haz-Mat DECON Training to SORT and Rutherford County Fire-Rescue in Murfreesboro.



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The staff is working on the 2013 and 2014 Homeland Security Grants. We are working with other emergency departments throughout the county on setting up classes and other training.

Tower Project Update:

Motorola connecting and cabling all the equipment at Tiger Hill, Milton, Lynch Hill, Smyrna and RCSO. Three engineers arrive Monday, 10/3, to begin programming and turn-up.

New building in place at Hutson, we are currently establishing services.

Working lease for Bradyville site.

EMA also conducted a planning and information sharing meeting concerning Ebola on 10/20/14.

We are also trying to close out the 2013 Grant. It will not be finalized until November when Adam Rose (SORT) returns from his training class. All the equipment has been purchased.

Upcoming Events:

10/27-30 Emergency Management Association of Tennessee Workshop.

10/31 National Disaster Medical Steering Committee Meeting

11/3-11/7 OIT to begin EMA Office 365 and new VOIP phone system install.

Response:

Date	Description
9/16/2014	Staff responded to an MVA involving a dump truck with a diesel leak located at Jefferson Pike at 840 Westbound Ramp.
9/24/2014	Staff responded to an overturned dump truck with an oil leak located at Burnt Knob Road.
9/24/2014	Staff responded to a Twin Engine Aircraft that crash landed at the Smyrna Airport.
10/14/2014	Staff responded with the Mobile Command Center with the request of the Sheriff's Office to a barricaded subject located in the Royal Glen Subdivision.
10/24/2014	Staff responded to a Garbage Truck fire with a reported diesel fuel leak located at 3339 West Jefferson Pike in Murfreesboro.

Recovery:



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09/16/14

MVA Hazmat (Diesel)

Jefferson Pike @ 840 West ramp

EMA responded to an MVA involving a dump truck at passenger vehicle. The impact causes a minor breach and leak of the saddle tank when I came into contact with the frame. EMA was able to plug the leak with only minimal impact to the ground. (Approximately 1 gallon). Oil dry was applied by the fire department. There were no injuries.

Units on Scene- SO, Walter Hill FD, EMA

Report Generated- EMA 602 Tim Hooker

INCIDENT REPORT

Location: Burnt Knob Road just west of quarry .

Date: 09/24/2014

Time: 1500

Type: Truck wreck with oil.

Narrative: A dump truck loaded with gravel overturned spilling gravel off the side of the road and leaking oil onto the roadway. SORT and AVFRD applied oil-dry to mitigate the leaked fluid.

The driver was transported to St. Thomas Rutherford with what appeared to be minor injuries.

No additional cleanup was required and EA Towing up righted and towed the truck.

The wreck was investigated by THP.

Responding agencies included RCSO, RCEMS, SORT, AVFRD and RCEMA.

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INCIDENT REPORT

Date: 09/24/2014

Time: 1630

Location: Smyrna-Rutherford County Airport

Type: Twin Engine Aircraft, N584HP, Crash Landed.

Narrative: The above aircraft notified the Smyrna control tower that it was having trouble getting a positive indication of the front nose wheel being deployed. A fly-by visually confirmed that the wheel was not deployed. Smyrna Airport Public Safety requested EMS and Fire support for a crash. Upon several more unsuccessful attempts to deploy the gear, the pilot landed the plane on the main runway. The plane landed with no fire and no injuries although the propellers and the nose of the aircraft suffered damage.

The plane was towed to the FBO and airport was reopened. FAA was notified.

Units on scene included Smyrna Airport Public Safety, SPD, SFD, RCEMS and RCEMA.



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10/14/14
Barricaded Subject
Royal Glenn Subdivision

EMA received a request of incident support by the Sheriff's office for the Mobile Command regarding a barricaded subject. Units 602 and 603 responded. Communications support was initiated as well as activation of Alert Rutherford to advise affected residents within the community of a police emergency. After several hours the scene was closed without incident.

Units on Scene, EMA, SO, EMS

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INCIDENT REPORT

Location: 3339 West Jefferson Pike, Murfreesboro, TN.

Date: 10/24/2014

Time: 1150

Type: Garbage truck fire with reported diesel leak.

Trucking Company: Republic

Narrative: A garbage truck caught fire while enroute and pulled over at 3339 West Jefferson. EMA was paged to the scene for a possible hazmat spill. 601 responded. There was no spill of any hazmat. Fire was brought under control by Walter Hill FD. Vehicle was towed back to Republic's lot by EA Towing.

Responding agencies included RCSO, Walter Hill FD and RCEMA.

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